From the Editor-in-Chief

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Dear Colleagues,

This is the first issue of Volume 102. As amazing as this may sound, the first Volume of the new CAP-based JINT has been completed, and we now start the second Volume. This also means that 1/3 of 2021 is already gone! It is behind us. Time flies despite the pandemic and the challenges we still face. The pandemic offers no discounts to us with respect to 'time-delays'. On the contrary, we all run like crazy. At least, I feel that I run to catch up as every day offers unpredictable challenges!

With respect to the JINT transition, our first observations – my first observations – are both positive and negative. The positives are all combined in one fact: no publication delays. Papers appear as they are accepted. The negatives (and I am responsible)

are two: inconsistency in the day each monthly issue is released, and article classifications in each issue (regular, short, review, survey papers). I promise you we are addressing these issues and I hope that soon we will sail in calm seas.

We appreciate your continuous support. We look forward to receiving and reviewing your papers.

Enjoy the issue.

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