

## Editor's Notes

This first issue of Volume 35 brings us back to the home terrain of *Analytic Teaching and Philosophical Praxis*, with all five articles dealing squarely in concerns central to the meaning and prospects of Philosophy for Children. That said, the real impetus for the current issue lies on the shoulders of Natalie Fletcher who took the initiative at the last NAACI conference, held in Quebec City at the Université Laval last summer (2014), to encourage participants to submit their papers to the journal. Thanks largely to her efforts we managed to get together enough quality submissions to proceed with the current issue, one that I'm sure you'll enjoy.

The five articles published here provide a nice range of approaches to PFC, some of which explore the larger historical context of alternative pedagogies while others document the challenge of implementing PFC in the classroom. Kennedy's article on "Dialogic Schooling" inaugurates the issue and looks at the complicated yet fascinating genesis of dialogical schools as a longstanding alternative to traditional, state enforced education. Natalie Fletcher's contribution "Body Talk, Body Taunt" offers a new and intriguing read on the corporeal complexity embodied in the community of inquiry. Abdul Shakour Preece and Adila Juperi bring us up to date on the many challenges that come with trying to integrate PFC in Malaysian schools, "Philosophical Inquiry in the Malaysian Educational System."

Next up is Eva Marsal's piece "Socratic Philosophizing with the Five-Finger Model," which provides a rich example of Ekkehard Marten's contribution to PFC through the lens of a simple but instructive game called Distance and Closeness. Finally, the impressive research of Colom, Moriyón, Magro and Morilla round out issue one in their engaging study, "The Long-term Impact of Philosophy for Children: A Longitudinal Study."

Collectively, the five articles assembled here, along with two book reviews on Gardner/Leask and Kohan, give a timely glimpse into the rich and evolving world of PFC.

Let the revolution continue!

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