

Editorial

As **Economic Theory** enters its fourth year of publication we are pleased to announce some changes which we think will help advance the scope of the journal. Commencing with this issue **ET** will become a bi-monthly rather than a quarterly journal. This is a significant step for us, and, let me assure you, we are committed to maintaining our high standards of excellence as we increase the size and number of our issues. The volumes will be increased from one to two each year with three issues in each volume. This expansion will allow us to include some excellent work which we have not been able to accommodate previously in a timely fashion.

The publisher, editors, and I express our gratitude to the readers and authors for their overwhelming support and contributions. We look forward to the new challenges and to bringing our readers the best and most comprehensive publication in theoretical economics.

This issue of **ET** is devoted entirely to experimental economics. The symposium on *Designer markets: laboratory experimental methods in economics* was organized by our guest editor Professor Charles R. Plott, California Institute of Technology. **ET** expresses its thanks to him for the editorial processing of the papers.

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