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Due to some logistic and budget constraints, the editorial board of the bulletin decided to publish this double issue instead of two distinct issues in 2017.

In this number of the bulletin we present three articles about recent developments in the areas of Analysis, Geometry and Mathematical Physics. We continue the cycle of historical articles honouring José Anastácio da Cunha and his work. We include an interview to Patrícia Gonçalves who won an ERC starting grant and, as usual, we publish several summaries and reports of some of the activities partially supported by CIM.

We highlight the CIM-SPM's initiative Pedro Nunes' Lectures, which brought Étienne Ghys to deliver three outstanding lectures, in Portuguese, at the Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian and at the universities of Coimbra and Porto. We feature an interview with Étienne Ghys in order to celebrate the success of his visit to Portugal.

We recall that the bulletin welcomes the submission of review, feature, outreach and research articles in Mathematics and its applications.

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