

## FROM THE EDITOR

Dear Readers of Acta Orthopaedica et Traumatologica Turcica,

are pleased to bring you the first issue of 2011. This year we will expand our editorial board in order to accelerate the review process of our journal. We will have a larger team of associate editors with the contributions of Sait Ada, Önder Aydınöz, Bülent Atilla, Hakan Kınık, Volkan Öztuna, Halit Pınar, and Yusuf Yıldız.

In this prospect, I would like to thank TOTDER president Prof. Hayati Durmaz and TOTBID president Prof. Mahmut Nedim Doral for their support.

We will organize a meeting with our reviewers on May 4th, 2011 in Istanbul. The main purpose of this meeting is to enhance the quality and speed of our review process. We believe that high-standard review is an indispensable prerequisite for the international prestige of AOTT.

Our journal received great interest during the 2011 American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS) congress. Approximately 1500 CDs and journal issues were distributed in TOTBID stand area. Our English-language publication is obviously an important factor for this high interest and our increasing respectability.

We wish you happiness and well-being in 2011.

Sincerely,

Mehmet Demirhan, MD, Prof.

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