Preface

On October 31–November 2, 2003, the Integers Conference 2003 took place at the University of West Georgia in Carrollton, Georgia. This conference in combinatorial number theory was held in honor of Tom C. Brown, Professor Emeritus of Simon Fraser University, on the occasion of his 65th birthday. Professor Brown is a prominent number theorist and combinatorialist with many notable contributions to the area of combinatorial number theory.

The conference featured a total of thirty-nine invited talks, including four plenary talks by Ronald Graham, Melvyn Nathanson, Jaroslav Nešetřil, and Carl Pomerance. This volume includes sixteen refereed articles, which are expanded and revised versions of talks delivered at the conference.

The sixteen articles presented here are being published simultaneously as a special issue of the journal *Integers: Electronic Journal of Combinatorial Number Theory*, and they represent a broad range of topics in the area including additive number theory, Ramsey theory, elementary number theory, sequences, combinatorial games, enumerative combinatorics, and multiplicative number theory.

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