

## Editorial

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The International Conference on Electroceramics, ICE-2005, was held at KIST, Seoul, Korea during 12–16 June 2005. This is the second in the series of ICE meetings following the first meeting held at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology during August 2003. The site of the second ICE meeting is a reflection of the high level of activity and achievement reached in the field of Electroceramics in Korea in recent years. The date and location of ICE-2007 has now been announced. We look forward to meeting you in: Arusha, Tanzania, Africa, July 31 – August 3, 2007.

ICE-2005 was attended by approximately 460 participants, representing 15 countries, who presented approximately 490 papers. This proceedings, which includes 178 papers, represents an excellent, albeit incomplete, record of the conference.

We would like to acknowledge a number of individuals who, without their dedication and skills, this conference could not have succeeded nearly as well. Two people deserving much of the credit include Dr. Yoon Ho Kim, the chairman of the conference, and Dr. Seok-Jin Yoon, KIST the secretary, whose efforts and dedication insured that all aspects of the meeting were up to the highest standards.

In the name of the ICE 2005 Proceedings Committee, including Drs. Won-Kook Choi (KIST), Cheol Seong Hwang (SNU), Sahn Nahm (Korea U.), Hae-Weon Lee (KIST), Hee Young Lee (Yeong-Nam U.), Jai-Chan Lee (SKK U.), Jong-Ho Lee (KIST), Eung Soo Kim (Kyonggi U), Kwang Soo Yoo (U. Seoul), and Young-Soo Yoon (Konkuk U.), we hope you find this proceedings helpful and stimulating to your ongoing research efforts.

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