This issue of the Croatian Political Science Review is somewhat different from the issues already published this year in Croatian (Politička misao, Vol. 52, issues 1, 2 and 3) and from the last year’s English edition of CPSR (Vol. 51, issue 5). It is the first joint-issue of this journal since 2008 (Vol 45, issue 3/4). The reason for publishing a joint-issue is not in the lack of good articles – which should be obvious from the contents of this issue. In circumstances of an ever-increasing number of academic journals, we are particularly proud of being named the most-read journal in the area of social sciences in Croatia – in a competition of more than 140 journals in this field. In order to maintain high standards, and in the light of the large number of journals in the field, the Editorial Board has decided to switch to a quarterly rhythm of publishing, and thus to publish four, rather than five issues of the journal per year. We hope that by becoming a quarterly we can further improve the quality of the journal. As of next year (Vol. 53, 2016), The Croatian Political Science Review, as an English edition of Politička misao, will be published as issue 4, not 5, each year. The remaining three issues (1, 2 and 3) will, principally, be published in Croatian. The publication of this joint-issue is thus an announcement of this change.