

FROM THE EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Dear Readers,

It is with great pleasure that I present to you issue 3/2025 of our journal. You will notice that we now have a new, clear and transparent website design, compliant with the most up-to-date standards for scientific journals. We hope that it will meet the expectations of Authors, Reviewers and Readers alike.

Issue 3/2025 consists of two parts.

Part I is inspired by Professor Tadeusz Wiśniewski PhD, DSc, justice emeritus, Justice of the Supreme Court between 1990 and 2016, Kozminski University professor, and a member of the Scientific Council of the Critique of Law. We are grateful for the many years of his scholarly consultations and contributions that have accompanied the journal's development, as well as for his involvement in many review processes.

This part begins with an introduction by Professor Joanna Studzińska, PhD, DSc, Head of the Division of Civil Procedure at Kozminski University. It features contributions from Professor Wiśniewski's colleagues, friends, and students. The articles address mainly current issues in civil procedure law.

Part II brings together a variety of articles, most of them dealing with administrative law, but also contributions concerning the digitalisation of law and the interplay between politics and law. These texts come from professors representing four countries. In addition to the contributions from Poland, we are pleased to present thought-provoking articles by distinguished scholars from Kosovo and Ukraine.

This issue also includes an invitation aimed at researchers to submit article proposals for two forthcoming special issues of our journal.

The first will appear as issue 3/2026, with the working title *Crises*.

The second is set to be published as issue 4/2026 and has been given the working title: *Academia and Culture Wars – Ethical, Legal, and Empirical Perspectives on the Freedom of Expression of University Teachers Today*. This issue will be developed in editorial collaboration with scholars from the University of Wrocław.

Although submissions for both issues are open primarily with lawyers in mind, we will also be pleased to publish original contributions from researchers exploring other social sciences – from both Poland and around the world.

I do hope you find issue 3/2025 highly enjoyable and inspiring.

We also look forward to receiving new, original articles addressing the most pressing problems of law and the rule of law in the 21st century.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all Reviewers from Poland and abroad, whose contribution to the quality of this journal is truly invaluable.

Prof. Jolanta Jabłońska-Bonca
Editor-in-Chief of “The Critique of Law”
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