



Dear Colleague,

### Clark Scientific Editing

It is my pleasure to recommend to you **Clark Scientific Editing** for the preparation of your manuscripts for submission to learned journals for publication. As an Editor of a respected journal I am very aware of the need to have papers written in plain and lucid English. There is nothing more likely to antagonise a referee than when the authors' meaning and intention are not clear and the referee is required to spend excessive time correcting the English. A well written paper will be published more quickly than one poorly written and speed of publication on-line or in hard copy is what we all want.

I have known Dr Clark for many years and we have worked together and published together. If you were to submit papers to her for editing you will be certain that she will meet your deadline. She has the writing skills to produce a manuscript which reads well, is written with clarity and is well organised. Dr Clark has a breadth of scientific knowledge to tackle manuscripts in most areas of science and in exceptional circumstances can seek expert advice if this is required. I can vouch for her exceptional expertise in the preparation of papers for publication, in particular her meticulous attention to detail, from those we have published together.

If you have a manuscript written in English, but which you know requires editing to bring it to an acceptable level for publication in a learned journal, you can be assured that Dr Clark has the skills and the experience to do that for you. I can guarantee that if your manuscript was subsequently rejected it would only be because of the science and not the presentation of the manuscript. Time and cost spent on expert editing compared with the cost of the science itself is but a drop in the ocean and well worth the expenditure. I recommend Dr Clark as someone having this expertise and guaranteed to bring papers to a level acceptable for submission to all journals.

Yours sincerely,

R.S. Phillips