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Goodbye, EM Practitioners

IT IS WITH GREAT SADNESS THAT WE SAY GOODBYE TO YOU TODAY. Our time chronicling the life of ASEM Practitioners, the EM practitioner's nation, and the EM world, is over. Tens of men and women have worked at this ASEM Practice Periodicals since Susan Murray and Ean Ng were tasked produced its first volume of the third incarnation in Minneapolis on October 4, 2013, and published on December 1, 2013. We speak, we believe, for all of them, when we say that it has been an honor to serve you. To have reaches this day, the final edition of the ASEM Practice Periodicals, just 243 days shy of its third birthday, is painful. We will scatter. And all that will be left are the stories we have told, captured in digital archives. But what was present in the periodicals then and has remained to this day is a belief in this community and the people who make it what is has become and what it will be. We part in sorrow because we know so much lies ahead that will be worth telling, and we will not be there to do so. We have celebrated life in ASEM communities, praising its way, but we have warned, too, against steps we thought were mistaken. We have always been part of this special place, striving to reflect it accurately and with compassion. We hope ASEM-ers will remember this periodical fondly from generation to generation, a reminder of ASEM's history – the ambitions, foibles and virtues of its founders and those who followed. We are confident that you will build on their dreams and find new ways to tell you story. Farewell – and thank you for so many years together.



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