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American Archivist Editor Report:  
May 3–August 3, 2011  
(Prepared by: Editor Mary Jo Pugh)

**Graphic Redesign**  
For the Fall/Winter 2011 issue (Vol. 74, No. 2), we are using the existing layout. The redesign project will be discussed at the Editorial Board meeting in Chicago and transferred to the new Editor.

**Readership Survey**  
The full report on the survey conducted in Spring 2010 is being published in the Fall 2011 issue as a contribution to Professional Resources. The text is available on request.

**Web Presence for Reviews**  
Reviews Editors Amy Cooper Cary and Danna Bell-Russel along with Teresa Brinati and Jenny Schooley created a Web space for reviews. A draft was circulated for comment to the Editorial Board in July. The Reviews space was launched in August at http://www2.archivists.org/american-archivist-reviews.

**American Archivist Occasional Online Supplement**  
The American Archivist Editorial Board is launching an online-only supplement to the journal, envisioned as a place for the occasional publication of guest-edited supplements to the journal to accommodate thematic or other special content. It is expected, in all but exceptional cases, that content in these occasional supplemental issues will undergo the same rigorous peer and editorial review as articles in the regular issues. In conjunction with the work of the SAA 75th Anniversary Task Force, Bill Landis will edit the inaugural American Archivist Occasional Online Supplement scheduled to appear as a supplement to volume 74 of the American Archivist in late 2011. It will capture the content of program sessions that the 2011 Program Committee identified as relevant to the 75th anniversary celebrations at the ARCHIVES 360˚ conference in Chicago, August 22-27.

**Other Activities**  
I attended the annual meeting of the Association of Canadian Archivists in Toronto in June.

**Volume 74. 1, Spring/Summer 2011**  
This issue of 362 pages was posted online on July 9, 2011. I received my print copy in California on August 2, 2011.
**Volume 74. 2, Fall/Winter 2011**
The content for this issue, estimated at 300 pages, has been sent to the graphic designer for layout. Page proofs will be sent to authors and the copy editor in early August. The issue is scheduled for publication for 15 November 2011. The table of contents is at the end of this report.

**Volume 75. 1, Spring/Summer 2012**
I will assemble content for this issue and send it to the copy editor on 1 November so that it will be ready for the new Editor, Greg Hunter, to take over production beginning 1 January.

**Review process May 3–August 3, 2011**
- Papers received and acknowledged: 13
- Papers accepted: 2
- Papers rejected: 4
- Papers pending review: 13
- Papers read and evaluated before submission: 0

**Papers and Pages (5.5 years: January 1, 2006, through June 30, 2011)**

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