

EDITORS' STATEMENT

In our editorship's second year, we have continued the policy of encouraging review articles as well as grouping reviews by theme when appropriate. The only addition is the list of "Books Received" appearing at the end of this issue. This list includes all books we have received which we have not yet reviewed. Some are currently out to reviewers, and some will be sent to reviewers in the near future. We hope that most of the list will be reviewed in the next issue; however the list may serve immediately as a useful reference for our readers.

We wish to thank our editorial advisors, especially Galen Hull and Harold Marcus who have completed their terms. We also welcome Sandra Barnes at the University of Pennsylvania Anthropology Department who has recently become an *ROB* editorial advisor.

We continue to welcome expressions of interest from new reviewers and invite those interested to send us a vita and a statement of their interests. While we do not accept unsolicited reviews, persons wanting to review specific titles for *ROB* should contact us. Also, we invite reviewers to send us suggestions for review articles; these should include three or more recent books sharing a specific theme which will be discussed, compared and evaluated in the review article.

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