Editor's Note: March 2019

This is an important note since it serves as the transition of Editorship of the IJCA as I (Fred Harris) hand off the journal to Dr. Gordon Lee. I have served as editor for the past 5 years and Dr. Lee will be serving as the editor for the next year or so as the journal transitions to another long-term editor in the near future.

It has been my distinct honor, pleasure and privilege to serve as the Editor-in-Chief of the International Journal of Computers and Their Applications (IJCA). I have a special passion for the International Society for Computers and their Applications and I look forward to continuing to assist with ISCA Conferences.

We would like to begin this volume by giving a review of this past year. In 2018 we had 28 articles submitted to the International Journal of Computers and Their Applications. We currently have 5 that are still under review. As a reminder, the journal will not be accepting articles that are less than 6 pages. The authors of these papers will be encouraged to submit their papers to ISCA conferences.

We are still working towards getting IJCA online. Hopefully we can end up with a nice repository soon.

I (Dr. Gordon Lee) look forward to working with everyone in the coming years to maintain and further improve the quality of the journal. I would like to invite you to submit your quality work to the journal for consideration of publication. I also welcome proposals for special issues of the journal. If you have any suggestions to improve the journal, please feel free to contact me.

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This year we have 4 issues planned (March, June, September, and December). We begin with a special issue from the best papers at the ISCA Fall 2018 SEDE Conference, followed by a special issue from CAINE 2018. We have a proposal for the best papers from the ISCA Spring Conference cluster (CATA/BICOB) which will appear in the December issue. The other issue is being filled with submitted papers.

I would also like to announce that we have begun a search for a few Associate Editors to add to our team. There are a few areas that we would like to strengthen our board with, such as Image Processing. If you would like to be considered, please contact me via email with a cover letter and a copy of your CV.

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