



EDITORIAL

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Dear readers,

We are glad to introduce the last issue of this volume. There are eight research articles representing the usual diversity of papers published by EURASIA. The diversity comes from both the regions that the papers are emerging and the fields that they represent. I hope you'll find them useful and relevant to your endeavours.

I wish to take this opportunity and announce the second call for papers for the 2009 Conference of European Science Education Research Association (ESERA) which will be held in Istanbul between 31 August and 4 September. Please visit the conference web site www.esera2009.org to find out more about the conference and the events that will be taking place.

Another announcement is that Professor Reinders Duit retired from the IPN – Leibniz Institute for Science Education. He has been one of the most influential figures in the history of science education in the last thirty years or so. He contributed to the conceptual learning and conceptual change literature immensely. Another aspect of Prof. Duit is that he collaborated with colleagues from around the world in his endeavors and has been widely known in the international arena. We wish him a happier long life and expect to see his contributions at a more influential level in the years to come.

