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BSRLM Chair's report 2018-19

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The executive has met three times with many extra meetings of subgroups to resolve website issues. Many thanks are due to them and especially Marie Joubert for the extra hours of work and their perseverance. Many thanks are also due to the outgoing members, the Online communications co-ordinator, Pete Wrig

ht and the Publications officer, Fiona Curtis for all their hard work. 2021 vacancies will be for a Secretary, Membership Co-ordinator and Conference Organisers.

Publication: Review of BSRLM Conference Proceedings 2003 to 2017

BSRLM commissioned a team from Brighton University, led by Rachel Marks, to write this review, which identified areas of focus and those with a lack of papers. The recommendations have been discussed at subsequent conferences and by the executive committee, with possible developments identified.

The Janet Duffin Award criteria were changed last year, following discussion at the Open Forum, so members were invited to vote for an RME article *from the ones which you have read that you consider to have the most significance for you.*

This was intended to encourage more members to vote, without having to have read all the papers in all issues, which resulted in a moderate increase in voting, managed by the online communications co-ordinator. The award went (rather embarrassingly) to Julie Alderton and myself for [Teaching mathematics to lower attainers: dilemmas and discourses](#). The award was presented by Amanda Hobson, Janet Duffin's daughter and the family have made generous contributions in order to continue the award.

BSRLM Honorary Award

We are delighted to announce that the next honorary award, which provides life membership of BSRLM, will be presented to John Mason, for providing decades of consistent and outstanding service to research in mathematics education in the UK, including consistent support for BSRLM. The award will be presented to John at the spring conference 2020 in Cambridge.

Sue Gifford**October 2019**