

Editorial

With this issue of *Canadian Studies in Population* I take on the responsibilities of editor. I do so with pride and enthusiasm, and look forward to this new venture. I am especially fortunate to be stepping into the editorial office following in the footsteps of our esteemed colleague and past editor, Dr. Wayne McVey Jr. I take this opportunity to express my heartfelt thanks to Wayne for his outstanding work and tireless dedication to our journal over the past 18 years. Through his expert leadership and wisdom he has helped to make *Canadian Studies in Population* an important and highly respected demographic publication. I can only aspire to maintain the editorial excellence that Wayne has established. I wish to also acknowledge Wayne's outstanding contribution to this special issue of Studies, dedicated to our colleague Professor Parameswara Krishnan. Wayne not only spearheaded the review process of the manuscripts submitted, but he also undertook the all important task of copyediting each manuscript.

My vision for the journal is to strike a balance between technical and substantive content. I believe that both types of demographic research are equally important to the development of our discipline. Although the journal has published international papers in the past, I feel that we can do more in this regard. I hope to expand the journal's international scope. Toward this objective a number of international scholars have been invited to join our Canadian colleagues on the editorial board of *Canadian Studies in Population*. I am grateful to them for having agreed to lend their expertise in reviewing manuscripts for our journal. Many thanks to the outgoing members of the editorial board for their important contributions over the years.

Finally, I would like to call on all of you to continue to support the journal by submitting your manuscripts for possible publication. Your contributions will help maintain *Canadian Studies in Population* as a leading outlet for demographic research. I look forward to hearing from you. Manuscripts may be submitted electronically to the following address:

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