

# International Journal of Business Communication

## Call for Editor

April 17, 2017

The Publications Board of the Association for Business Communication (ABC) is soliciting nominations for the Editor of *International Journal of Business Communication* (IJBC). Self-nominations are welcome.

*IJBC*, first published in 1963, is one of the oldest and most prominent research journals in the field of business communication. As an official publication of ABC, *IJCB* publishes peer-reviewed, rigorous original research that contributes to the knowledge and theory of business communication as a distinct, multifaceted field approached through the administrative disciplines, the liberal arts, and the social sciences. More details about the journal can be found online at <http://journals.sagepub.com/home/job>

The Editor serves for a four-year term that can be renewed. In that first term, the Editor has responsibility for publishing volumes 55-58 (2018-2021). To allow for a smooth transition, we ask the incoming editor to shadow and work with the current editor from July 1, 2017, or as soon as possible thereafter, until December 31, 2017. During that time, the incoming editor will learn about the journal and its submission, review, and publication processes. In addition, we will ensure that the incoming editor has an opportunity to meet the key staff at SAGE. Finally, if at all possible, the incoming editor will travel to Dublin (at ABC's expense) to meet the Board of Directors. The incoming editor's responsibilities will commence January 1, 2018.

The ideal candidate will:

- be an active member of ABC
- have made significant scholarly contributions in the business communication field
- have substantive experience as a reviewer and/or editor of scholarly work
- be knowledgeable about and have respect for the variety of disciplinary and methodological perspectives in business communication
- be able to work constructively with authors, reviewers, and the Publications Board
- be committed to advancing the reputation of *IJBC* by publishing high-quality issues and promoting the journal to various stakeholders

Please submit a nomination package including:

- a letter of application
- a current CV
- 2 letters of support from published scholars familiar with the candidate's scholarly work, editing experience, and/or suitability for the task of journal editing
- a letter of support from the candidate's home institution

Please send your nomination package no later than May 31, 2017 to Dr. Jason Snyder, Publications Board Chair ([jasonsnyder445@gmail.com](mailto:jasonsnyder445@gmail.com)). Review of packets will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.