

## Address to the Ceremony dedicated to the 70th Anniversary of Nicolae Testemitsanu State University of Medicine and Pharmacy

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Dear rector!  
Dear honorable guests, colleagues, ladies and gentlemen!

First of all I would like to express my gratitude personally to you, Mr. Ababii, as a rector, for the great honor to be present here and participate in the memorable gathering, dedicated to the 70-th Anniversary of this renowned medical university!

No doubt, I am aware of the fact that in this way you demonstrate your respect to otorhinolaryngology, my favorite field of medical science. As the secretary of the Academic Council of the First St Petersburg State Medical University I have the great pleasure to read the official address of our rector personally to you and your university personnel. Let me do it...

Using this unique situation I can't help expressing the idea in which I am completely convinced. This idea emphasizes the fact that any traditions are valuable if they are continued. At my age of 45 it is not easy to look 70 years back and imagine that period of time when Mr. Ipatie Sorochean founded this University. Due to the fact that our Universities established useful and fruitful contacts 2 years ago, I had an opportunity to read the recollections of people who worked closely with Mr. Ipatie Sorochean and knew him personally. In this way I learned many interesting and important facts about that remarkable person and got ready for coming here. Now I know that Ipatie Sorochean was wounded twice, his life was rather hard, similar to lives of most people at those war and post-war periods. In spite of all hardships he managed to create a team of teaching staff and students with exceptionally warm and friendly atmosphere and he was even like a father for many of students. For that students called him "Dad Sorochean"! To my thinking such attitude is the key factor for setting up any team, especially the academic one.

Intellectuals are characterized by such sincere and friendly relations and this is the basis for any creative activities in higher schools and everywhere else, in any human society. At my age, of course, I can feel this atmosphere which was laid 70 years ago.

Nowadays, when I come to you, meet your doctors I feel the warmth of your hearts. We feel at home here and thanks for the warmth that you willingly share with us. We highly appreciate that you don't forget that Medical University of Moldova originated from the city on the banks of the Neva river.

We wish the Medical University of Moldova further great achievements in medical science and training of highly qualified doctors to contribute to the development and prosperity of your country.

Thank you!

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