

Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics
Editor's Report
April 13, 2018

- I. State of the Journal Address
 - a. Submissions
 - a. 67 submissions between April 11, 2017 and April 10, 2018
 1. Down from 87 in 2016-2017
 2. Calendar Year- 2017- 89 submissions
 3. Does not include Call for Papers- Social Work and Intercollegiate Athletics (16 papers submitted overall; 7 accepted papers, 2 commentaries, and 1 practice note)
 - b. Editorial Review
 1. 1 members review 3 papers, 18 members reviewed 2 papers; 28 reviewed 1 paper
 - a. Does not include 2nd or 3rd reviews of previously reviewed document
 - b. Desk Rejections used by Editors
 2. Average Length of Initial Review was under 45 days.- Great Job!
 3. Number of Guest Reviewers = 20 (Same as 2016-2017)
 - c. Acceptance Rates
 1. See attached **Table 1**.
 2. Total # of papers published to date (counting special issues): **168**
 - d. Submission to Publication
 1. Range: 3 to 6 months
 - a. Average: 4.5 months
 2. Rounds of Review Range: 2 to 4
 - a. Average: 3
- II. Editorial Board Term Structure
 - a. Started term limits for our Editorial Review Board effective five conferences ago.
 - b. Total number of Editorial Review Board members = 45
 1. We want to sincerely thank the following board members who will end their term on the board as of the end of the conference: Term Completion (2018) Tommy Aicher, Chris Barnhill, Akilah Carter-Francique, Ari De Wilde, Corinne Farnetti, Michael Hutchinson, Nathan Kirkpatrick, Michael Pfahl, Crystal Southall, Emily Sparvero
 2. We will be sending out Editorial Review Board invitations shortly after the conclusion of the conference so if you have recommendations, please send an email to me at: Joseph Cooper and Thomas Aicher
 - c. Editorial board members terms:
 1. Term Completion (2019) Jordan Bass, Adrian Bouchet, Terry Eddy, Matt Katz, Christina Martin, Mark Nagel, Calvin Nite, Jimmy Sanderson, Jimmy Smith, Brian Soebbing, Jim Strode, Brian Turner, Nicholas Watanabe, Erianne Weight

2. Term Completino (2020) Landon Huffman, Matt Huml, Brent Oja, Adam Pfleegor, Ellen Staurowsky
 - c. Overall Editorial Review Board feedback
 - a. Editor(s) satisfied with improvement in quality of feedback supplied to author(s) submitting to JIA.
 - d. Chad Seifried stepping down as editor. Thomas Aicher and Joseph Cooper taking over as Co-editors.
 - a. Transition has been very positive!
 - b. Chad would like to stay involved (presentation of idea- Editor Emeritus)
- III. Special Issue Request?
- a. Call for proposals
 - a. We need to continue discussion on this since we are an issues journal.
 1. Like last year I recommend to look at NCAA and NAIA Convention programs for current issues
 2. Thanks again to Emmett Gill for leading the Social Work Special Issue
- IV. Outstanding JIA Article Award
- a. For the 6th year, we gave an award for the outstanding JIA article from the prior year (i.e., 2017)
 - a. Award Announcement made during CSRI Conference
 - b. All articles published in 2017 were screened by three co-editors (special issue not considered). Four articles were selected as finalists. Three editorial board members of were asked to rank the papers 1st to 3rd.
 - c. 1. A Post-Succession Analysis of Factors Influencing Coaching Success in NCAA Division I Men's Basketball- James E. Johnson (Ball State University), David A. Pierce (Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis), Brian Krohn (Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis), Lawrence W. Judge (Ball State University), Beau F. Scott (Ball State University)
 - d. 2. Kick these kids off the team and take away their scholarships: Facebook and perceptions of athlete activism at the University of Missouri- Evan Frederick (University of Louisville), James Sanderson (Arizona State University), and Nicholas Schlereth (University of New Mexico)
- V. Journal Metrics
- a. See [Table 2](#)
 - b. JIA 66 articles (i-10 index) [2017 $n=45$]
 - a. 5 articles with 50+ citations (highest 95)
 - b. Total # of citation= 1,959
 1. *Journal of Intercollegiate Sport*: (166 total articles; 53 articles (i-10 index; total # of citations= 1,369)
 2. Keep an eye on *Journal of Amateur Sport* and *Journal for the Study of Sports and Athletes in Education* for future comparison
 3. Other journals?
 - c. Other data to collect:

1. Self-citations
2. Number of pages
3. Downloads?

- VI. Update on Impact Factor
- a. We need help increasing the number of accepted/published articles (specifically 20 over 12 months for ejournals.
 - b. Special Issues help!
 - c. ERB submit papers!
- VII. Other Issues and Questions?
- a. Website changes?
 - b. Social Media and JIAA
 - a. ERB please promote papers
 - b. Anything interesting at the conference? Encourage others to submit.
 - c. Can we be more visible?

Table 1

Acceptance Rates

Submissions by Period	Year Totals	Running Total	Accepted	Year Accept Rate	Running Total	Total Acceptance Rate
September 1 2007- April 20 2008	20	20	7	35%	7	35%
April 21 2008- April 20 2009	35	55	10	28.60%	17	30.90%
April 21 2009- April 20 2010	31	86	15	48.40%	32	37.20%
April 21 2010- April 20 2011	43	129	15	34.90%	47	36.40%
April 21 2011- April 16 2012	53	180	16	30.20%	63	35%
April 17 2012- April 15 2013	60	240	22	36.70%	85	35.40%
April 16 2013- April 15 2014	66	306	19	28.80%	104	34%
April 14 2014- April 15 2015	67	373	13	19.40%	117	31.40%
April 16 2015- April 15 2016	63	436	10	15.90%	127	29.10%
April 16 2016- April 10 2017	87	523	16	18.40%	143	27.30%
April 11 2017- April 10 2018	67		7			

Table 2

Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics- Metrics

	Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics	Journal of Intercollegiate Sport
Publication years	2008-2017	2008-2017
Citation years	10 (2008-2018)	10 (2008-2018)
Papers	166	199
Citations	1959	1662
Citations/year	195.9	166.20
Citations/paper	12.67 (*count=1)	8.35
Citations/author	1010.50	1064.83
Papers/author	70.88	138.75
Authors/paper	2.58/3.0/multi (mean/median/mode)	1.83/2.0/1 (mean/median/mode)
Age-weighted citation rate	284.66 (sqrt=16.87), 153.03/author	269.81 (sqrt=16.43), 172.20/author
Hirsch h-index	23 (a=3.45, m=2.30, 960 cites=52.6% coverage)	21 (a=3.77, m=2.10, 679 cites=40.9% coverage)
Egghe g-index	34 (g/h=1.48, 1177 cites=64.5% coverage)	28 (g/h=1.33, 817 cites=49.2% coverage)
PoP hI,norm	15	16
PoP hI,annual	1.50	1.60
i-10 index	66	53

Note. Harzing Publish or Perish (4/5/2018- 10:57AM)