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We look forward to working with the active and vibrant members of the International Advisory Board, Editorial Board, extensive reviewing panels, and contributors to make JMIDS an accessible and leading outlet for high quality academic, theoretical, and practical research in all areas of management information and decision sciences, and their relationships to cognate disciplines.

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