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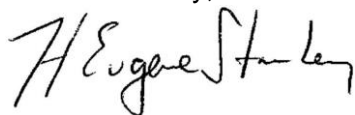
Good morning dear participants,

I feel deeply honored to address your esteemed group, the Jubilee International Symposium of Physics in Economics and Social Sciences created 15 years ago (Polish acronym FENS) organized by the Polish Physical Society. The current symposium is the tenth in this illustrious series. You are also on the eve of a great event, the 100th anniversary of the establishment of the Polish Physical Society.

How turbulent have been recent years: Examples include the previous 15 years (during which the world-wide economic crisis of 2007/08 occurred) as well as the last century (during which we suffered two monstrous world wars). The fruits of your work include long-lasting contacts and enduring friendships, vast fruitful scientific cooperation resulting in numerous excellent publications, and these Symposiaa permanent feature on the map of world scientific events. Each of your Symposia has produced post-conference materials published as refereed articles in Acta Physica Polonica A and B, two scientific journals that will soon also be celebrating their 100th anniversaries. The previous, 9th Symposium held at the University of Warsaw in 2017 in combination with the 13th Econophysics Colloquium was unforgettable as a participant in that Symposium and I am sure for all of you who also participated. Key presentations are included in a special issue Econophysics and Sociophysics in a Turbulent World. of the international journal Physica A.

I wish all participants an extremely fruitful 10th FENS Symposium. May we all meet the challenges that face our world, and may we never forget that our constant goal is to continue to serve not only science but also humanity. I so very much wish I could be with you, and I thank the organizers for proposing this opportunity to partially fulfill my wish.

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