## Editorial



The Chinese Journal of Dental Research (CJDR) is an official journal of the Chinese Stomatological Association (CSA). On March 5th, 2014, a meeting of the Editorial Board of the CJDR was held by CSA at Guangzhou, China. In the meeting, Professor Guang-Yan Yu, the Editor-in-Chief, introduced the history and development of the CJDR to the Board Members. He especially mentioned several events related to the CJDR, including that the CJDR was awarded Third Prize in the category of English Journals of Science and Technology by the Chinese Association of Science and Technology, and that the CJDR will be printed in China from the second issue of 2014, but the editing, layout and typesetting will be still done in the London Office of Quintessence Publishing Co. Ltd, which is an important co-sponsor for the CJDR. Submission of manuscripts to CJDR will be done through ScholarOne online at http://mc03.manuscriptcentral.com/cjdr; CJDR will be published quarterly per year from 2015.

In the meeting, the participants vigorously discussed how to promote the quality and influence of the CJDR and how to better serve the contributors and readers of the CJDR. Many suggestions were given to the CJDR to realize these two purposes. A consensus of increasing the categories of the contents of CJDR was established on site. From 2014, CJDR will open three new categories such as "Society Guidelines", which publishes the guidelines of different societies, "Specialist Consensus", which publishes a consensus of a group of experts, "Opinions", which publishes different views over some special topics by individual experts, in addition to the categories of Original Articles, Reviews and Case Reports. The CJDR welcomes contributions from all over the world.

The Third Editorial Board of CJDR was appointed by Professor Xing Wang, the president of the CSA. Several young productive researchers were elected into the Third Editorial Board. We hope CJDR will play a more and more important role in the academic exchange between Chinese dental experts and overseas dental experts.

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