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EDITORIAL

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This is my first editorial in the *Asian Journal of Gerontology and Geriatrics*. When Professor Timothy Kwok asked me to take over as the Co-Chief Editor, my feelings were mixed. On the one hand, I felt honoured while on the other I was intimidated, having already sensed the heavy weight on my shoulders. Starting a new Journal is no easy task. I am of course very fortunate to be a successor and can therefore build on the foundation of my predecessor, Timothy, to whom I must express sincere gratitude. My stress was much relieved when Dr Edward Leung, my current Co-Chief Editor, promised to guide me through this challenging task.

Although the *Asian Journal of Gerontology and Geriatrics* is based in Hong Kong, we are open to contributions from colleagues not only in Asia but from all over the world. We shall continue our global orientation and commitment to develop international connections and collaboration. To be green and timely in the production process, we shall look into the prospects of online publication in the near future. This will have the additional benefit of saving mailing and printing costs, which can then be used to upgrade the quality of the Journal. Of course we shall continue to issue hard copies if so requested by our subscribers.

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