

## Editor's Note

Though falling short of the initially planned scale and coverage, we were finally able to publish this international Journal. This owes to the people of the editing countries and support by the participants in the 2004 Seminar.

This was the first international journal that the NISE edited and published. We would like to apologize for any inconveniences that we may have caused in relation to the contribution guidelines, requests for manuscripts and materials and forwarding methods and procedures.

By utilizing the experiences gained from the publication of the first issue of JSEAP, we would like to simplify the procedure related to the forwarding of the manuscripts etc. and make efforts to further enrich the contents of the Journal. We are also looking forward to your frank opinions and comments.

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