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Volume 15: Wow! It is hard for us to believe that we are in our fifteenth year of publication. The *ICCTE Journal* actually began operation before our parent organization, the International Christian Community for Teacher Education, came into existence. This fifteenth year is certainly a major milestone for us. We are pleased to announce that this issue marks a major transition for the *Journal*. Our editorial team from George Fox University in Oregon, USA, is handing over the leadership of the *Journal* to colleagues at Redeemer University in Ontario, Canada. While this may seem like a major change in leadership, it really is not, as leading the editorial team at Redeemer is Christina Belcher, who has been affiliated with the *Journal* as an associate editor and editor for many years.

This transition in leadership pleases me (Scot). I helped establish the *Journal* 15 years ago. I have served the *Journal* in some capacity for most of that time. I have been blessed over the last few years to be working on a very able team of editors at George Fox, led by our managing editor, Susanna Thornhill. Jennie Harrop and Tom Buchanan have also been invaluable members of the team, bringing their educational expertise to bear in service to authors and reviewers. I am proud of the work we have done, and excited that Christina, and her colleague Sean Schat, have agreed to assume leadership now. We've seen an uptick in manuscripts submitted and in our readership over the last year. We believe in the mission of the *Journal* and are pleased that The ICCTE Board has fully endorsed this change of leadership.

To the authors and reviewers and editors who worked on this issue, thank you. And to all of the men and women who have contributed to this effort over the last fifteen years, thank you. We give special thanks to James Swezey, who has

served ably as our copy editor for years. And we specifically thank Sean and Christina and their team at Redeemer University, who now accept the leadership responsibilities for the ICCTE *Journal*. May God bless.

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