

**WANTED:  
CO-EDITOR FOR *INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF SOCIAL RESEARCH METHODOLOGY***

The *International Journal of Social Research Methodology* (IJSRM) is entering its 15<sup>th</sup> successful year, edited by its founding editors, Professor Julia Brannen and Professor Rosalind Edwards. As the first step in a three-year handover of IJSRM to new editors, we are seeking an additional co-editor to start from October 2011 on.

The new co-editor will need to have:

- expertise in quantitative methods alongside an interest in qualitative methods, and be of some standing in the methodological field in general;
- some relevant editorial and/or journal experience;
- good organizational skills, and a commitment to regular online working;
- an excellent command of English for publication.

The new co-editor will work alongside Professors Brannen and Edwards, and the IJSRM administrator, to be introduced to and gradually gain experience of the tasks associated with editing IJSRM, including:

- Identify referees for manuscripts and oversee the peer refereeing process
- Assess submitted articles and referees' comments on those articles
- Agree decisions on submitted articles and draft feedback to submitting authors and to referees
- Assess the quality of submitted guest edited special issues and provide guidance to guest editors
- Liaise regularly with the IJSRM reviews editors
- Liaise with the IJSRM editorial board, and provide annual reports for the annual meeting.
- Liaise regularly with the IJSRM editorial and production team at Routledge
- Generally promote the IJSRM and ensure its high quality reputation

We would expect to recruit a further co-editor once the new co-editor has gained experience, enabling a staged hand-over of the editing of IJSRM.

The IJSRM has an active international editorial board, and has been accepted by the Social Science Citation Index (impact factor pending). There is a budget for reasonable expenses associated with its editing.

Information about the Journal, its distinctive aims and remit, and so on, can be obtained from its website: <http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/tf/13645579.html>. You may also contact the editors for further details at: [social-research-methodology@hotmail.com](mailto:social-research-methodology@hotmail.com).

To be considered for the role of additional co-editor, please send a CV and statement of relevant experience and commitment to the IJSRM administrator, Alice Edwards: [social-research-methodology@hotmail.com](mailto:social-research-methodology@hotmail.com).

Short-listed applications will be assessed by the IJSRM editorial board at their annual meeting in September, and applicants will be informed of the outcome as soon as possible thereafter.