

GS Editors' Note

With Issue 3(2) we present our first Special Issue (SI) for Global Summitry (GS). It is reflective of the Journal's focus that our first SI directly targets global summitry, and in this instance, the German G20 Summit in Hamburg. With the help of our colleagues at the German Development Institute (DIE), especially Julia Leininger and Axel Berger, but also the then Director of DIE, Dirk Messner, and also the President of the Kiel Institute for the World Economy, Dennis Snower, we were able to examine many of the policy initiatives that occurred during the German hosting of this G20. We also explored the changes wrought in the G20 agenda and policy outcomes with the appearance of the Trump Administration.

Our design in preparing this first SI was to identify a subject that we expected our readers would have a desire to explore in greater depth, a subject of significant importance to global governance and global summitry. We anticipate that with some planning we will be able to produce periodically, other SIs that will provide a thorough and deeper examination of global governance and global summitry issues. In fact, we are already in the early planning stages of another SI, this on the Liberal Order and its travails. We would be very interested in hearing from you on other SI subjects that you believe would be valuable for Global Summitry.

From the Senior Editors

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