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## LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

It is with great pleasure that I present to students, faculty and friends of the Philosophy, Politics and Economics major the third issue of SPICE. The staff selected these five articles based on the quality of the work, the interesting nature of their content, and the diversity of their topics. As the major continues to grow in excellence and popularity, we trust that the journal will serve as a reminder of the wide range of areas of concentration within the Philosophy, Politics and Economics department.

The production of this journal has been an effort of many individuals. This year, as in prior ones, we received many quality examples of undergraduate work. We thank those who submitted articles for their interest. I am also grateful to this year's staff of editors who have committed a lot of time during the past months of selecting articles, editing them and working on the journal's design. I am particularly proud of this year's staff for their dedication to the project despite long-distance communication and numerous other academic and extracurricular commitments.

Lastly, the rest of the board and I are very grateful to Dr. Sumantra Sen. His assistance provided steady encouragement throughout the entire process.

The board and I hope that you enjoy reading the following articles. It is our wish that they stimulate further dialogue both within and beyond the major.

Sincerely,

Caroline Repko  
Editor-in-Chief