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The future Editor will ensure that the journal continues to publish a broad spectrum of research from the social sciences which contributes to gerontology, inter-generational relationships and demographic age trends. The burgeoning field suggests that more emphasis may be given in the future to cross-national and cross-cultural studies, to the economic and political implications of demographic change, to historical gerontology, to theoretical and methodological issues as well as to policies relating to such topics as health and illness in old age.

The journal currently has a Book Review Editor, and an Assistant Editor may be appointed in the future. Editorial and secretarial expenses are provided by the publisher. It is expected that any candidate for the editorship will seek approval and recognition of this role from their employing institution.

The Board invites further enquiries and nominations for the position. These should be addressed in the first instance to the Board's Secretary, Gillian Crosby, at the Centre for Policy on Ageing, 25-31 Ironmonger Row, London EC1V 3QP, before 6 September 1991.