

Publications

Biology Education for Social and Sustainable Development (ISBN: 978-94-6091-925-1) was published in 2012 by Sense Publishers, Rotterdam, Netherlands (<http://www.sensepublishers.com/>). Some papers presented at **the 23rd Biennial Conference of the AABE** which was held in Singapore in October 2010 were compiled in this book by Dr. Mijung Kim and Dr. C. H. Diong. You can refer to the abstracts of these papers in **the sixth volume of the *Asian Journal of Biology Education*** (2012).

Biology Education and Research in a Changing Planet (2015) (ISBN 978-981-287-523-5) was published by Springer (<http://www.springer.com/in/book/9789812875235>). Some papers presented at **the 25th Biennial Conference of the AABE** which was held in Malaysia in October 2014 were compiled in this book by Dr. Esther Gnanamalar Sarojini A Daniel. The abstracts of these papers were included in **the eighth volume of the *Asian Journal of Biology Education*** (2015).

From the Editor-in-Chief

At first, we planned to publish this issue, the twelfth volume of the *Asian Journal of Biology Education* (AJBE), at the end of this year, 2020, because the 28th Biennial Conference of the AABE (AABE28) was planned to be held in Tianjin, China, in October of this year and the conference report of AABE28 would be included in this issue. However, because of the COVID19 pandemic, the conference had to be postponed, possibly until October 2021. Therefore, this volume is published a few months ahead of schedule without including the AABE28 conference report, though there are only three reports on biological resources.

During last two years, the manuscripts contributed to AJBE have been reviewed by the following persons as well as the Editorial Board members: Dr. Hideo Kitano (Tokyo Gakugei University, Japan), Professor Kim Kyounggho (Gongju National University of Education, Korea), Dr. Fumi Nakanishi (Tokyo Gakugei University, Japan), Dr. Danny Ng (The Chinese University of Hong Kong, China), Dr. Jason Orozco (Philippine Normal University, Philippines), Dr. Takayuki Sato (Hirosaki University, Japan), and Dr. Shigeyoshi Watanabe (Kumamoto University, Japan). I am very thankful to them for their efforts to review the manuscripts.

Everyone can contribute their research paper, practical report, or a report on biological resources to AJBE. So, I would like to ask the readers to prepare their manuscripts referring to the "Instructions to Contributors" and send them to me.

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