

## FOREWORD BY CHIEF EDITOR

Respected Readers,

It is a honor and pleasure to introduce the second issue of "Social Perspectives" as Chief Editor. With the establishment of the Social Sciences Research Center of the International Burch University, the idea occurred to initiate a scientific journal that would be a result of the need for pointing out important issues in the field social sciences, primarily law, in theory and practice. The journal aims to advancement of scientific research in the field of legal and other related social sciences, and is intended for all who are involved in research, offering them a place of meeting, bonding, bridging different views and opinions and leaving space for joint action.

Taking into account the specific legal system of Bosnia and Herzegovina, particularly in terms of approaching the Euro-Atlantic integration, the journal aims to overcome difficulties with which our country has faced along the way, and finding possible solutions both in terms of theoretical notions, and in practical terms.

In addition, the importance of the journal is reflected in the possibility of dialogue on a level across the state of Bosnia and Herzegovina and beyond, and strives to establish a unified scientific research area of an international character. This led the Editorial Committee to filter and select future issues of the journal by thematic units, or by current legal issues with which Bosnia and Herzegovina is faced in the process of EU accession.

Credits for this major project go to my colleagues at the Faculty of Law, University of Sarajevo, Faculty of Law, University of Tuzla, Faculty of Law, University of Zenica, Faculty of Law, University of Bihać and the Faculty of Law, Dzemal Bijedić University of Mostar, and a special thanks to the International Burch University, as the sponsor of the overall project.

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