



## Editorial

We are happy to publish the first issue of “LSP, professional communication, knowledge management and cognition” which is the slightly modified name of “LSP and professional communication” which published 8 volumes 2001-2008 with Jacques Qvistgaard as editor in chief. During the summer 2009, I took over together with an editorial board consisting of professor Reiner Arntz, Department of Applied Linguistics, University of Hildesheim, Germany, professor Bodil Nistrup Madsen, Copenhagen Business School (CBS), and assistant professor Viktor Smith, CBS, with Françoise Qvistgaard, CBS, as journal administrator.

As the new name indicates, the focus of the present journal has been slightly broadened and will focus on interlinking research across LSP, professional communication, knowledge management and cognition. These areas of research and transdisciplinary insights into the grey zones between them are of vital importance to the development, exchange and acceptance of new ideas and products in scientific domains as well as in trade and public services at national and international levels. The scope of the LSP journal is still to give researchers a peer-reviewed international forum for exchanges of new insights into theoretical and practical approaches in the relevant areas of research. Operational and innovative methods and practices of relevance to creation and distribution of knowledge in intra- and interlingual environments are primary focal points. Contributions are accepted in English, French, German and Spanish.

The journal is hosted by the Department of International Language Studies and Computational Linguistics and the Department of International Culture and Communication Studies at CBS.

The first decision by the new editorial board was to enter the era of electronic publishing, cf. <http://lsp.cbs.dk> using OSJ (Open Journal System). The transition process has not been hassle free and has caused the 2009 volume to be skipped. Authors as well as readers have had their patience tested, which we regret. The advantages, however, are obvious, one of them being easy access and download facilities. This also concerns the archives containing all 8 volumes of LSP and professional communication. Another advantage which will be appreciated is the fact that the journal is now free of subscription fees. If you are not already registered as subscriber, please visit the site <http://lsp.cbs.dk> and register as a reader in order to make sure that we can keep you updated.



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