Editorial

It is a matter of pleasure to publish volume 9, no. 1 of *Dristikon*, the annual multidisciplinary peer reviewed research journal. Its publication is arranged by the Research Management Cell (RMC), Mahendra Multiple Campus, Dharan. The journal and the articles published in it follow the basic requirements of a peer reviewed publication laid down by University Grant Commission, Nepal.

Almost all the scholarly and research articles published in the journal undergo the editorial peer review process prior to publication. It ensures their international standard. The goal of the peer review process is to make sure that the valid article is accepted, the messy article cleaned up, and the invalid article rejected. The board of editors has accepted the articles that have been revised following the reviewer's recommendations. All the articles submitted for publication are subjected to rigorous single blind peer review to ensure its quality before it gets published. Authors' scholarly works undergo critical scrutiny by experts in the same subject to check for scientific validity, relevance and accuracy.

Following the necessary corrections and additions resulting from the review process the twenty-one accepted papers have been included into the issue covering the specific areas of Nepali, English, Sanskrit, Economics, Political Science and Management. The researchers who are pursuing their research work in these areas will be benefited from this issue.

Articles included in this journal have been received from inside campus and other institutes and university which were arranged in accordance with the alphabetical order of the author's name in Roman and Devanagari separately. Articles and comments are solicited from the intellectuals, readers and observers to make the journal qualitative. The cooperation extended by scholars and institutions in publishing this journal is highly appreciated.

We are grateful to the peer reviewers for their valuable comments and suggestions. The editorial board heartily thanks all the writers who have contributed research articles. We would also like to give special thanks to the Campus Chief Mr. Damodar Bhandari for his constant support in terms of finance and administration for the publication of this journal.

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