## **EDITORIAL NOTE**

For this special issue of the *Philippine Statistician*, we feature invited articles, most of which deal with statistics education. The first article reveals results of a review done by professional statisticians on locally-authored elementary statistics textbooks. Second and third articles discuss profiles of academic programs in Statistics and the faculty teaching Statistics in the Philippines, respectively. The fourth article chronicles the development of the Philippine Labor Index (PLI). Also in this issue is a collection of abstracts of master theses.