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From the Editors

This issue of the *Journal of Greek Linguistics* is a special one, edited by guest editors Corien Bary and Rob van der Sandt, and containing seven studies on Ancient Greek linguistics as well as a brief introduction by the guest editors. As a journal of Greek linguistics, *JGL* is open to contributions on all stages of the Greek language. In the past, we have had more submissions dealing with recent stages of Greek, but we see this issue as an opportunity to make clear that *JGL* is committed to the goal of covering the whole history of Greek.

This is our second special issue, the first one being *JGL* 10.2 (Autumn 2010) on Conversational Analysis. We would like to reiterate our interest in including such thematic issues from time to time inside our regular schedule of two issues per year. One more is already being planned, and we welcome proposals from prospective guest editors with ideas about themes to cover in Greek linguistics.

In addition to the papers edited by the guest editors, we have a response to a review published in a previous issue and a reply to that response. We wish to make it clear that reviewers are asked to give their opinions about the books they are reviewing, and in publishing a review, the journal is not endorsing that opinion. Still, if the author of the book wishes to respond, *JGL* allows a short (two pages, maximum) response, as well as an even shorter (one page, maximum) reply by the reviewers. The editors of *JGL* reserve the right to monitor such texts for appropriate and discreet content.

We would like to thank the guest editors for bringing together such an interesting and useful collection of papers. We also thank our editorial assistant, Deborah Morton, and the people at Brill for help with the technical side of the production of this issue.

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