

EDITORIAL

Special Issue on the 1995 Hurricane Season

The *Monthly Weather Review* has been the primary journal of the American Meteorological Society to cover multiple aspects of hurricane research for many years. Most notably, summaries that recap highlights and observations of each hurricane season are published annually.

As we all know, the 1995 hurricane season was quite unusual. Due to the extreme number of hurricanes and associated storms in 1995, a greater than normal amount of research has been done relating to these events. Much of this research relates to new characteristics discovered about hurricanes through the use of instruments such as Doppler radars and newly updated and improved numerical models.

In view of the extremely unusual events that occurred during the course of the 1995 hurricane season, we believe that a special issue directly devoted to this phenomenal year of hurricanes should be considered for publication in the *Monthly Weather Review*. While we anticipate that many submissions will be related only to the Atlantic hurricanes of 1995, we invite all papers relating to the multiple hurricanes that occurred in both the Atlantic and Pacific during 1995.

Dr. T. N. Krishnamurti has agreed to act as guest editor for this special issue. We are glad for the opportunity to work closely with Dr. Krishnamurti once again. All papers submitted for consideration in this issue will go through the regular review process and will be handled specifically by Dr. Krishnamurti. Please send all submissions to Dr. Krishnamurti directly:

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Our desire is to see this published prior to the start of the 1997 hurricane season, so all submissions for this issue must be received in Dr. Krishnamurti's office **no later than 31 August 1996**.

We are proud to continue and extend our service as the primary journal for publication of innovative and cutting-edge research relating to hurricanes.

Peter S. Ray
Chief Editor