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or the Population's Research and Advanced Studies Center (CIEAP) it is certainly a reason of pride to celebrate that the joyful coincidence of the 50th number of the Papeles de POBLACIÓN issuing has occured now as we commemorate the first 50 years of life of our Autonomous University of the State of Mexico.

Undoubtedly, Papeles de POBLACIÓN is the scientific journal that has achieved the most transcendence among the periodical publications of its kind edited by the UAEM during its 50 years of existence. However, it is fair to acknowledge that nonetheless we are very proud of the fact that the CIEAP is where Papeles de POBLACIÓN is published, the merits of having consolidated a communication organ with such an enormous prestige among its readers are not exclusive of our Center, but they legitimately belong to the whole scientific community devoted to the population's studies in the American Continent, that in a more than generous manner has turned our journal into one of their favorite media to show their researches' results to the scientific and academic community disseminated in more than forty countries.

Despite the fact that the importance earned by Papeles de POBLACIÓN among the scientific community is a collective achievement where the universality principle which guides all scientific activity has simply led us hand in hand, it is still a generous anniversary present that this universal profession of scientific knowledge is being fulfilled in one of the intellectual products our quinquagenarian university has hosted enthusiastically for more than a decade.

Congratulations to all the population studious and to our UAEM!

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