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## **Statement from the Presidency of ANCAM and its Editorial Committee**

Declaración de la Presidencia de la ANCAM y de su Comité Editorial

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ANCAM and this journal, its official publication, are apolitical, inclusive, and tolerant. Our Association is an academic body dedicated exclusively to promoting the care and prevention of cardiovascular diseases and the dissemination of science. We do not intervene in political, religious, historical, or philosophical discussions (except those about bioethics). However, each member individually exercises the inalienable rights of thought, belief, religion, political activism, and expression.

However, recent events in international geopolitics compel us to unite. The risks we face go beyond potential economic consequences, as scientific knowledge and dissemination are compromised.

This situation compels us to close ranks and unite. Beyond individual ideology, institution, or personal medical practice, today, we must be united in the defense of science and truth, and our journal, the official publication of ANCAM, is the guarantor of the best scientific practices. This journal is the academic trench in which all of us can help our country.

In this sense, we invite all our members and the scientific community to join us in a crusade, contributing scientific content through original research, systematic and short reviews, meta-analyses, expert consensus, and presenting relevant cases.

Today, more than ever, WE ARE ALL ANCAM, Remembering that «Prevention is our goal».

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