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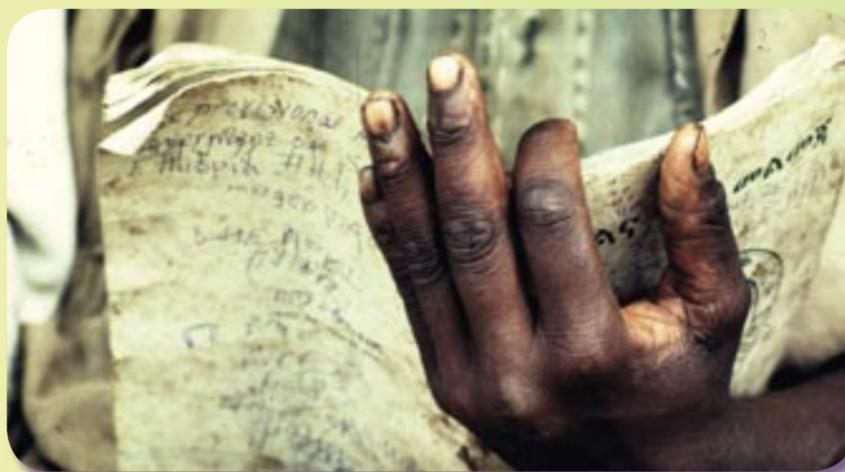


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Background information

For more than a decade the need for a new journal on Communication for Development and Social Change has been discussed within a number of academic and professional environments such as the Participatory Communication Research Section of the IAMCR, the International and Intercultural Division of the ICA, the UN-agencies Roundtable on Development Communication, the UNESCO-IAMCR Roundtables on Development Communication, meetings hosted by the Rockefeller Foundation, USAID, PAHO, the faocomm and worldbank online discussion forum and related initiatives.

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(a) To improve the prestige of the field of Communication for Development and Social Change in both academic and professional environments,

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