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EDITOR-IN-CHIEF'S REPORT TO THE BELMAS AGM: JUNE 2024

Submissions

151 manuscript submissions in 2023 (96.1% increase from 2022 – see table below)

30% acceptance rate in 2023 (down from

30 days average time to first decision in 2023

Year	Submissions
2021	107
2022	77
2023	151

Impact Factor

MiE received its very first impact factor of 1.3 in 2022. This is a significant achievement for the journal and further evidence of its continued growth and evolution. Following a brief period in Q1 in 2022, the journal is now in the Q2 category. Thanks to the Editorial Board, SAGE colleagues, and all who write, and/or review, for the journal. The 2023 Impact Factor is expected in late June.

UK Editorial Board

Amanda Heffernan, Livia Jesacher-Roessler and Niamh Hickey all joined the editorial board in 2023. Thanks to Joan Mowwat and Gillian Allcroft who stepped down from the board after many years loyal service to yhe journal.

MiE 'board choice' Paper Awards 2023

BELMAS and SAGE support the *MiE* 'board choice' award. There were five eligible papers for the award in 2023. Congratulations to Marjolein Zee, Fadie Hanna and Debora L. Roorda for their winning paper, Principal–teacher relationships: Dimensionality and measurement invariance of a measure for primary and secondary school teachers.

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Dr. Paul Armstrong

MiE Editor-in-Chief
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