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## EDITORIAL COMMENT

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This issue of the International Journal of Legal Information marks the completion of my fifth year as editor. Much has happened around the world politically and economically during that time. On a more mundane level, the Journal has moved its base of operations from New Haven, Connecticut to Atlanta, Georgia; Board Members for our parent institution, the International Association of Law Libraries have come and gone, the IALL has hosted five fabulous annual courses, and overall, Legal Information in international contexts continues to change and evolve rapidly. The IJLI is right there, helping legal professionals to keep up with the changes. Thank you all – and thank you, IALL – for such a wonderful five years! I look forward to serving as editor into for the foreseeable future.

In addition to book reviews edited by **Thomas Mills**, and the International Calendar edited by **Aslihan Bulut**, this issue of the IJLI is full of interesting, useful material from around the world. Leading off the slate of seven articles is **Ginevra Peruginelli's** assessment of accessing information across borders. Her article is followed by **Roy Sturgeon's** reflections on teaching legal research in China. **Sasha Skenderija** introduces us to major themes in preserving digital legal information, and **Ben Beljaars** has written a fine piece challenging us to implement programs of teaching legal information literacy.

The IJLI would hardly be complete without a bibliography. IALL Board Member, **Uma Narayan**, provides a very useful guide to basic Indian legal literature, geared specifically for a non-Indian readership. **Surya Tripathi, Anshu Singh, and Dipa Dubez**, also from India, have written an article on the important subject of Internet governance. Finally, we have an article from a colleague in Nigeria, **Olayinka Akinwumi**, who writes about implementation of the Child Right Act 2003 in Nigeria.

As you can see, we have authors from all over the world represented in this issue. It's what helps make the IJLI different from other publications, and such a challenge and such a *pleasure* to edit. Enjoy this issue of the IJLI!

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