From The Editor



This is the second fully-online-published issue of The ASEAN Journal of Radiology telling us not only scientific works but also interesting movements in radiology in ASEAN countries. The establishment of a new sonographer system in Thailand has been recorded in this issue.

The ultimate goal of medical radiology, like other subjects in health science, is to promote health, detection and treatment of diseases for the public. The ASIAN Intensive Reader of Pneumoconiosis (AIR Pneumo) project is

upgrading the skill in interpreting chest radiographs of dust-exposed workers, based on the ILO classification system, in physicians in Asian nations. The project includes standardization, examination, certification, and recertification every 5 years to guarantee quality and consistency of the skill in interpretation. The story of this project is revealed in this copy.

Scientific works provide us data, information, or facts which are very close to the truth by minimizing distortion. To do so, researchers need to know how to select the materials and how to choose the method of measurement or display to reveal the answer they want. To publish their works, a good reviewing system and qualified reviewers are indispensable. We receive active participations from many reviewers, mainly in Thailand. We welcome and are attempting to invite reviewers in all subspecialties in radiology from all countries in ASEAN to qualify articles published in our journal.

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