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Dear Colleagues!

It's been 10 years since medical physicists, clinical engineers, electroradiologists, physicians, and medical equipment companies shared their knowledge and experience in "Inżynier i Fizyk Medyczny" (IFM) - published in Polish, connecting many professional groups in areas such as radiotherapy, radiology, and nuclear medicine.

IFM was never intended to be a strictly scientific journal, where we would read about researches that could be

implemented into everyday clinical practice in years to come. It was always ment to be a professional journal that you could consult to find answers for questions about everyday problems and concerns. Our goal has always been for our Authors - who form the core of the journal - to be appropriately recognized and appreciated for their work. This happened in July 2023, when IFM was included on the Ministry of Education and Science's list of journals with high scores. However, it did not last long, and in January 2024, the ministerial list was shortened. Fortunately, this did not discourage our Authors, who continually shared their knowledge and experience with our Readers. Since then, we have been trying to find a way to appropriately recognize the work of our Authors without losing the unique character of the journal. The idea was born during last year conference "Radiologia Wspolna Sprawa" in Rzeszow, when we considered, firstly, how to make IFM accessible to a wider audience and, secondly, how to increase its citation rate. The answer was clear: creating an English edition available online. The benefits were obvious: increase the ability to parameterize our journal in services such as Index Copernicus and Scopus, and expanding the Author database to include clinicians from other countries. It was not easy, but we finally succeeded, and we can now proudly present the first English edition, containing 9 scientific articles published in IFM last year. We invite you to read it.

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