

## editorial



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As we do every year, and for this, our 5th year, *Scientific Dental* is pleased to issue this special supplement in English with the articles published throughout the 2018 calendar year that received recognition in the three award categories; namely, best scientific article, best clinical case and best first scientific work by a new author. Moreover, we've included the three finalists in these categories as well, so in total we are publishing six excellent scientific articles that readers can peruse in open access at our web address, www.cientificadental.es. It goes without saying, of course, that any readers who might wish to do so may also access these works in Spanish at the same Internet address, as they have already been published.

In this issue, there are three original works and three interesting clinical cases for our readers to enjoy, covering aspects of surgery, implantology, periodontics and dental traumatology.

As always, our thanks for their contributions go out all those fine individuals who make this magazine possible; editors, reviewers and, especially, the authors, to whom we are grateful for the high quality of the work they have submitted, and, last but never least, our readers, whose enrichment is the ultimate goal of all these efforts.

To all a cordial greeting,

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