Message from the Editor

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A couple of *EDGJ* initiatives are underway. One will be looking at the composition of the *EDGJ*'s review board. The purpose is to ensure that the composition of the review board is consistent with the mission of the EDGD and the *EDGJ*. If it is not, there may be a need to recruit reviewers to round out the composition of the review board to ensure we have the necessary expertise to service the Division and the *Journal*.

Kathy Holliday-Darr, the *Journal's* Circulation Manager and Treasurer, is in the process of scanning editions of the *Engineering Design Graphics Journal*, the *Journal of Engineering Drawing*, and the *Journal of Engineering Drawing*. The latter two are predecessors of our current journal. Once they're scanned, we'll begin uploading them to the online *EDGJ* site so they can be view. We'd welcome some help uploading the files.

Nicholas Bertozzi, the Division's Director of Communications, is in the process of reformatting the Mid-Year Conference Proceedings—see http://edgd.asee.org/conferences/proceedings.htm We're in the process of getting the proceedings indexed by the Education Resources Information Center.

What's being read? From Sep 26, 2010 through Apr 1, 2012, the top five most frequently viewed feature articles published in the online version of the *EDGJ* are the following:

- Carol M. Lamb and David G. Kurtanich's Drafting the Basics with 2,477 page views—see http://www.edgj.org/index.php/EDGJ/article/viewFile/8/7
- Sheryl A. Sorby's Developing 3-D Spatial Visualization Skills with 2,473 page views—see http://www.edgj.org/index.php/EDGJ/article/viewFile/126/122
- Theodore J. Branoff's Spatial Visualization Measurement: A Modification of the Purdue Spatial Visualization Test Visualization of Rotations with 1,382 page views—see http://www.edgj.org/index.php/EDGJ/article/viewFile/145/141
- H. K. Ault's Cam Design Projects in an Advanced CAD Course for Mechanical Engineers with 904 page views—see http://www.edgj.org/index.php/EDGJ/article/view/17/16
- Daniel M. Chen's Application of 3D CAD for Basic Geometric Elements in Descriptive Geometry with page 761 views—see http://www.edgj.org/index.php/EDGJ/article/viewFile/138/134

We continue to welcome suggestions for improving the Journal.