EDITORIAL

I am pleased to welcome Richard Lisle (University of Wales, Cardiff), as a new Associate Editor of the *Journal of Structural Geology*. Richard began his duties on 1 November 1990, in preparation for the vacancy left by John Platt when he steps down at the end of April 1991.

I should like to take this opportunity to thank John Platt for his 8 years as an Associate Editor of JSG. He has been a superb editor for scores of regular papers, and also for two Special Issues: Thrusting and Deformation (1986) and Australasian Tectonics (1990). John has been a source of great strength and support to me, during my 5 years as JSG's Chief Editor, and I shall be sorry to see him leave our editorial team. He will, however, continue to be involved in the Journal, as a member of the Editorial Advisory Board.

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