On the Review

*Helsinki Law Review* is published and edited by Finnish undergraduate law students. Its primary purpose is to provide Finnish law students with a forum for practicing their skills in academic writing and assessment as well as an opportunity to follow and participate in the work of their peers and seniors.

The Review is currently planned to be published twice a year. The Review is prepared to publish articles and other contributions in Finnish, Swedish and English. English Abstracts are provided for content not fully written in English. At the present, the Review is not available for subscription, and printed copies are distributed for free.

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From the Editors

As the first undergraduate-staffed law review in Finland, *Helsinki Law Review* seeks to encompass contributions from all branches of law. Again we can be proud of the variety of articles in this issue of the Review. Even with limited visibility, we received submissions from three different universities and the topics ranged from competition law reform in Finland to a scholarly assessment of a recent Finnish Supreme Court decision. All our articles can now be found from our recently launched website at www.helsinkilawreview.fi.

It is our intention that the Review will not only serve as a forum for all law students and scholars who are interested in practicing their skills in academic writing but that it will also form an integral part of the legal education at the University of Helsinki. Once again, we are grateful to the many people who made this possible: the referees who remain anonymous but yet find the time to give constructive critique, the writers who patiently revise their papers under tight deadlines and especially the Faculty members and the people at law firm Dittmar & Indrenius, our sponsor, who have encouraged and had faith in us from the very beginning of the Review. The Editors truly appreciate this help.

Finally, we encourage all students and scholars to keep sending their submissions to us. As always, we look forward to reading them.

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