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## **PREFACE**

The 2015 ICOI – 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Organizational Innovation was held in Yogyakarta, Indonesia organized by Airlangga University. This conference has been established on a global basis. We received 202 submissions from 12 countries. Each submission was peer-reviewed by at least two anonymous reviewers and a total of 142 papers were accepted for presentation in the conference. Researchers from five continents of the world attended the meeting. Accepted papers were scheduled for presentation in 31parallel sessions. In addition, three invited keynote addresses were delivered, one by Dr. Barbara Cimatti, University of Bologna, Italy; second by Dr. Sydney Engelberg, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel; and the third by Dr. Harold G. Kaufman, Polytechnic Institute of New York University, USA.

The welcome dinner provided the opportunity to honor the authors of best papers and to recognize the contributions of several others who made this meeting possible. The 2015 ICOI brought together the best of the city of Yogyakarta to present and have academic discussion.

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to all the reviewers of the papers, chairs of the sessions and members of various committees for devoting their precious time and expertise. I also thank all the authors and participants for their contributions. Finally, the 2015 ICOI committees sincerely thank the Editors of Acta Oeconomica and its publisher to publish 28 outstanding papers in this special issue.

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