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It is my great pleasure to introduce to you the exciting new policy journal *Asia and the Pacific Policy Studies* and the Society that supports the Journal.

Asia and the Pacific Policy Studies is the flagship journal of the Crawford School of Public Policy at The Australian National University. The Journal aims to break down barriers across disciplines and generate policy impact. It will provide a crucial online space for scholars and policymakers to engage in issues of foremost importance in public policy.

The Journal is supported by a distinguished editorial team, drawn from across various disciplines from Australia, the region and the world.

I would also like to tell you a little about the Society that supports the Journal. The Asia and the Pacific Policy Society reaches out to a community of scholars and policymakers by establishing a membership-based association. The Society is one of the first international associations to link groups working across disciplines on the key economic, political, governance, development and environmental issues in the Asia and the Pacific region.

In addition to linking scholars and policymakers, the Society harnesses and positions the most up-to-date research on the region within the mainstream of public policy. Major contributors to scholarship and policy will be appointed as Fellows to further enhance the capacity of the Society. I am pleased to report that we now have over 30 distinguished Fellows from all over the world.

Crawford School is proud to welcome AusAID as a partner on this important project and gratefully acknowledges their generous support.

The success of these significant developments for scholarship and public policy will largely depend on your support. I look forward to your participation in the Society and engagement with the Journal.

Yours sincerely,



Professor Tom Kompas

Founding Editor-in-Chief, *Asia and the Pacific Policy Studies*

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Asia and the Pacific Policy Studies is a peer-reviewed, multidisciplinary journal that targets research in policy studies in Asia and the Pacific, with a discipline focus that includes governance, economics, political science, development and the environment. Specific themes of interest include health and education, aid, migration, public administration, climate change, energy, the environment, food policy, the role of the private sector in public policy, trade, foreign policy, natural resource management and development policy.

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Asia and the Pacific Policy Studies is supported by an international association called the Asia and the Pacific Policy Society.

The Asia and the Pacific Policy Society reaches out to a community of scholars and policymakers throughout the region and the world by establishing a membership-based association. The Society is the first international association to link groups working across disciplines on the key economic, political science, governance, development and environmental issues in the Asia and the Pacific region.

The standing of the Society is reinforced by the membership of distinguished Fellows comprising leading academics and policymakers from around the world.

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The goal of the Journal is to break down barriers across disciplines, and generate policy impact. Submissions will be reviewed on the basis of content, policy relevance and readability.

Submission guidelines:

- Papers on a range of topics that speak to various disciplines, the region and policymakers are encouraged.
- Submissions will be reviewed on the basis of content, policy relevance and readability.
- The acceptance criteria for all papers are the quality and originality of the research and its significance to policy relevance.
- All manuscripts are peer reviewed and considered for publication by both an Editor and the Editor-in-Chief.

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