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Issue 3 contains a similar mix of items to Issues 1 and 2. David Sedley provides a new interpretation of the passage in the *Theaetetus* usually taken to argue that radical flux results in the "collapse of language". Eduardo Mombello provides a logical analysis of a key part of the argument of Plato's *Phaedo*. Malcolm Schofield discusses two new books on Plato and politics, with sharply contrasting approaches, by Thanassis Samaras and Jean-François Pradeau. Pierre-Marie Morel discusses recent books by Francesco Fronterotta, on Platonic metaphysics, and by Luc Brisson, on a range of Platonic topics. Andrew Mason gives a report of the ongoing Archeologos Project, which is designed to provide web-based analysis and commentary on ancient philosophy, including Platonic works.

The presence of the article in Spanish by Eduardo Mombello, from Argentina, means that we have now had contributions in all of the five official languages of the International Plato Society, from scholars working in many parts of the world (North and South America, Europe, Japan). We hope that future issues of the journal will spread even further in the range of scholarly contributors. It has been a pleasure and privilege to have served as inaugural editor of this new web-based journal. I am delighted that Professor Gretchen Reydam-Schils (Program of Liberal Studies/Philosophy, University of Notre Dame, USA) has agreed to take over as editor from Issue 4. All future contributions should be sent to:

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We would both like to urge Platonic scholars to take up the opportunity to use this journal as a means of reaching a truly world-wide scholarly audience. Articles so published have a distinct publication home (the URL of the journal) and remain in the copyright of the contributor. The journal is especially suitable for shorter papers (up to 4,000 words) in which new ideas about Plato, the Platonic tradition or responses to Platonic scholarship can be communicated promptly to the larger academic community. All submissions are refereed (anonymously) by expert readers, including a native or fluent speaker of the language of the article. The deadline for submission of contributions is end of November 2003. If you would like to discuss with the next editor the suitability of the contribution you have in mind please consult her at any time.

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