

EDITORIAL

ABJS Turns 10 Years

One decade ago I was honored to be invited to compose an editorial for the inaugural issue of the Archives of Bone and Joint Surgery. I was made aware of the high quality and innovative Orthopedic and Trauma surgery in Iran initially through the current editor Mohammad H. Ebrahimzadeh M.D. who spent an extended visiting Fellowship within our Hand and Upper Extremity Service within the Department of Orthopedic Surgery at the Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School.

The Journal has grown to now publish monthly and contain articles from orthopedic centers throughout the

world offering now a global perspective on advances in techniques and the use of new technologies.

The Journal's impact factor is now 1.6 and indexed in all important global databases.

The title of my inaugural editorial was "Hands Across the Sea" suggesting that this Journal could be an integral part of both the communication of Orthopedic knowledge but equally important a greater understanding of the advances ongoing in Iran and elsewhere.

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