

Editorial

The most striking change concerning *Biologia, Bratislava*, which you can immediately see when browsing the recent journal Issues, is the larger format. Yes, actual January 2005, i.e. starting the 60th jubilee volume, the journal has adopted the format of American Letter instead of the format B5. It was decided so in a good belief that this progressive change will lead to further improvement of the journal's quality.

A few following words of general interest will concern the editorial process, supplement Issues, charges, and the web-edition of the journal. The “accepted to rejected” ratio 1:1 announced in the section Cellular and Molecular Biology in the year 2003 was, in fact, kept also for the manuscripts received in the year 2004 (exactly in % 56:44). This would not be possible to achieve without a generous and hard work of our reviewers whose names are listed below. Our special and sincere thanks go to them!

With regard to supplements, two Issues are scheduled for publication this year: Supplement No. 16, based on the 2nd *Symposium on the Alpha-Amylase Family*, and Supplement No. 17, based on the 9th *Interdisciplinary Slovak-Czech Toxicological Conference*. The list of all supplements published in *Biologia, Bratislava* as well as the details on those edited by the section Cellular and Molecular Biology, can be found on the vacant even pages of the present Issue.

As far as the charges are concerned, the carriage charge of 40,- € was introduced in January 2003. Moreover, although there is no page charge for the first six printed pages, actual January 2005, authors of accepted manuscripts are assessed a page charge of 25,- € per printed page for each page over six. The colour charge is 150,- € per colour figure/page for the year 2005. The instructions on how to pay for will be sent to the corresponding author in time of correcting the proofs. All the relevant charges have to be paid for at the proofs stage. The corresponding author will receive 30 reprints, one complimentary copy of the journal issue, and a PDF file of the publication.

Finally, I would like to write a few words about the web-edition of *Biologia, Bratislava*. The journal has finally its own web-site (<http://biologia.savba.sk/>) common for all the three sections where you can find the issues from 2004 and the supplements. The older archive Issues are accessible at the previous web-sites of the individual sections.

Last but not least I would like to thank all members of the Editorial Board of our section for their work and support, and all the authors for their manuscripts. And since our journal is celebrating its 60th jubilee, please do not hesitate and submit your next manuscripts to *Biologia, Bratislava*, section Cellular and Molecular Biology!

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