

Editor's Note

This is the first issue of *World Competition* under my editorship. I thank Kluwer Law International for the confidence they have placed in me. I would like to take this opportunity to introduce those who have kindly agreed to join me in this venture and explain some of the changes which, either have already been implemented, or will be implemented in the near future.

I have called on the assistance of a newly-created distinguished Advisory Board. Maintaining, let alone improving, the current high academic standards of the Journal by myself would have been an impossible task. With the help of this outstanding Advisory Board my task is alleviated tremendously.

I have also invited Benoît Keane to join Bradley Reynolds, editorial assistant, and myself to help with editorial tasks. As the new assistant editor, Benoît has already proven invaluable.

Two new sections will be added to the Journal. One on "Book Reviews", the other on critical "Analysis of Case Law". This volume already incorporates two book reviews. I hope that the next volume will incorporate the new section on analysis of case law. I would like to invite authors and publishers who wish their books to be considered for review to forward them to us. I would also like to encourage potential authors to submit for publication critical analysis of case law and administrative practice in their jurisdictions. Competition law is very much alive. Its daily application by enforcement agencies and courts worldwide is its clearest manifestation. I hope that this new analysis section in *World Competition* will provide an important window through which the practical application of competition law can be surveyed.

Finally, an e-mail address is now provided. As the Editor of *World Competition*, I am very interested in receiving your comments and suggestions for improvement. Obviously, a Journal without good articles goes nowhere. Therefore, I am calling on past authors and new ones to submit good articles for publication. I count on your contribution.

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