

EDITORIAL

I would like to draw the attention of my colleagues at the universities to the fact that research and other scholarly articles published in the Journal are, since its recognition in July 1988, now eligible for the research subsidies of the Department of National Education.

Although we can now satisfy the needs of the academics it is equally important that practitioners do not, in the process, perceive the journal as 'elitist'. The Journal aims at serving the interest of academics and practitioners alike and I would like to appeal to my colleagues in practice to continue sending contributions to the Journal.

Finally I would like to refresh your memories on the possibility of 'theme' contributions focusing on specific planning issues - as noted in the editorial of the April 1986 issue of the Journal. Any suggestions regarding theme topics and the names of those you may feel could be approached to contribute, would be most welcome.

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REDAKSIONEEL

Ek wil graag die aandag van my kollegas aan die universiteite vestig op die feit dat navorsings- en "geleerde"-artikels wat in die Tydskrif gepubliseer word, sedert Julie 1988 vir die navorsingssubsidie van die Departement van Nasionale Opvoeding in aanmerking kan kom.

Alhoewel ons die behoeftes van die akademiëci nou kan bevredig, is dit ewe belangrik dat praktisyns nie onder die wanindruk verkeer dat die Tydskrif in iets 'elitis' ontaard het nie. Die Tydskrif se oogmerke is om na die belange van beide akademikus en praktisyn om te sien en ek wil dus 'n versoek aan my kollegas in die praktyk rig om hul bydraes soos in die verlede voort te sit.

Ek wil u laastens herinner aan die moontlike 'tema' bydraes wat op spesifieke beplanningsvraagstukke sou fokus - soos in die redaksie van die April 1986 uitgawe genoem. Enige voorstelle, aangaande tema-onderwerpe en diegene wie u meen genader kan word om bydraes te lewer, sal verwelkom word.

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Die doel van die tydskrif is om 'n doeltreffende kanaal daar te stel vir die bevordering van die wetenskap en kuns van stads- en streekbeplanning en stedelike ontwerp om die kruisbestuwing en uitruil van praktiese ondervinding en navorsing tussen praktisyns, akademiëci, navorsers en verwante dissiplines te stimuleer.

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