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Dear Readers,

This journal has published very many pieces of interesting research articles, addressing important topical issues. Our readership base has increased exponentially. The editorial team has never missed to dissect the topics with Industry professionals before finalising the theme for the editions. The uncompromised approach of the editorial office has fetched the journal a growing reader-base of business professionals, students, researchers and professors, policy makers, lawyers, practising managers and many others.

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At this juncture, the journal is also keen to include the new-age advancements in technology and business and their impact as a fresh course of direction to explore. In this edition, we have a fine confluence of ethical leadership, digital disruption, diversity and inclusion, virtual work sustainability, ethical governance, and the integration of AI into strategic functions

The journal also encourages geographic and thematic diversity of the articles—be it, examining co-operative finance in regional contexts or the role of women in entrepreneurship ecosystems—underscores our commitment to inclusive and interdisciplinary scholarship.

I welcome you to read the carefully selected and stringently peer-reviewed articles of this Seventh edition of Applied Management Perspectives

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Happy reading!

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