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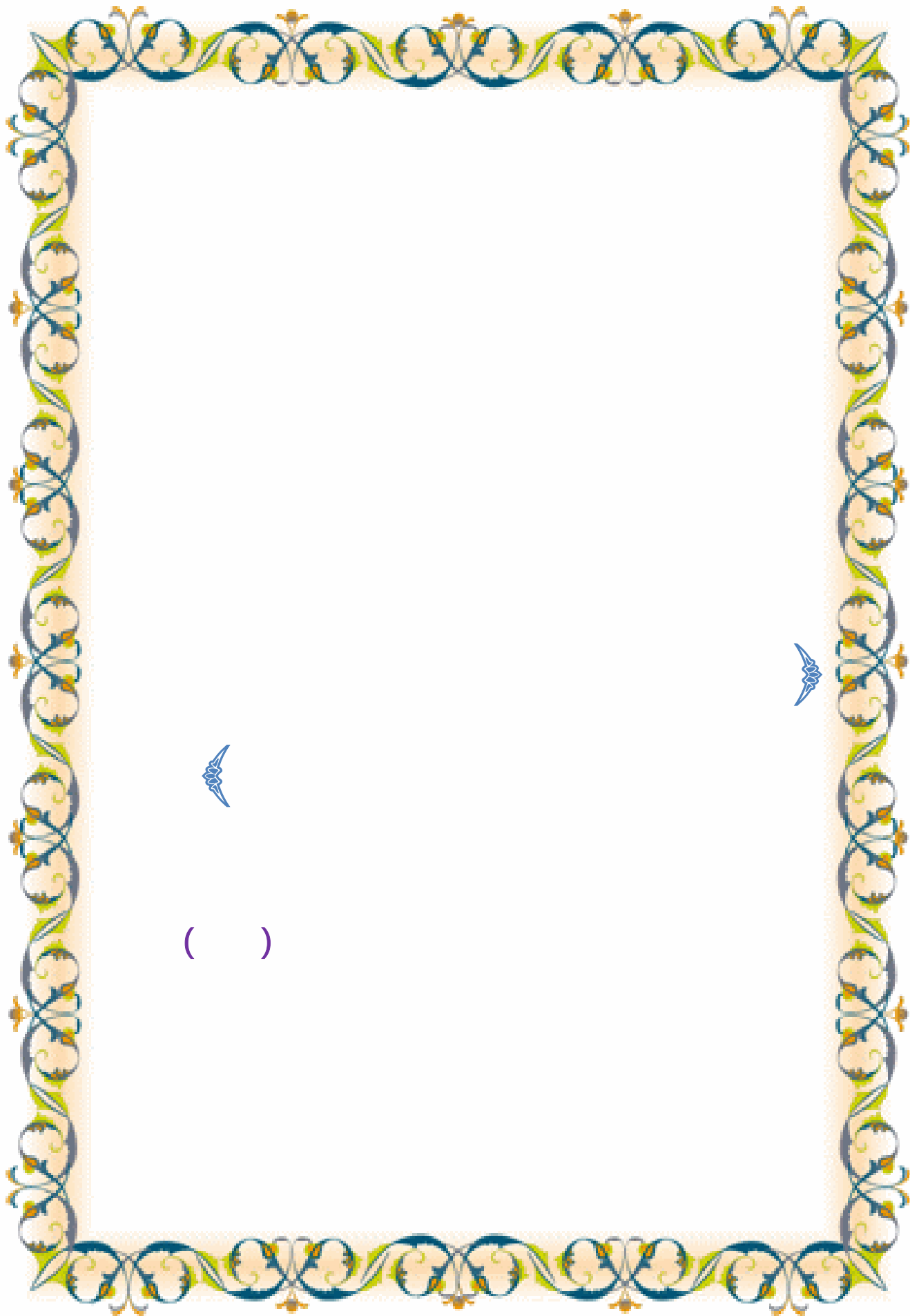
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List Of Abbreviations

<i>Abbrev.</i>	<i>Meaning</i>
ALP	<i>Alkaline phosphatase</i>
AOSC	<i>Acute obstructive suppurative cholangitis</i>
AP	<i>Acute pancreatitis</i>
CBD	<i>Common bile duct</i>
CBDE	<i>common bile duct exploration</i>
CBDS	<i>Common bile duct stones</i>
CHD	<i>Common hepatic duct</i>
CT	<i>Computed Tomography</i>
ERC/ EST	<i>Endoscopic retrograde cholangiography/ endoscopic sphincterotomy</i>
ERCP	<i>Endoscopic retrograde cholangiopancreatography</i>
ESWL	<i>Extra-Corporeal Shock Wave lithotripsy</i>
EUS	<i>Endoscopic Ultrasound</i>
GB	<i>Gallbladder</i>
GGT	<i>Gamma glutamyl trans peptidase</i>
IDUS	<i>Intraductal Ultrasonography</i>

