Editorial

It is with humility and pride that I offer my gratitude to the many authors, reviewers, the Editorial Board, and the Karger management, who have worked tirelessly during these unprecedented times. I thank the entire team for giving me this opportunity to serve as the 2020 Editor-in-Chief and participate in the efforts to rebuild our Journal.

A year ago, we suffered a tremendous loss with the sudden demise of Tim George, our dear friend, and former Editor-in-Chief of *Pediatric Neurosurgery*. While 2020 witnessed unprecedented challenges, it was heartwarming to see so many coming together to maintain and improve our Journal as a tribute to our dear colleague.

It has been very inspiring to receive many international submissions during these trying times, yet another sign of confidence in our Journal. And our diligent reviewers offered many useful comments to help fine-tune the submissions into very nice papers for publication. Many international reviewers offered significant support and cooperation and helped recognize several first-time authors. I am truly indebted to everyone involved with the Journal for their trust, support, and guidance as we worked hard to improve the Journal this past year.

Today, *Pediatric Neurosurgery* is strong and on a positive course, handling more submissions and high-quality work that will be gradually shared with the medical community. I leave the Journal in good hands, poised to improve the high-quality output recently. I look forward to reading every issue, sure to be filled with sound science and expert international opinions.

Once again, I am grateful to have served as the 2020 Editor-in-Chief and kindly forgive any shortcomings.

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