

### **AJIS EDITORIAL**

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I am very pleased to accept the Editorship of the Journal from Craig McDonald. As the second editor, Craig will be remembered for his exceptional contribution to the journal over the last few years. He has been instrumental in bringing the Journal up to date with contemporary journal publication technology. He was responsible for transforming the Journal to its new online open source format. Of course it is still available in paper editions for subscribers who prefer paper a hard copy journal. My sincere thanks also go to Craig for all his help in making the transition in editorship as painless as possible.

I also thank John Campbell for his work as a Senior Editor, contributing to the ongoing success and high standard of the journal's publications. Thanks also go to the authors whose contributions are much appreciated.

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