Dear Readers,

It is with a certain pride, but tinged with sadness, that I announce my retirement as editor of *Cancer Control*, Journal of the Moffitt Cancer Center. From its humble beginning 20 years ago, it has developed into a reliable, comprehensive resource of oncologic topic reviews that are pertinent to the changing face of oncology practice. Its educationally sound format of presenting in-depth reviews has been appreciated by our readers both in this country and abroad, and it has likely influenced cancer care and patient outcomes in a very positive way.

In addition to the institution that has provided constant and unstinting support, I need to thank many groups and individuals who have contributed to the success of the journal and my tenure. These include, of course, our deputy editor Julio Pow-Sang, MD, all the guest editors, all the authors, and all the reviewers. A huge group! I cannot say enough about the competence and dedication of the key staff of the journal that over the years has included Jean Joy, Linda Stenglein, Don Buchanan, and the indefatigable Veronica Nemeth. Kudos, too, to my wife, Michele Sassi, who has sought out the artists and images that light up and so enhance the journal’s appearance. Finally, and most importantly, thanks to you, our readers, for your constant support and encouragement.

What then for the future? I am delighted that I will be succeeded as editor by my colleague and friend Lodovico Balducci, MD. A master oncologist with a worldwide reputation in geriatric oncology, he brings broad and deep oncologic knowledge, extensive medical and publishing connections, and boundless energy to the task. Please welcome him.

With new leadership and fresh ideas, the journal will undoubtedly change, but its new features and reach will only enhance its content and value to you and burnish its image.

Yours sincerely,

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