



INTERNATIONAL THERMOELECTRIC ACADEMY

Oleksandr Petrovych Huk

(DEDICATED TO 60th BIRTHDAY)

March 3 this year is the 60-th birthday of Oleksandr Petrovych Huk, PhD in Engineering, corresponding member of the International Thermoelectric Academy, a well-known specialist in the area of basic research on electric temperature measurement, Director General of Closed Joint-Stock Company “V. Lakh Scientific-Production Association “Thermoprylad”” (Lviv, Ukraine).

O.P. Huk’s scientific research activity is inseparably related to his successful production activities. He is at the head of “Closed Joint-Stock Company “V. Lakh Scientific-Production Association “Thermoprylad” which is a leading organization in the field of electric temperature measurement. Instruments created at the Scientific-Production Association “Thermoprylad” assure temperature control for complex technological processes in various fields of industry and scientific research. These are atomic and thermal power plants, metallurgical and cement works, chemical and food industry objects, spacecrafts, surface ships and submarines, crystal growing plants, etc. According to different estimates, temperature measurements make nearly 30 % of all the measurements in modern industry and science.

At the Scientific-Production Association “Thermoprylad” more than 1000 types of temperature control instruments have been developed and commercialized practically for all areas of national economy and scientific research in the temperature range of $-270\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+4000\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. Specialists of the Association have received more than 500 inventor’s certificates.

O.P. Huk is the author of over 60 published works, in particular, the books “Scientific-Production Association “Thermoprylad”: History, Activity, Staff” (2006) and “Temperature Measurement: Theory and Practice” (2006).

O.P. Huk’s personal contribution has been honoured with numerous commendations from the Ministry of Industrial Policy of Ukraine, Certificates of Merit from Lviv Regional State Administration and Diplomas of the International Thermoelectric Academy (2000, 2004).

International Thermoelectric Academy, Institute of Thermoelectricity of the NAS and MES of Ukraine, “Journal of Thermoelectricity” Publishers sincerely congratulate the esteemed Oleksandr Petrovych Huk on his 60-th jubilee, wishing him sound health, inexhaustible energy, happiness and success in his multifarious activities.