

## Issue in Honour of Robert Goldblatt

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It is a great pleasure to honour a fantastic logician and colleague, Robert Goldblatt. Rob's work should be very well-known to most readers of the AJL. He helped to develop modal logic and its Kripke semantics into a powerful mathematical theory. He has been a leading researcher in the project of connecting modal and other branches of philosophical logic to other fields in mathematics, in particular, algebra and category theory. In addition to writing a great many articles alone and a great many with co-authors, Rob has published seven books. His *Topoi* (North Holland, 1979), *Logics of Time and Computation* (CSLI, 1987), and *Mathematics of Modality* (CSLI, 1993) are classics (the last being a collection of some of his classic articles). *Topoi* and *Lectures on the Hyperreals: An Introduction to Non-Standard Analysis* (Springer, 1998) are very accessible introductions to difficult areas of mathematics.

Rob taught at Victoria University of Wellington from 1971 until his retirement in 2018.