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As Provost at Southeastern University, it is my distinct pleasure to welcome you to the inaugural edition of the College of Education's new journal. The launching of this journal is the result of two years of work by a number of dedicated faculty members, editors, and reviewers. Volume 1 represents a true milestone for the COE and for Southeastern University.

From the very beginning, the Journal of Applied Social Sciences Research and Practice (JASSRP) was planned to be interdisciplinary and open to SEU and non-SEU researchers and scholar practitioners in all the social sciences, with special emphasis upon research that is filtered through the lens of a Christian worldview and values. I trust that you will find the articles interesting and thought provoking and that they will generate discussion and critical conversations among scholars.

We are very excited about this new journal and its potential to share scholarly writing and thinking. I look forward to watching the journal's influence grow and mature as a storehouse of excellence in research and best practices. Perhaps you will consider submitting and publishing in our journal in the future.

Sincerely,

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