Editorial

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We reach the end of yet another year as Editors of OR Insight, and, thanks to our contributors and readers, we feel confident in saying that it has been a successful one.

We have pursued three main objectives in the past year:

- To allow space for our Associate Editors to include papers on their areas of interest.
- To continue to cover a wide range of OR topics in an accessible and readable way.
- To encourage contributions worldwide.

We have been pleased with the progress on all of these initiatives. The first Issue of the year began with contributions from the U.K, Singapore and Barcelona, whilst the current Issue has a case study from Latin America. In between, the June Issue was given over to a

special issue in communities of practice, edited by the Associate Editor Community OR. This Issue is a little unusual in having two quite long papers, but we thought the subject matter would be of real interest to our readers.

The flow of contributions has been strong in 2006, but we are always looking for quality papers for the Journal – so keep sending them, either to us as Editors, or to the relevant Associate Editor.

Finally, if you have any thoughts or suggestions on the development of ORI, please be assured that we would like to hear them. Just drop us an email.

I think that is enough from us – we will leave you to enjoy this Issue.