

Editors' Note

Volume 5 of the JCSLS, focuses on changes and developments within the profession. The papers by Gina Conti-Ramsden, David Crystal and Dee Dyar are based on presentations given at a conference to celebrate 25 years of the education of speech and language therapists in Ireland (1969-1994), held at Trinity College Dublin, September 29th - 30th 1994. Continuing the theme of professional development, the paper by Mondelaers and Coets-Dehard outlines the similarities and differences within our profession across the EU. We are pleased to note the continued development of the Discussion Papers section of the Journal. We would encourage readers to respond to the issues raised and contribute to this section, so that it fulfils its role as an interactive forum.

As always, this issue of the journal would not have been possible without the support and co-operation of our colleagues, reviewers and editorial assistants. To them all, we extend our sincere thanks.

M.S. & I.W.