

EDITORIAL

The Committee of the Argentine Society of Coloproctology Journal started a new year with a new project. In this process, the committee has renewed authorities, members and advisers, and is deeply grateful to those who were part of it, offering their time, science and dedication to its daily operation, growth and progress.

This journal has passed successively by editors and directors of excellence. However, profound changes are necessary to put this it on the same level as its scientific events, sessions and even its members, recognized throughout Latin America as being of excellence. Therefore, we must adapt to the current reality. This means social media, digital channels, indexing and bilingual publishing. Our short-term goals are Twitter, LinkedIn, Facebook, Instagram and, even if it is hard to believe, an updated and required website of our own. Without these steps we could not even think about the projection of the magazine in 2021.

In the middle of this project we will have to ignore the obvious problems of the space and environment where we have to live, with innumerable economic, financial and social vicissitudes, difficult to ignore. They led us to take short, certain, but key steps in order not to lose the scientific quality to which we are accustomed.

We are volunteer members, dedicated to looking for projects and growth opportunities in order to position our journal within the national surgery scene. We are waiting for ideas, projects, observations and any concerns that add value to our objectives.

It is our desire that this journal has continuity, constancy and becomes the real organ of diffusion of our society in all its aspects, labor, healthcare, scientific, and statutory. Likewise, we want and begin the instrumentation to publish each and every one of the abstracts, videos and posters presented in the events of our society, such as the international meeting and the Argentine congress of the specialty, as well as each of the presentations of our society.

The SACP is integrated by the most renowned specialists in our country, who are frequent guests in Latin America and worldwide. We need your commitment to the society in order to meet our challenge, to position this journal at least among the first in Spanish-speaking scientific journals, with its required translation. This will result in achievements and relevance for those who are their authors.

We call on all members of the SACP to be part, to integrate, and to be engines of the change we need. To achieve these changes, resources, dedication, work but fundamentally support are necessary, both in a transversal and longitudinal sense and at all levels of authority. Otherwise it will not be possible. From the committee we make a call to all and those who are interested in committing to this project. It has already started.

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