I have received some good news from Scopus of Elsevier and National Agricultural Library of USDA. After about half-year's evaluation of our journal "IJABE" by the Scopus Content Selection & Advisory Board has been successfully completed, "International Journal of Agricultural and Biological Engineering"- (1934-6344/1934-6352, IJABE, http://www.ijabe.org) has been accepted for indexing in Scopus!

Meanwhile, I also received an official email from Mr. Carlo Nuss, an AGRICOLA Indexing Supervisor, from National Agricultural Library, USDA, Beltsville, Maryland, USA. The email says that "This is to confirm that in 2009 the Journal Evaluation Panel voted to accept International Journal of Agricultural and Biological Engineering for inclusion in AGRICOLA."

By the end of June 28, 2010, after having published seven issues including some 70 papers since launched in 2008, IJABE has successively been covered and indexed by Chemical Abstracts (CA), CAB Abstracts databases, and the CAB Full Text Repository, Inspec Database, Academic Search Complete of EBSCOhost databases, Abstract Journal (AJ of VINITI, Russia), Index Copernicus (IC), Scopus, Agricola, and Google Scholar. Moreover, IJABE has been listed in the world's biggest open access journal platform, Open J-Gate (http://www.openj-gate.com) and Directory of Open Access **Journals** (http://www.doaj.org). was also listed in Ulrich PD, Ulrich's Periodicals (http://www.ulrichsweb.com/ulrichsweb/). Being covered by world famous indexing databases and listed in online directory platform are very helpful to improve the visibility, accessibility, availability and impact of the research articles published in IJABE.

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Message of Important Events

2nd International Workshop on Computer Image Analysis in Agriculture, Budapest, Hungary, August 26-28, 2010

International Agricultural Engineering Conference "Innovation, Cooperation and Share", Shanghai, China, September 16-20, 2010

11th International Congress on Mechanization And Energy In Agriculture, İstanbul City, Türkiye, September 21-23, 2011

Concrete for a Sustainable Agriculture Symposium 2011, Quebec City, Canada, September 21-23, 2011