## ADDRESS TO READERS

## Dear colleagues and readers of Vestnik NovSU!

We are pleased to welcome you to the pages of our scientific journal and present the 138th issue of "Vestnik NovSU", series "Medical Sciences", the release of which traditionally coincides with the end of the calendar year and summarizing some of its results.

Modern medicine is deeply interdisciplinary. This trend is also very noticeable in the articles of our authors: conducting research at the intersection of medicine and biology, medicine and IT sciences, medicine and sociology gives practice-oriented and in-demand conclusions and findings.

We are pleased to inform our readers about starting a new section of the journal – "Dates and Events". Here we are planning to cover important events in the field of medicine and medical education that take place at Novgorod University – conferences, workshops by leading specialists in the field, etc. This section is also intended to welcome members of the editorial board and editorial council of the journal who celebrate their anniversaries during the preparation of the next issue. Therefore, readers will be able to get acquainted with the biographies and professional activities of our scientists involved in the publication. And the first heroes of the issue were members of the editorial board and our dear colleagues – Viktor Robertovich Veber and Valery Alekseevich Medik.

Summing up the results of the year, we express our gratitude to the respected authors of the articles published in 2024 and invite new researchers in the field of basic and clinical medicine, scientists and practicing physicians, residents and graduate students who have innovative ideas obtained during research and which they would like to distribute on the pages of our journal. We are also grateful to our reviewers who, despite their active involvement in the professional field, participated in selecting more than 25 newest and relevant studies on modern issues in the development of anatomy, pharmacology, pathology and clinical diagnostics.

We remind our authors and readers that we are waiting for your suggestions and materials for publication in the scientific journal "Vestnik NovSU" by email vestnik@novsu.ru.

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