

2018 *Plant Science Bulletin* Editor's Report

1. General Information about *Plant Science Bulletin*

The *Plant Science Bulletin* continues to publish three times a year. Now in its 64th volume, the *PSB* continues to serve as the voice of the BSA and one of its strongest historical records.

All issues are available in print and online in PDF format. The most recent issue is also available in an online flip-book. The current issue, the archive of all previous issues, and the list of books available for review are available at <http://cms.botany.org/home/publications/plant-science-bulletin.html>. Electronic submissions may be made to the Editor at psb@botany.org or via the link found on the website.

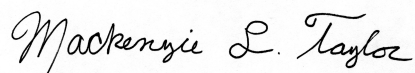
2. Editorial Support and Regular Contributors

I want to especially recognize Richard Hund, Johanne Stogran, and Beth Parada for their significant contributions to each issue of *PSB*. I also thank Amy McPherson, Rob Brandt, and the rest of the BSA staff for editorial and website support, as well as the members of the editorial committee: Kathryn LeCroy, Melanie Link-Perez, Shannon Fehlberg, and David Tank. Finally, I thank the authors, peer reviewers, and book reviewers who contributed over the past year, especially regular contributors Catrina Adams (Education News and Notes); Kal Tuominen, Krissa Skogen, and Ingrid Jordon-Thaden (Public Policy Notes); Amy McPherson (Publications Report); and James McDaniel and Chelsea Pretz (Student Section).

3. Highlights from 2017-2018

- Since the last report, three issues have been published: Fall 2017 63(3), Spring 2018 64(1), and Summer 2018 64(2). These issues include:
 - three peer-reviewed articles
 - two editor-reviewed articles
 - four regular contributed sections (Education News and Notes, Public Policy, Publications Report, Student Section)
 - three in-memoriam articles
- 24 book reviews by 15 different reviewers were published in seven topic areas; 24 books were sent out for review from 6/2017 to 6/2018.
- BSA staff play a critical role in the production, layout, and editing of the *PSB*. Whereas *AJB* and *APPS* are officially under the Wiley umbrella, we will continue to self-publish the *PSB*. With Wiley's online platform, however, we look to incorporate the *PSB* into the publications hub beginning in Q3/Q4 of 2018 and to pursue digitization the back file of the *PSB*.

Respectfully submitted,



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