Questionnaire with Dr. Ting Fan Leung (Editor)

Journal of Pharmacogenomics & Pharmacoproteomics

1. How many years have you been practicing and/or performing research?

   Practicing for 21 years and performing research for 17 years.

2. What is the research topic you are working on now?

   Pediatric asthma and allergy.

3. What makes an article top quality?

   Stringent methodology and top scientific quality of data.

4. What are the qualities you look for in an article?

   Clinically important research question(s); appropriate study design and analytical approaches; significant (positive or negative) study findings.

5. Do you have any research funding (NIH or other national funding) now?

   Yes, from Food and Health Bureau and Children's Cancer Foundation of Hong Kong.

6. When did you become an editor of OMICS Journal?

   Two years.

7. What is your greatest career accomplishment?

   Promoted to Professorship in the University.

8. How does the research published percolate through to practitioners?

   Scientific publication through wide circulation; timely newsletters; presentations in important scientific conferences; website of subspecialty organizations.

9. What is the purpose of serving as an editor?

   Uphold scientific quality of the journal; timely review and decision-making of submitted manuscripts; solicit quality articles; set priority in research areas in the journal.

10. Do you have any patents?

    No.

11. Have you contributed any editorials or papers (any types) to OMICS Journals in the past two years?

    Yes, one review article.

12. Do you plan to contribute any editorials or papers to OMICS Journals in the next year?

    Maybe, one research article.

13. Do you have any trouble with OMICS Journals in the past?

    No.

14. Would you recommend OMICS to your friends or colleagues?

    Yes, colleagues in the department and Hong Kong.

15. How do you differentiate Journal of Pharmacogenomics & Pharmacoproteomics with other journals in the field?

    Open access and focus on genomics & proteomics of therapeutic interventions.