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IOC	<i>Intraoperative Cholangiography</i>
IVC	<i>Inferior vena cava</i>
LC	<i>Laparoscopic cholecystectomy</i>
LCBDE	<i>Laparoscopic common bile duct exploration</i>
LFTs	<i>Liver function tests</i>
LTCBDE	<i>Laparoscopic Transcystic common bile duct exploration</i>
MRCP	<i>Magnetic Resonance Cholangiopancreatography</i>
PTC	<i>Percutaneous Transhepatic Cholangiography</i>
RHA	<i>Right hepatic artery</i>
RV	<i>Simultaneous laparoendoscopic rendezvous</i>
T US	<i>Trans-abdominal ultrasound</i>
T8 and T9	<i>Thoracic vertebrae no 8&9</i>
USC-LA	<i>University of Southern California-Los Angeles</i>
VIP	<i>Vasoactive intestinal polypeptide</i>

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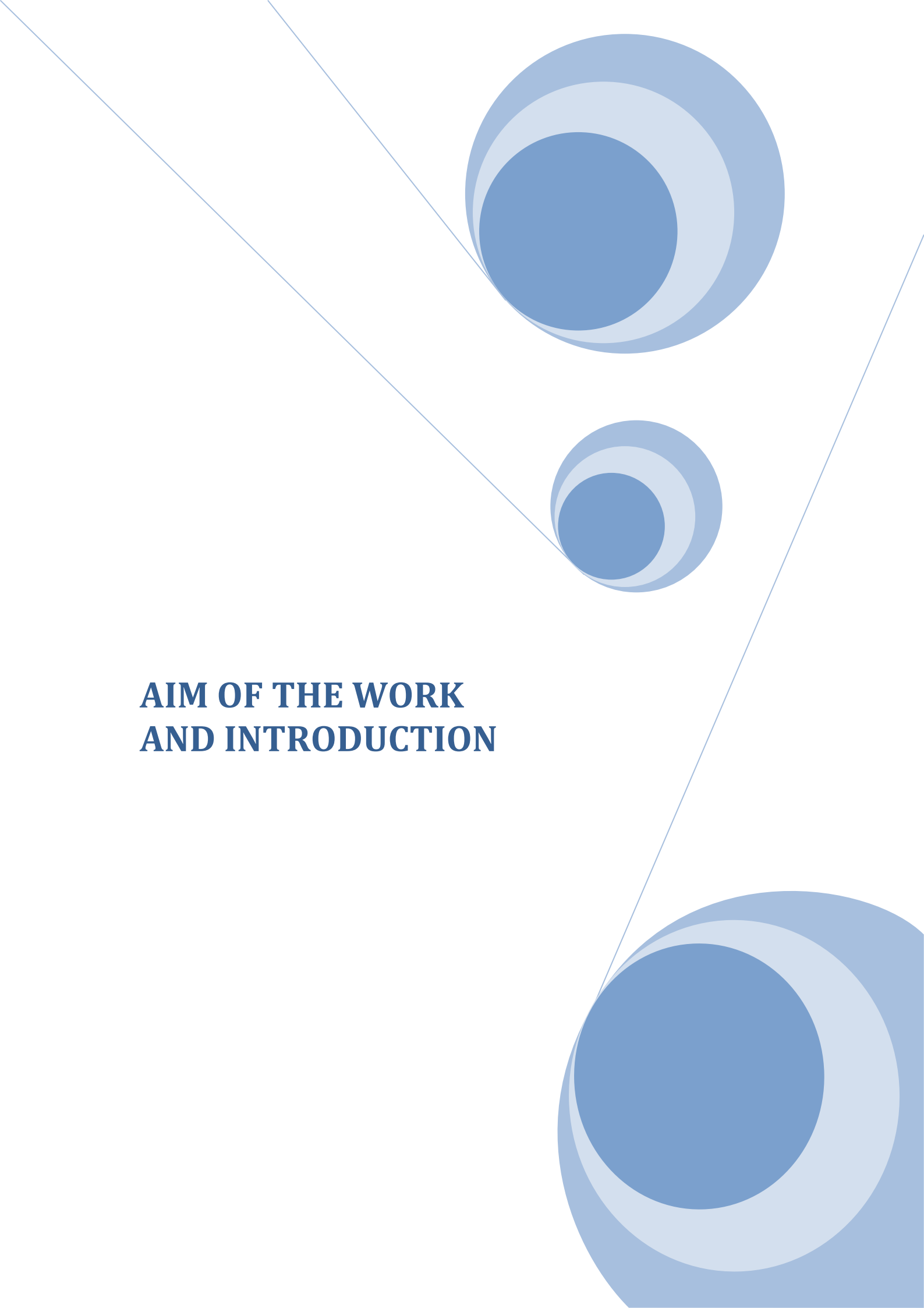
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