

Foreword

The Obstetrical and Gynaecological Society of Hong Kong (OGSHK) was conceived by an enthusiastic group of doctors in early 1961 and officially inaugurated on 7th June 1961. The First General Council Meeting was held in the Banker's Club, Bank of East Asia Building, Central. In the year of 2006, OGSHK was celebrating its 45th anniversary (1961 – 2006) and a series of celebration activities were organised, including a celebration dinner on 12th September 2006 in Sheraton Hotel and the publication of the 45th Anniversary Brochure. Hope all of our members have received the 45th Anniversary Brochure and the souvenir (a thumb drive memory stick with OGSHK logo). Hope OGSHK will go from strength to strength with the support of its members and march into its 50th anniversary (2011).

The *Journal of Gynaecology, Obstetrics and Midwifery* (the Journal) was originally planned in the 1960s but it was finally aborted because of lack of financial support. All the manuscripts so collected were transferred to the HK CMA Bulletin (the subsequent *Journal of the Hong Kong Medical Association*) for

publication. The inaugural issue of our Journal was finally published in 2000 (thirty years after its original conception). There was some delay in the production of subsequent issue but the Editorial Board have tried their best to make it up to date. There were originally two issues per year for our Journal but the number of papers at present is enough for one issue per year. Hope all our members can support the Journal by submitting your original papers, review articles, case reports etc to us for publication.

Lastly, I must thank the Editorial Board for their hard work especially Dr KY Leung, the Chief Editor, who is instrumental in making the Journal a success. I must also thank all the commercial sponsors for supporting the production of this Journal.

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