

## ANNOUNCEMENT

From 1 January 2008, Professor Brian Lees will take over from Professor Peter Fisher as Editor for *IJGIS*. Professor Lees will be familiar to authors and subscribers as the journal's Western Pacific Editor, a role which Brian will continue for the immediate future.

Brian is Professor of Geography at the School of Physical, Environmental and Mathematical Sciences at the University of New South Wales at the Australian Defence Force Academy. He has also been appointed as an Adjunct Professor in the State Key Laboratory of Resources and Environmental Information Systems (LREIS), Institute of Geographical Sciences and Natural Resources Research, Chinese Academy of Science, Beijing, and also as a Member of the Australian Academy of Science National Committee for Geography.

We should wish to take this opportunity to thank Peter Fisher for a tremendous job over past years, and for developing the journal into a highly successful, highly ranked and prestigious publication within the GIS research communities.

We welcome Brian to the role, and are delighted that Pete will remain on the journal's Editorial Board.

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