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New Editor of Journal of Pierre Fauchard Academy (India Section)

Greeting from the Centre for Dental Education and Research (CDER), AIIMS!

It is with great honour and excitement that I take the position of Editor for the Journal of Pierre Fauchard Academy (India Section). I am truly honoured to contribute to the continuation and development of this prestigious journal, one which has produced many high-quality and relevant papers in the field of Dentistry. At the outset, I would like to thank the editorial board, reviewers, authors, Elsevier publication house and our readers for their continuous support and contribution to make this journal a success. The office of the editor is extensively supported by my two colleague namely Dr. Kunaal Dhingra and Dr. Prabhat Kumar Chaudhari.

The journal has wide circulation among the dental professionals in India. The journal covers all the branches of dentistry and has wide variety of articles ranging from short communications to interesting case reports, literature reviews and original research articles. All the submitted manuscripts are being thoroughly reviewed in a double-blind process via Elsevier's Evise manuscript submission system in CDER, AIIMS.

It is clear for us that recovering the ability to publish the issues on time is the first big challenge that has to be faced by our Editorial Board, which implies the re-establishment of a healthy backlog of the submitted manuscripts. This is an essential criterion for re-indexation of this journal in the PubMed (MEDLINE). It is a time for our dental professionals from India and abroad to come together to support this journal that during the last 29 years has effectively disseminated so many interesting and original studies on all aspects of Dentistry. We are continuously looking for committed reviewers and for an enhancing number of qualified submissions to give back to our scientific community the response it deserves. However, the success of this endeavour depends on the participation of everyone in the community. Each invited reviewer should treat each author's submission in exactly the way he/she'd like to be treated when submitting a manuscript elsewhere and make every effort to make a revision quickly and professionally. We will strive to publish papers that are novel, of high quality, have global reach and which fall within the scope. Certainly, you will find out interesting studies from this journal to be well-referenced in your future works. Furthermore, we have revamped the Evise manuscript submission system to make it more user friendly and effective. By working this way, we hope to deliver to our readers an exciting, cutting-edge, educational and comprehensive journal that conveys key knowledge related to the field of Dentistry, for the safe and reliable diagnosis, prevention and treatment of oral diseases. We will ensure, with your support, that the Journal of Pierre Fauchard Academy (India Section) is at the forefront of Dental literature.

Yours truly,

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