GENERAL FOREWORD

Volume 16 of the Journal Terminology Science and Research contains papers submitted to the editorial board by speakers at the TAMA conference, organized by TermNet in Cologne, December 2004. The title of the conference was Terminology in Advanced Management Applications. 7th International Conference on Multilingual Knowledge and Technology Transfer. The focal points of the conference and the preceding workshop were terminology for electronic applications as well as future-directed aspects of mobility: scalability, methodology, and global design.

The Board of the International Institute for Terminology Research has decided to publish this and future volumes of the Journal of Terminology Science and Research electronically via IITF's portal. It is also planned that with intervals of a couple of years, selected articles will be published in book form. The+portal with the guidelines for authors etc. can be found under the websites of the University of Vaasa, see http://lipas.uwasa.fi/hut/svenska/iitf/. The possibility to use e-publishing will mean that improved word-processing and layout-facilities will be available.

As from the volume, we are two editors who shall be working together to compile and prepare the journal: Nina Pilke (University of Vaasa) and Birthe Toft (formerly Bertha Toft, University of Southern Denmark). Please submit articles to the editorial board via one of our e-mail addresses (see below).

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