Editor's Note

On agreeing to serve as editor of the RSA Journal I would like to thank Mario Materassi and the General Assembly of our Association at the Rome Conference for trusting me with this important, if time-consuming, task.

There is no doubt that the Association Journal must continue to come out regularly, and, as stated by my predecessor, undoubtedly its content must be in English, in order to have a European, American, and possibly world-wide readership.

Distribution, however, is a different matter: the only solution I see to a really wide diffusion of our journal is by means of the new electronic net. Distribution in the traditional modes is unattainable with our very limited resources.

Finally, let me remind the members of our Association that the quality of our journal only depends on them: please keep our and your, journal in mind for the publication of your essays or work-in-progress.

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