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## **From the Desk of Principal**

It gives me immense pleasure in writing few lines about APMC. Though APMC is still in its infancy but the quality of research articles it contains is commendable.

Ongoing research and continuous medical education are cornerstones in the development of present day medicine. Print media and electronic media have contributed a lot to this development all over the world. Unfortunately, many of medical institutions were unable to keep pace with these advancements not because the research was carried out, but, because our medical laureates would find it difficult to get their research papers published in renowned, recognized journals.

We have now planned to encourage and facilitate ongoing medical research in the Institution and also intend to recruit more and more research projects. This facilitation would include both moral and monetary support.

I must appreciate my faculty for taking keen interest in publishing APMC, particularly Prof. Zahid Iqbal and his team who have put in enormous efforts in editing and publishing APMC in such a short time hopefully, the future issues shall be more bright, meaningful and instructive. If the research momentum is maintained at the same rising pace, the Punjab Medical College is a sight to blink prominently in the galaxy of Medical Institutions of Pakistan.

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