

THE YALE LAW JOURNAL

EDITORIAL

The editors of Volume 1 founded *The Yale Law Journal* during what they described as a period of “remarkable transformation” and “inexorable change” for both the Yale Law School and the legal profession.¹ One hundred and fourteen years later, the *Journal* continues to evolve along with the academy and the profession. While full-length scholarly works remain at the center of legal debate, students, professors, and practicing lawyers are increasingly turning to the Internet to read about, and comment on, developments in the law. With this trend in mind, the editors of Volume 115 have launched *The Pocket Part* (<http://www.thepocketpart.org>), an online companion to the *Journal*. With *The Pocket Part*, the *Journal* hopes to combine the strengths of both print and online media, broadening the readership of traditional legal scholarship while enriching the dialogue among the academy, bench, and bar.

Legal publications often contain “pocket part” supplements with up-to-date information and commentary. *The Pocket Part*, available exclusively online, will play an analogous role. It will feature op-ed length versions of *Journal* articles and responses from leading practitioners, policymakers, and scholars. *The Pocket Part* will also serve as a forum for our readers and authors to discuss legal scholarship. In addition, we will continue to provide full access to electronic versions of our print content.

The print edition of the *Journal* remains—and will remain—the focus of our efforts. We have fully redesigned our print edition, giving the *Journal* a more professional look while incorporating design elements from the *Journal*’s past. We hope that you enjoy these improvements, and we thank you for your continued interest in our publication.

1. Editorials, 1 YALE L.J. 30, 30-31 (1891).