

## *A Note from the Managing Editor*

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This number closes out Volume 8 of *Computing Systems*. As has become customary, it is time for Dave Presotto and me to proffer our thanks to those who serve on the Editorial Advisory Board, for their advice and for their willingness to sacrifice many hours to better the submissions to this journal; to Jim Rees, who served as Program Chair for the Second USENIX Symposium on Mobile and Location-Independent Computing, and as Guest Editor for this issue; and to those readers who do not serve on our Board: Brian Bershad, Fred Douglass, Stu Feldman, Bob Flandra, Larry Huston, Mike Powell, Jonathon Shapiro, and Bjarne Stroustrup.