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### Editorial report 2010

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## Editorial board meeting

Welcome everybody,  
Rhiannon Rees, Marketing Manager,  
Wiley-Blackwell

### Agenda

- ❖ Editorial report 2010
- ❖ Preliminary results 2011
- ❖ Editorial Policy
- ❖ Discussion / Suggestions

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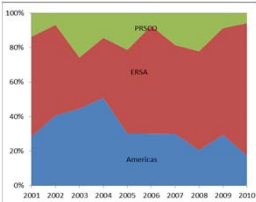
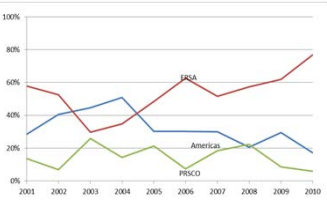
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## Publication stats by region

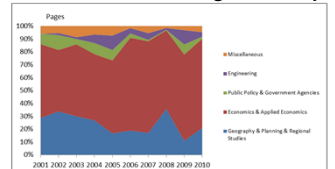
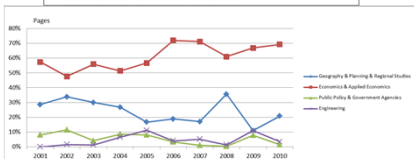



2010 (2009): 77% (62%) from Europe;  
17% (29%) from Americas and 6% (9%) from Pacific


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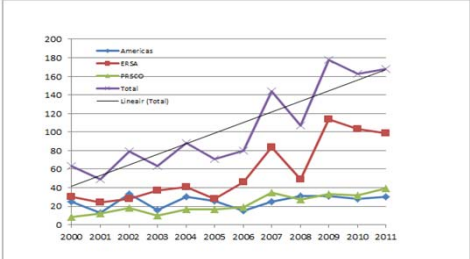
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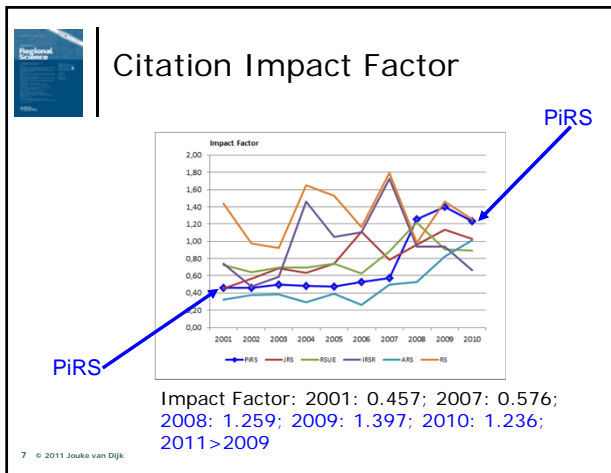


## Submissions by region



Submissions 2008: 107; 2009: 178; 2010: 163;  
2011: 1 Nov 140, 168 in 12 months

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- ### Martin Beckmann Prize 2010
- ◆ The fifth Martin Beckmann Award for the best article published in Papers in Regional Science in 2010 is awarded to:
  - ◆ Maarten Bosker and Harry Garretsen for their article 'Trade costs in empirical New Economic Geography' published in August 2010, Volume 89, Issue 3, 485-511 and to Akihiro Otsuka, Mika Goto and Toshiyuki Sueyoshi for their article 'Industrial agglomeration effects in Japan: Productive efficiency, market access, and public fiscal transfer' published in November 2010, Volume 89, Issue 4, 819-840.
  - ◆ The jury: Masahisa Fujita, Jean H. Paelinck, John M. Quigley and Jouke van Dijk (Chair)
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- ### Special Issues
- ◆ Issue #2, 2011: Thomas Brenner, Uwe Cantner, Dirk Fornahl, Martina Fromhold-Eisebith and Claudia Werker, 'Regional innovation systems, clusters, and knowledge networking'
  - ◆ Issue #2, 2012: Andreas Stephan, Albert Solé Ollé and Timo Väilä, 'Productivity and financing of regional infrastructure'
  - ◆ Issue #2, 2013: Uwe Blien and Stefan Fuchs, 'Regional economic and labour market policies: Concepts, results and challenges'
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- ### Editorial policy
- ◆ Keep quick turnaround time on first submissions at  $\pm 3$  months average
  - ◆ Keep impact factor  $\rightarrow 1$
  - ◆ Attract higher quality submissions
  - ◆ Publish accepted papers in print within one year (now 6.3 months) and on Early View within 6 months (now 1.8 months)
  - ◆ Acceptance rate: < 30% (now 29%)
  - ◆ Answer emails of (guest) editors, authors, reviewers and Wiley by the Editorial Office on average within two days, but most of the time within 24 hours.
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### Discussion / Suggestions

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