Message from the Chairman

Welcome to the fall issue of the HETS Online Journal,

I am delighted to present the fall issue of the fifth edition of this publication. With this issue the journal welcomes new editor in Chief, Pamela Vargas. Vargas has been actively involved in the HOJ, since its inaugural issue on October 2010, as a member of the Editorial Board. Along with her, we will like to welcome and congratulate on their designation as members of the Editorial Board to: Dr. Marzie Jafari, Dr. Naydeen González De Jesús, Prof. Ana Milena Lucumi, Dr. Ernest Gil Clary, Mr. Sunil Gupta, Prof. Manuel Correa, Mr. Carlos Guevara, Mr. Edgar González, Dr. Juan "Tito" Meléndez, and Pura Centeno.

We are also proud because, since its third edition, the journal is being included in EBSCO Publishing's databases. EBSCO Publishing caters to the information needs of researchers at every level by providing the content to bring the latest and best information to researchers. The HETS journal has been characterized because it addresses relevant topics impacting technology and Hispanic Students; this issue is not an exception. Our readership includes researchers, scholars, students and organizations who are interested in technologies, higher education and the Hispanic population. The journal also highlights the use of technology to improve pedagogy. It is only through publications such as the HETS Online Journal that we can focus a wide spotlight on the good work that is being done by our colleagues.

It is my sincere hope that you share the link to our journal with your colleagues. Should you have an innovative technique or would like share your knowledge and experience in technologies impacting higher education, please **consider submitting an article** for spring edition **on or before April 17, 2015**.

My sincere gratitude to Dr. Ivonne Chirino, former Editor-in-Chief, and members of the first Editorial Board: Dr. Howard Wach, Dr. Robert Whittaker, Dr. Carlos Morales and Ms. Alyson Vogel, for accepting the challenge of reviewing and selecting the articles for the past four years. We would like to recognize the hard work, commitment and dedication of all of its members.

I hope you find our fall issue both informative and interesting.

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