

# Preface and Acknowledgements

The JCM Conference has arrived at its second event, following JCM 2014 held in Toulouse (F) in 2014. The cycle of conferences started in 2003 with biennial editions organized by ADM (Design and Methods of Industrial Engineering Society—Italy) and INGEGRAF (Asociación Española de Ingeniería Gráfica—Spain). In the conjoint conference held at Venice in June 2011 (IMProVe 2011) also AIP-PRIMECA (Ateliers Inter-établissements de Productique—Pôles de Ressources Informatiques pour la MECAnique—France) took part the event as organizer.

JCM 2016 has been organized by Rapid Prototyping and Geometric Modelling Laboratory of the University of Catania (IT)—Department of Electronic, Electric and Informatics Engineering (DIEEI).

JCM 2016 has gathered researchers, industry experts in the domain of “Interactive and Integrated Design and Manufacturing for Innovation” to disseminate their major and recent results, studies, implementations, tools and techniques at an international level.

The overall number of authors involved has been 404. JCM 2016 attracted 138 abstract submissions that became 135 papers. Due to a peer-review process, 123 papers have been selected and accepted for presentation at conference, as podium or poster session. The precious reviewing work has been possible because 111 persons have been involved in the process, which has been coordinated by 24 track chairs, providing not less than two reviews per paper, for a total of 381 reviews.

The book is organized in several parts, each one corresponding to the tracks of the Conference. Each part is briefly introduced by the track chairs, that followed the review process.

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