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## LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

## Good news

In the last months two excellent news have concerned Acta Biomedica Atenei Parmensis.

On December 2006 the National Center for Biotechnology Information accepted to change the title abbreviation of Acta Bio Medica from the historical "Acta Biomed Ateneo Parmense" to the more international version "Acta Biomed".

Recently (April 2007), PubMed facilitated the access to the full text publications of Acta Biomed directly from the PubMed abstract. When you click onto this LinkOut icon



you leave PubMed and are directed to the free on line full text (PDF) of Acta Biomedica.

These two important successes have been achieved thanks to the incomparable collaboration of the Publisher which shares our exciting project to transform Acta Bio Medica into an international Journal, a progress that today appears more than ever feasible. Our optimism is also supported by the growing number of submissions coming from different Countries in the world, North America and East-Asia included.

On behalf of the Editorial Board and the Publisher, I would like to convey my appreciation to all Authors who showed their interest in Acta Bio Medica.

Maurizio Vanelli Editor in Chief