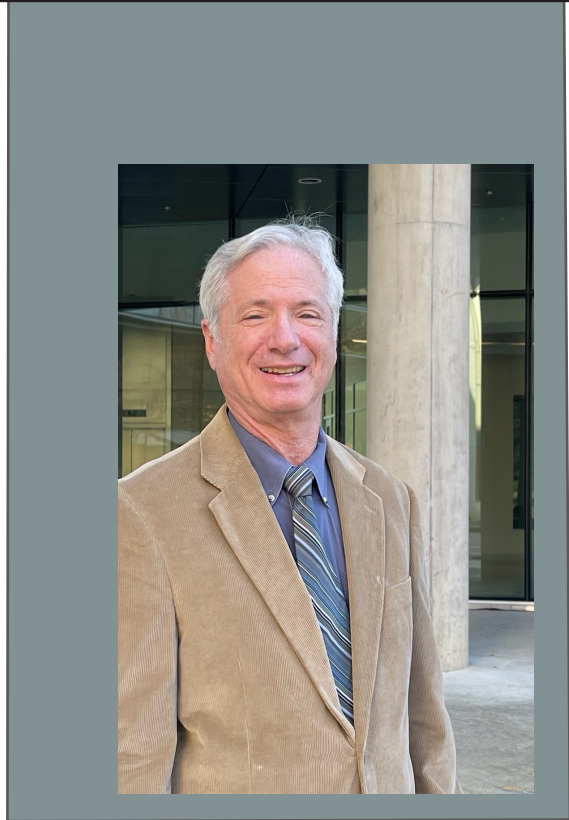


# LETTER FROM DR. GELLMAN



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Dear Stimulus Staff,

Congratulations to the *Journal* staff and the *Mavericks for Medical Humanities Club* for Volume 3 of the *Stimulus*! This is such a truly exciting and extraordinary opportunity for the UTA Community to share their creative passions. With the expanding role of robots and artificial intelligence in our world, and especially healthcare, the human touch and creativity have become more important than ever.

It has been very gratifying to participate in the growing *Medical Humanities and Bioethics* program at UTA. Expanding student and faculty interest have given credence to the importance of empathy and compassion in patient care. As the *science* aspect of medical care grows exponentially, it is equally important that we maintain the human connection in holistic care.

Thanks to everyone who has been part of this Journey toward creativity and humanistic care in medicine.

My mission statement for the program and reminder to all practitioners is always:

*"There's a person in there".*

Sincerely,

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