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My Dear Colleagues,

It is our pleasure to welcome you in the 3rd issue of Eurasian Journal of Emergency Medicine in 2018 and I hope you find it interesting. In this issue, we present 8 original articles, 4 case report, 1 brief report, 1 image of interest and a letter to editor.

I am proud to announce you that Professor Dr. Luis Garcia Castrillo has agreed to join us as co-editor in our journal. I would like to thank him for their valuable contribution to our journal.

I hope that the Eurasian Journal of Emergency Medicine helps you through conveying your valuable experiences in the field of emergency medicine.

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Finally, I would like to thank all of our dear authors for submitting their articles. We wish to receive your continuing support and contributions.

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