

Call for Applications: Co-Editor-in-Chief, Canadian Journal of Physics

The [Canadian Journal of Physics](#) is looking for a new co-Editor-in-Chief to lead one of Canada's longest-running physics journals.

The journal

The *Canadian Journal of Physics* reports significant advances in physics research. A community-focused journal, *CJP* welcomes submissions from all physics specializations, with particular focus on interdisciplinary work. Special issues on highlighting research associated with particular researchers, institutions, and growing fields are also published.

The role

The Co-Editor-in-Chief is responsible for securing quality journal content, shaping editorial priorities, and guiding journal development. This involves:

- working with the publisher on journal direction and strategies to attract high-quality content and enhance the journal's reputation;
- building relationships and working with journal stakeholders to expand author and reviewer pools that include more diverse voices and perspectives;
- appointing and working with an editorial board that represents the diverse disciplines and populations the journal serves: Editors-in-Chief triage and make final decisions on submissions, Associate Editors handle manuscripts through peer review; and
- holding the journal to a high standard of peer review and ethical best practice in research and reporting.

What we're looking for

The ideal Co-Editor-in-Chief for *CJP*:

- is an active researcher of international stature
- has research interests and expertise that complement continuing co-EIC Dr. Merkli's focus on mathematical physics, for example: experimental physics, atomic physics, etc.
- will be a champion for the journal to help strengthen and grow the journal towards emerging topics, with a commitment to outreach to new, previously excluded, or untapped communities;
- will work constructively with the co-EIC and the editorial board to advance the goals of the journal
- has editorial experience and is familiar with trends and norms of scientific journal publishing, including peer review, research integrity, and publication ethics;
- shares the publisher's goals to advance open science and to promote equity, diversity, inclusion, and accessibility (EDIA) within the board, journal, and field;

- is an effective and tactful communicator; and
- can dedicate time on a regular basis to a thriving journal.

The Co-Editors-in-Chief reports to the Executive Editor-in-Chief at Canadian Science Publishing.

Applications should include:

- Full CV
- A letter (maximum 2 pages) including:
 - a summary of your editorial experience and why you are interested in this role
 - a brief description of your vision and goals for the journal over the next few years, including how you would build on the journal's success and how you would promote EDIA principles within the journal

Applications and nominations are due by October 1.

The term will begin in November 2024, and the length of term is negotiable.

Applications and nominations should be sent to Jenny Crick at jenny.crick@cdnsiencepub.com