

Brief Interview with Antonio Simone (Editor)

Endocrinology & Metabolic Syndrome

1. How many years have you been associated with the current research?

4 years.

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

Analysis of transcription factors, cytokine production and membrane phenotypes of lymphocyte and macrophage subsets in peripheral blood, endometrioma tissue and peritoneal fluid of endometriotic women.

3. What are attributes for a quality article?

It must be in accordance with the Helsinki Declaration, Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union and the European Convention on Human Rights and its Supplementary Protocols, and must be approved by an independent Institutional Review Board (IRB).

Moreover, every high-quality article should follow the available guidelines of the EQUATOR (Enhancing the QUALity and Transparency Of health Research) network.

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

No, I do not.

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

Since 2013.

6. Where can the journal find the maximum scope in terms of niche?

In my personal opinion, Endocrinology & Metabolic Syndrome should find its Authors and Readers among University setting.

7. What is your greatest career accomplishment?

Currently, I am Member of the "Italian Association of Endometriosis" Expert Panel, In-Training Member of the "Society for Reproductive Investigation", Regular Member of the "European Society of Human Reproduction and Embryology", of the "International Society of Gynecological Endocrinology, of the "Italian Society of Gynecology of Childhood and Adolescence", of the "Italian Society of Gynaecological Endoscopy" and of Giorgio Pardi Foundation's professional research team.

8. How does the published scientific content assist the potential researchers?

The published scientific content main aim is to find new research pathways to follow, to assess the role of the existing diagnostic and therapeutic procedures, to evidence whether there is any fallacious element in the previous and well-known literature.

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

To ensure the publishing of high quality papers, performed with rigorous scientific methodology.

10. Do you have any patents?

No, I have not.

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

Yes, I wrote two papers for OMICS Journals:

- Laganà AS, Salmeri FM, Sofo V, Pizzo A, Retto G, Sturlese E, Granese R, Triolo O. Obstacles and Pitfalls of Endometriosis-Related Chronic Pelvic Pain Management: Trying to Alleviate the Burden. *J Pain Relief* 2013(2):123.

- Laganà AS, Pizzo A. Know your Enemy: The Rationale of Using Inositol in the Treatment of Polycystic Ovary Syndrome. *Endocrinol Metab Syndr* 2013;2:e121.

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

I hope so.

13. How would you define your experience with OMICS Group?

So far, I had a great experience with OMICS Group as Author and Editorial Board Member of "Journal of Pain & Relief" (ISSN 2167-0846), "Gynecology & Obstetrics" (ISSN 2161-0932) and "Endocrinology & Metabolic Syndrome" (ISSN: 2161-1017).

14. Your opinion on conducting Editorial Board meetings at related Conferences?

(Not declared)

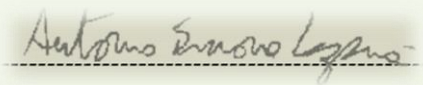
15. Would you recommend OMICS to your friends or colleagues?

Yes, of course.

16. How do you differentiate Endocrinology & Metabolic Syndrome with other journals in the field?

It is a high-quality Journal, which cover all the field of Endocrinology & Metabolic diseases publishing excellent papers.

Sincerely,



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