

MESSAGE OF THE ICREPQ SC CHAIRMAN



Dear Colleague,

It is our great pleasure to invite you to **ICREPQ'18- "XVI International Conference on Renewable Energies and Power Quality"**, to be held in Salamanca, Spain, from 21th to 23th March 2018.

This Conference, now in its 16th edition, is the major International Conference devoted entirely to renewable energies and power quality. Started in Vigo in 2003, is now established as a regular annual event.

Very successful ICREPQ conferences were held in Vigo (2003), Barcelona (2004), Zaragoza (2005), Palma de Mallorca (2006), Sevilla (2007), Santander (2008), Valencia (2009), Granada (2010), Las Palmas de Gran Canaria (2011), Santiago de Compostela (2012), Bilbao (2013), Córdoba (2014), La Coruña (2015), Madrid (2016) and Malaga (2017). Now we want to organize a very unforgettable conference in the University of Salamanca that was founded in 1134 and given the Royal charter of foundation by [King Alfonso IX](#) in **1218**. It is the oldest founded university in [Spain](#) and one of the oldest European universities in continuous operations, that in **2018 will celebrate its 800 anniversary** and, of course, this will be not possible without your participation. All of you are welcome!

This Conference, like its predecessors, is a forum for specialists engaged in the fields of renewable energies and power quality, can discuss current progress and future developments and trends in these two important areas, and also in those topics like: electric vehicles, electrical machines and drives, power electronics, control strategies, monitoring and diagnostics, etc, that are connecting with them. For to exchange information and experience of developments, trends and applications, from researchers, academics and professionals. Topics related to practical applications, operations, maintenance and teaching are also highly encouraged.

You are strongly encouraged to participate and submit papers to the ICREPQ'18 Conference for regular and special sessions. Potential authors and other interested participants are most welcome to visit and discover the information of our conference web page. English will be the working language for all printed material, presentations and discussions.

I would appreciate if you could send this information to Colleagues of yours that might be interested.

Thank you very much for your interest and collaboration and I hope forward seeing you in Salamanca in March 2018.

With my best wishes,

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