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### *A note from our Chair, Nigel Nayling:*

CBA Wales/Cymru, which began as the Wales and Monmouth branch of the Council for British Archaeology in 1961, celebrates its fiftieth anniversary this year. To mark this anniversary, and the publication of this, the fiftieth volume of *Archaeology in Wales* (previously the CBA Wales Newsletter), one of the group's founding members, Dr. Frances Lynch, has been invited to submit an opinion piece reviewing her particular research interest in the megalithic archaeology of Wales. *Archaeology in Wales* has developed over the half century to include substantial research articles, shorter contributions, a gazetteer of archaeological investigations, an annual review of environmental archaeology, book reviews and a round-up of recent literature relating to Welsh archaeology. The journal has become an invaluable source of information for anybody working and/or interested in the field of Welsh archaeology or history. The inclusion of invited reviews or opinion pieces by scholars with a sustained interest in an aspect of Welsh archaeology will become the latest development in the ongoing evolution of our journal.

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