EDITORIAL PREFACE

Modeling Abounds

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In this issue each of the four research articles’ highlights the use of modeling in geography. These include modeling studies focusing on malaria risk in the Zambezi Basin, Zimbabwe (Ohemeng and Mukherjees), emergency evacuation from Galveston, Texas (Chen), spatial accessibility to pediatric primary care services (Nieves), and terrain analysis using unmanned aerial vehicles (Wiseman and van der Sluijs). These studies illustrate the diverse range of studies open for geographic exploration. The list of potential applications (problems) within the domain of geography is limitless, and here, modeling opportunities abound as evident in the above-mentioned studies. This issue concludes with a research commentary by Anderson Medalist Barry Wellar titled, “Review and Implications of the AutoCarto Six Retrospective Project.”

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