

EDITORIAL

THE NEWS FROM BATON ROUGE

It is a pleasure to report another banner year for *Seed Science Research*. On behalf of the CABI publishing staff, the editors and the editorial board, I thank you for your continued support of the journal. Submissions are up, page numbers are up, subscriptions are up and our ISI Impact Factor (for those of you keeping score) is up to 1.380. This is exceptional for a young, specialty journal such as ours.

The new year brings some change to the journal. Seed ecology is an important area of research and I greatly appreciate Kenneth Thompson for his continued editorial efforts to develop this component of the journal. In recognition of his success and to better serve our contributors, the editors have expanded the number of seed ecologists on the editorial board. I am pleased to welcome Drs. Per Milberg and Costas Thanos to the masthead. Our thanks are also extended to Drs. Robert Hill and Peter Schopfer who are retiring from the board.

Seed Science Research has a number of interesting reviews in preparation as well as some fascinating Personal Views of the seed world that should be ready for your eyes this year. As always, I encourage you to submit ideas for these views and reviews. I am as close as your email program (as long as the cat does not crash the hard-drive at this end!).

All of us at Seed Science Research wish you and yours a healthy, happy, and scientifically productive New Year.

Marc Alan Cohn, Editor

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