Announcement

Gilbert Herdt, Ph.D., and Brian de Vries, Ph.D., have decided to step down from the editorship, and Springer is pleased to announce that Jeffrey T. Parsons, Ph.D., Hunter College and the Graduate Center of the City University of New York (CUNY), New York, NY, is Editor-in-Chief of *Sexuality Research and Social Policy* effective May 2011.

At this time, we’re pleased to announce the launch of the journal’s manuscript-submission and peer-review system, Editorial Manager. Please submit your manuscripts to the journal online at: https://www.editorialmanager.com/srsp, and now send general inquiries (e.g., manuscript suitability or manuscript preparation) to Dr. Parsons (jeffrey.parsons@hunter.cuny.edu). For further details, see the author instructions on the journal homepage (www.springer.com/13178).

Gilbert Herdt founded the journal as an official publication of the National Sexuality Resource Center at San Francisco State University, San Francisco, California, with the support of the University of California Press. Dr. Herdt has served as Editor-in-Chief since the journal’s inception, over seven years ago; Dr. de Vries has served as Editor for the past three years, taking over from Terry Stein, M.D., who was the journal’s original Editor. Springer became publisher of the journal effective with Volume 7 (2010). *Sexuality Research and Social Policy* is an international platform for state-of-the-art empirical research on sexuality and its social policy implications, and has published many notable special issues on timely topics. Recently, the journal has experienced an increased level of paper submissions and increased usage. We would like to express our appreciation to Drs. Herdt and de Vries for their service to the journal, and look forward to continuing its growth and success under Dr. Parsons’ editorship. Our goal is to serve the international author and reader/user community by publishing quickly high-quality peer-reviewed original papers and disseminating them – online and in print – widely across the globe to researchers, academics, scholars, policymakers, other professionals, and their libraries.

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