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**Vice-President for Publications (Editor) Annual Report
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In April, 2007, the PSHA membership elected me to a two-year term as Vice-President for Publications (Editor). What follows is a summary of my activity in this office in the past year. I sincerely appreciate this opportunity to serve our association in this way. I welcome input from the PSHA membership about how to build upon the solid foundation of our publication.

Editor Contributions

Each quarter, I collaborated with the PSHA Office for the creation of the *Keystater*. I edited articles, as requested, which the PSHA Office forwarded to me for review. I also reviewed initial and final drafts of the *Keystater* and recommended revisions and corrections prior to duplication and dissemination of the publication. Many thanks to the staff of the PSHA Office, particularly Amy Caye, for their commitment to a quality publication, their conscientious attention to detail, and their considerate interaction with the Editor. Many thanks, also, to those who authored columns for the January 2007 edition: C. Coleman, N. Crawford, S. Hegel, L. Hu, and C. Molrine. Thanks to those who authored columns for the April 2007 edition: C. Coleman, J. Coleman, N. Crawford, C. Horowitz, L. Hu, and J. Wisely. Thanks, also, to those who authored columns or submitted news items for the July 2007 edition: L. Cimino, C. Coleman, N. Crawford, P. Harrington L. Hu, and J. Wisely. Many thanks to those who authored columns for the October 2007 edition: C. Coleman, N. Crawford, C. Horwitz, C. Molrine, C. Richburg, B. Siegenthaler, and J. Wisely. Many thanks, also, to those who authored columns for the January 2008 edition: C. Coleman, N. Crawford, C. Horowitz, E. Katzaman, C. Molrine, M. Swanger, and J. Wisely. Each of you, in your own way, contributed to the mission of the *Keystater* as an educational resource for our membership that helps to equip our membership to be the best possible clinical service providers for those with communication disorders. At the present time, I continue the process of compilation of lists of potential columns to incorporate into the *Keystater* on a scheduled basis, as well as lists of potential authors to address the issues raised in these columns, as well as in invited articles. At the present time, I continue the preparation of a proposal for the potential revival of a previous PSHA Publication that would provide an outlet for scholarly activity, with a focus upon student contributions.

Author Contributions

In April 2008, I presented a PSHA Convention session entitled, "From Concept to Column: the PSHA Publication Process." This was directed toward potential *Keystater* authors. I also authored or co-authored articles for the *Keystater*: "Ideas for Instruction: The PSHA Convention as a Teaching Tool" (January 2007); "Ideas for Instruction: Teaching Clinical Ethics by Enhancing Critical Thinking" (April 2007); "Ideas for

Instruction: Teaching Clinical Evaluation Methods by Enhancing Critical Thinking” (July 2007); “Ideas for Instruction: Teaching Clinical Treatment Methods by Enhancing Critical Thinking” (October 2007); “The Use of Popular Literature to Enhance Clinical Education and Clinical Practice” (January 2008); “Popular Literature for Clinical Education and Clinical Practice: An Introduction to Resources” (April 2008).