

## EDITORIAL BOARD SPECIAL SECTION

### Minority Sites and Situations: English Language Studies in an Age of Evolving Intelligences

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Above all, this Special Section stands as testimony to the dedication of the journal's editors and reviewers to cultivating a culture of reciprocal scholarly commitment and engagement.

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