From the Editor

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We are delighted now to be published online and fully open access through the University of Pretoria’s Open Journal System,¹ as well as through SciELO, and Sabinet. We are already working with a strong stream of submissions for publication next year. As detailed in the ‘Guidelines to Authors’ published with this issue, from 2022 we will be implementing a more streamlined referencing system.

Julie Parle

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¹. [https://upjournals.up.ac.za/index.php/historia](https://upjournals.up.ac.za/index.php/historia)