**Forthcoming Special Issues**

**Tinnitus: Theories and Practical Approaches**  
Pawel J. Jastreboff, Jonathan Hazell, Ross Coles  
Starting from the current status in tinnitus research; the papers will show the actual as well as expected benefits for tinnitus diagnosis and treatment.

**Automatic Detection of Auditory Evoked Potentials**  
Bernd Lütkenhöner, Pedro Valdés-Sosa  
The issue will comprise the most recent advances in objective detection of evoked potentials and their application to the objective, frequency-specific assessment of the auditory threshold.

**Molecular Genetics in Hearing Research**  
Matthew C. Holley, CM. Rivolta  
The papers will show how hearing research has been helped by molecular techniques and how it is likely to benefit from them in the future. They will be written in plain English to be understood by a wide readership including scientists, clinicians and students.

**Event-Related Potentials in Clinical Audiology**  
Valeria Csépe, Risto Näätänen, Nina Kraus  
Event-related potentials (ERP) play a decisive role in psychophysiology. However, although auditory stimuli are most frequently used in psychophysiological studies, ERP techniques have been introduced into clinical audiology only very slowly.