



JSSJ : 12 issues... what's next ?

Our journal *Justice Spatiale / Spatial Justice* will soon be 10 years old. The members of the editorial committee are proud they collectively created so many opportunities to engage, always in two languages, with a large public : more than 800,000 readers throughout the world for our 11 issues (the twelfth is under preparation), all of them open access and screened according to the most exacting standards. These issues presented different articulations of academic debate, critical thought and ethical stances, regarding cities, the environment, governance, technical systems... The reading in terms of spatial justice proved welcome to many researchers, teachers, activists and local actors, in France and internationally.

We would love for this to keep going. But a number of constraints are increasingly being felt. Our completely voluntary work and implicit public funding (via lecturers' and professors' time, support from our research groups and universities to translate papers) are reaching breaking point. The editors, after years of fascinating and ever-changing work, have decided to step down, and if possible hand over their responsibilities. We will write further, in the introduction of our twelfth issue, about the reasons for this decision, many of them to do with the recent transformations of our academic world.

There are two options: either the journal could stop completely, or it could be taken over by a new team mobilized around the question of spatial justice. The second is of course the one we favour. This is therefore an open call for a takeover, and we will happily accompany a transition and transformation of the journal.

If you would like to play an active part in this new start, please get in touch with the current editors **before the end of September 2017** :

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