This issue of the *International Journal of Technoethics* focuses on: Technoethics, Cyborgs, and Robotics. Technology has long been a core aspect of the human condition because humans are technical by nature. The recent revolution in human enhancement technologies and sociable robotics offer great promise for augmenting human identity and social life within society. While some of these enhancement technologies such as prosthetic limbs and caffeinated beverages are publically accepted, other enhancement technologies, such as genetic engineering, neural implants, and sociable robotics have generated heated debate. But what makes some enhancement technologies acceptable and others not? Part of the challenge in dealing with this category of technology stems from their close connection to human life and the values attached to it. This raises serious ethical and social issues concerning the use of enhancement technologies and sociable robotics to alter human beings and the meaning of life in fundamental ways. What threats do human enhancement technologies and sociable robotics pose for the future of human identity, human rights and dignity? How could human enhancement technologies and sociable robots threaten humanity and what it means to be human? What are the boundaries of appropriate technological dependencies for humans within contemporary society? Where do we draw the boundary between acceptable and unacceptable human enhancements/augmentations? What ethical codes and policies are needed to regulate current and future developments in human enhancement technologies and sociable robotics? These are some of the pivotal questions raised by the selective collection of articles included in this special issue.

It is the hope of the guest editors that this special issue will pave the way for future contributions to the *International Journal of Technoethics* in some of the following areas of research interest:

- Artificial morality in artificial agents
- Ethical debates on cyborgs and humanoids
- Techno-addiction and ethical interventions
- Ethical debates on human enhancement technologies (genetic, mental, physical, cosmetic)
This issue of the *International Journal of Technoethics* centered around the connection between Technoethics, Cyborgs, and Robotics. Conceptions of human identity and values within a technological society are changing as new technological advancements offer opportunities for augmenting human identity and life through a variety of human enhancing technologies. The following selective readings of Technoethics, Cyborgs, and Robotics is intended to provide a primer for current research on the changing landscape of human identity and values within a technological society. An extensive search of this interdisciplinary research area, covering 2002-2012, provides a selective base of current research to help guide further work in this area. The bibliography presented below is the result of a multi-tiered search of sources from library databases, Internet searches, professional associations, research group discussions, and consultation with experts working in the domain. Following close examination of over 500 sources, 100 sources were selected for inclusion based on publication date and the relevancy of the article content to the research topic covered. The resulting bibliography helps raise awareness concerning the growing body of research on Technoethics and human enhancement as well as providing direction for future research.

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