

I N M E M O R I A M

We dedicate this issue to the memory of our esteemed professor and formal editor of the journal, Prof. Dr. Orhan Hacıhasanoğlu.

We share with you an excerpt from his opening editorial from 2004. His legacy in academia, his students, and the world around him will continue to live on in our memories and our work.

Editorial Orhan HACIHASANOĞLU*

“Everybody accepts that conducting research, which has contributions to education and practice, must be the first condition for being a university. Publishing papers, which are based on research, is as important as conducting research. Istanbul Technical University has encouraged much scientific research and has helped to publish it to contribute to the national and the international arena. There were four periodicals in the late 1970’s which were published by the Institute of History of Architecture and Restoration, the Institute of City Planning, the Institute of Building Research and the Institute of Architectural Planning and Design in the Faculty of Architecture. These

periodicals published the works of researchers and academicians from Istanbul Technical University and from the other universities and research centers. ITU-Faculty of Architecture has tried to publish an international journal for many years after these periodicals finished publishing in the 1980’s because of the changing activities of institutes.

This journal has been realized by studies of the Publishing Committee of the Faculty of Architecture, which was began this work in 1999. The aim of the journal is to contribute to scientific research, practice and education by publishing national and international studies on architecture, city and regional planning and industrial product design.”

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