

Editorial

Acta Chemica Scandinavica now Invites Manuscripts on an International Basis

The original purpose of *Acta Chemica Scandinavica* was to provide a journal in which Scandinavian chemists could publish their scientific contributions. This was in 1947, at a time when most journals were published by national societies and restrictions on authorship were prevalent.

Acta Chemica Scandinavica has, since its foundation, practised a limitation on manuscripts; normally only those received from Scandinavian authors or based on work carried out in any of the Scandinavian countries have been considered for publication.

Times have changed, and the Board of Management of *Acta Chemica Scandinavica* has now decided to alter this policy. Henceforth we invite manuscripts on an international basis. There will be practically no change, however, in the appearance of the journal or in its editorial procedure, and Munksgaard International Publishers will continue to produce the journal.

In connection with the change, the Board has established an International Editorial Advisory Board of *Acta Chemica Scandinavica*, consisting of highly respected scientists from the chemical research community. We look forward to cooperating with them in seeking to maintain the high quality of the journal.

The most important asset of a journal is a body of skilful, dedicated and productive contributors whose work is appreciated by the international research community. Over the years, *Acta Chemica Scandinavica* has become established as a widely distributed journal, available at most scientific libraries in the world. We can therefore invite with confidence new authors from all countries to join our present authors and so continue to make *Acta Chemica Scandinavica* a highly visible and respected journal.

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