

### **JOURNAL ACHIEVES MILESTONE**

The staff of the Journal of Cave and Karst Sciences is very proud to announce that the *Journal of Cave and Karst Studies* has been accepted by the Institute for Scientific Information (ISI) for coverage in the following ISI products beginning with vol. 65(1) 2003:

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*Web of Science*  
*Research Alert*

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### **EXPLORATION EDITOR NEEDED BY JCKS**

The *Journal of Cave and Karst Studies* seeks a new Associate Editor for Exploration. The responsibilities of the Associate Editors include soliciting articles, arranging for appropriate reviews of papers in their fields of expertise, working with authors to prepare their manuscripts for publication, making recommendations concerning acceptance and rejection of submitted papers, and assisting the Editor in gathering material for the non-refereed section of the *Journal*. Advice from the Associate Editors, along with the *Journal's* Advisory Board, is commonly solicited on editorial policy decisions.

The *Journal* desires a pro-active caver with contacts in the cave exploration community and experience with scholarly publishing. Interested candidates are asked to send a letter of interest by September 30, 2003 to the editor at: LHose@cemrc.org.



### **NCKRI SCIENCE COORDINATOR**

**NEW MEXICO INSTITUTE OF MINING AND TECHNOLOGY** seeks a NCKRI Science Coordinator to provide science coordination, leadership, and scientific direction for the National Cave and Karst Research Institute located in Carlsbad, N.M. Reports to NCKRI Director on issues pertaining to science advancement goals, funding strategies, and scope of NCKRI science activities. Master's degree required; Ph.D. preferred subject relevant to speleology. Familiarity with at least one aspect of speleological science required. Familiarity with more than one aspect of speleological science desired. Must be familiar with the cave and karst scientific community. Familiarity with the general scientific community desired. Ability to write well required. Experience with grant proposals to agencies and private foundations desired. Experience as college faculty member and teaching at college level desired. Good verbal communication ability required. Transcripts required. Applicants should send a resume, transcripts, and the names, email addresses and phone numbers of three employment references to: New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology, 801 Leroy Pl., Human Resources Wells Hall Box 93, Socorro, NM 87801. For information about New Mexico Tech, visit our web page <http://www.nmt.edu/>. E-mail applications **NOT** accepted. AAEOE

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### **HELP WANTED - JOURNAL OF CAVE AND KARST STUDIES EDITOR**

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The *JCKS* is published three times annually during April, August, and December. It is the refereed, multi-disciplinary publication of the National Speleological Society accepting papers on cave and karst related research. The Editor's responsibilities include maintaining the level of scientific integrity with the eight associate editors (Life Sciences, Conservation, Exploration, Earth Sciences/Journal Index, Paleontology, Social Sciences, Anthropology, and Book Reviews), confirmation of publication via the Production Editor and interfacing with the nine member Advisory Board. The *JCKS* Editor submits and is responsible for an annual budget and reports to the Executive Vice President at least three times per year. *JCKS* annual meetings are generally held during the NSS Convention.