

## **Appeals Policy**

Appeals of editorial decisions are considered by the Editor-in-chief. To appeal a decision, a written letter must be submitted explaining the reasoning behind the appeal. The Editor-in-chief reviews all appeals, and the editorial office will issue a definitive response within two weeks of receipt. Decisions of the Editor-in-chief are final. In the case of a conflict-of-interest for the Editor-in-Chief, an Associate Editor without a conflict-of-interest will render a final decision.