

## EDITOR'S NOTE

The idea of having collegial gatherings to share some thoughts related to public administration has long been desired. Research work should not be *l'art pour l'art*; it is important to get to know each other's results, to explore the matching points, to introduce the new waves to the scientific profile of the Department. Last but not least, it is also our mission to give students the possibility to set the frames for expanding their knowledge beyond the obligatory teaching and show some actual challenges of public administration and recent developments in legal literature.

This volume is a manifestation of such event which was organised to welcome our Polish Erasmus partner, *Dr. Maria Karcz-Kacmarek* from the University of Łódź where the biggest Polish legal faculty trains and educates future lawyers. Her visit gave the opportunity to come together and discuss some actual challenges of public administration. On 20<sup>th</sup> September 2017, lecturers and PhD students presented interesting topics on financial, domestic, and international aspects of public administration. It is a pleasure to declare that we could announce this event as a habit as we are devoted to being involved in many more workshops and conferences in the future and set a forum for a less formal but rather fruitful gathering with academic persons and hard-working students who wishes to expand their knowledge and taste the academic life.

As organiser, I would like to express my gratitude to the participants for their valuable contributions, and our Dean, *Prof. Dr. Elemér Balogh*, former Head of Department, who has always supported our aims and made the publication of the volume possible.

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