Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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- Technical aspects of utilizable diagnostic modalities;
- Critical analysis of therapeutic interventions and their pros and cons;
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- Archeological/zoological/paleontological evidence of correlates with disease;
- Pro and con opinion pieces;
- Statistical methodology and its premises for rheumatologists.

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