

Editorial

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Dear readers,

We welcome you to the first issue of the year 2019, our 42nd volume of *Revista Colombiana de Estadística-RCE* (Colombian Journal of Statistics). We would like to start thanking authors, readers, committee members and referees for all the effort doing an excellent work. This has allowed our journal to continue publishing very interesting work.

The impact factor of the RCE according to Scimago is actually 0.36 and has been growing in the last years. In the Colombian classification Publindex (Índice Bibliográfico Nacional de Colombia) the journal has category B of the four possible categories (A1, A2, B, C). This index has been revised in 2017. The Redylac index has been revised in 2018 and the RCE has been accepted based on the new standards in 2018.

In the present issue we are again publishing articles that range over several areas of theoretical and applied statistics. All the articles show theoretical and methodological advances combined with the analysis of simulated or real data. Most of the articles are related to new modelling and estimation techniques for innovative distributions.

The submission process continues to be completely carried out through our web service (<http://www.revistas.unal.edu.co/index.php/estad>). This has allowed us to improve the efficiency of the revision and publication procedures.

We hope you enjoy this issue and invite you to continue reading and submitting your work to *Colombian Journal of Statistics*.

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