Welcome from the SURG editor

The ninth SURG issue is here! As usual, we continue our tradition of presenting top-quality research from undergraduates across our campus.

Guelph students continue to investigate an amazing array of topics. Here, you'll find articles on cryptozoology as a pseudoscience, medical anthropology and garment industry globalization. Students also studied the Ontario safe streets act, First Nations' treaties, property rights in India and the political ecology of the Maoist movement in India. Other topics include light pollution, biogas as an energy source and bioventing. This issue also features a special series highlighting an environmental law case study on a proposed quarry development.

I'd like to thank the student researchers, faculty supervisors, reviewers, journal advisors and our readers. I'd also particularly like to thank all members of our editorial team; their exceptional contributions have helped make SURG great. We look forward to maintaining SURG as a favourite venue for sharing undergraduate research.

Sincerely,

Robert Fieldhouse
Editor-in-Chief