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It is our great pleasure to present this Supplement Issue on "Macedonian Pharmaceutical Bulletin" to the scientific and professional community. This supplement includes the short communications accepted for the Seventh Congress of Pharmacy in North Macedonia with International participation 2020, which was postponed to 2021 due to the ongoing spread of Corona (SARS-CoV-2) virus over the world.. Respecting the right of the authors to publish the results of their research, the Scientific Board decided to publish all papers that received a positive review, after obtaining the consent of the authors. The authors will also be invited to submit their papers in 2021, once the conditions for holding the Congress are provided.

The main theme of the Congress was "Modern trends in Pharmacy: opportunities and challenges" A broad spectrum of topics within the pharmaceutical sciences and practice carefully selected for this special occasion in order to build up a highly interesting and comprehensive program were covered. We received more than 120 short paper submissions from more than 15 countries. These numbers show that our Congress was aiming for the highest scientific standards, and that it can be considered a well-established venue for researchers in the broad fields of Pharmaceutical sciences and practice.

Sincere thanks to the hosts of the Seventh Congress of Pharmacy in North Macedonia with International participation, Macedonian Pharmaceutical Association and Faculty of Pharmacy, Ss Cyril and Methodius University in Skopje for their vision and commitments.

In the period the decision to postpone the Congress was made, organizational activities were at an advanced stage. We would like to thank the companies that showed interest in supporting our efforts during the organization. We acknowledge the sponsoring companies: the platinum sponsor AD ALKALOID, Skopje, the golden sponsors: PLIVA, EUROFARM, BOSNA LIJEK and KRKA, and the bronze sponsors: LEK, HEMOFARM and SEPTIMA,

We would also like to thank our members of the Scientific Committee for their volunteer time and dedication to the critical peer review process. We also wish to thank all the members of the Organizing Committee, whose work and commitment was invaluable.

On behalf of the Advisory and Scientific Committees, we would like to especially thank all internationally prominent researchers, whose work was supposed to be an essential part of the Congress. The interest in publishing their short communications in this issue of the Macedonian Pharmaceutical Bulletin is of a crucial importance for reinforcing the overall quality and standards of the bulletin. They give the state of the art of the recent advances in the field of pharmacy research

The pharmaceutical sciences continue to grow as dynamic scientific interdisciplinary fields. We believe that published short communications will be an excellent source of scientific material in the fast evolving fields in Pharmaceutical sciences and practice.

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