Editorial

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Dear readers,

We welcome you to the first issue of the 47th volume of the *Revista Colombiana de Estadística* (RCE). Once again, I deeply thank authors, reviewers, and you, our esteemed the readers, for your unconditional support during all these years. As always, I extend my special thanks to *Patricia Chávez*, who leads our editorial processes and so many issues involving the Journal.

I would like to remind you that the Journal has available official social media accounts in LinkedIn at `www.linkedin.com/in/revcoles` as well as Facebook at `https://www.facebook.com/revcoles`. Please, keep follow us! Also, I wanted to remind you that we have updated our submission policy. Authors just need to submit their articles in PDF format (no particular template is required for submission), now in either English or Spanish language!

Recall that the RCE is a biannual publication, aimed at disseminating knowledge, results, applications and reviews about any topic in Statistical Science. This particular number has eight articles covering a broad spectrum of theory and applications, including noninvasive DNA sampling, Topp-Leone, Poisson-Tweedie, and ORRT models, synthetic and exponential estimators, the Bayesian ANOVA, and the epidemiological curves.

I would like to take this opportunity to tell you that I served as adviser for a remarkable work entitled "Analysis of Research in the Colombian Journal of Statistics", carried out by *Ariadna Sofia Contreras Abril,* submitted in partial satisfaction of the requirements for the degree of Statistician at the *Universidad Nacional de Colombia.* The purpose of this work is to uncover relational patterns in citation relationships using all the articles published in the entire history of the RCE, in order to demonstrate the evolution of academic network of both authors and the articles that cite each other from 1968 to 2023.

The study involved 527 articles, which after being processed using natural language techniques, helped creating a database with 53,321 records. Using this

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database, several networks are constructed to characterize the temporal evolution and overall dynamics of the journal, which are analyzed using descriptive and partitioning network tools. All the data can be found in `https://github.com/Ariadna Abril/Analisis-de-redes-de-la-revista-estadistica-Colombiana`.

I hope you enjoy reading it as much as I did! Please continue reading and submitting your work to the Journal.

Kind regards,