Editorial

We are thrilled to bring you this eleventh volume of *Constitutional Court Review* (*CCR*). The volume emerges from CCR's first virtual conference in December 2020, which attempted to create an oasis of intellectual community in a time of social and academic isolation.

CCR is the project of many colleagues, collaborators and institutions. Five editors formed the Volume-Specific Editorial Committee (VSEC). The VSEC is charged with putting together and running the conference and then guiding the edition into print. Each VSEC editor is then specifically responsible for a set of articles, including a final proof-read of these articles. The VSEC works within the broader lively *CCR* editorial body. We are deeply grateful to all the *CCR* editors for the hard work and incisive engagement. Every article in this edition has been through a rigorous review process, which stems from extensive editorial engagement and robust peer reviewers for their careful and insightful reviews. We are grateful to our Editor-in-Chief, Stu Woolman, whose inspired vision created *CCR* and who is tirelessly committed to ensuring the high quality of the journal. A deepfelt thank you, too, to David Bilchitz, for extensive support and unstinting counsel throughout this process.

We are so grateful to the Konrad Adenauer Stiftung (KAS) who have provided generous assistance to *CCR* since its inception. KAS has supported us with the production costs of the journal. This is greatly appreciated, not least because it enables emerging academics to publish their work. We are especially grateful to the outgoing Resident Representative for South Africa, Henning Suhr and project manager, Nancy Msibi, for their continued support of the journal.

CCR XI has been enriched through the relationship with our publisher. We are deeply grateful to Jane Burnett, Publishing Editor of NISC, for her endless patience and proficiency in producing this edition of our journal, and to the NISC copyediting team for their meticulous attention under significant time pressures. We also thank Mike Schramm, Managing Director of NISC, for great support of the journal and efforts in extending its global reputation and footprint. Thank you for providing *CCR* with our publishing home.

CCR's lifeblood is our authors. This edition features an outstanding range of articles from established academics, practitioners and young scholars, all of whom are vital for *CCR*'s ongoing relevance and success. Thank you for dynamic conference presentations, openness to engagement and working to tight deadlines.

And finally, we are indebted to our readers. We hope that you will find the articles in *CCR* XI provocative in all the best ways!

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