

Questionnaire with Dr. Sofia Patricia Becerra (Editor)

Journal of Clinical & Experimental Ophthalmology

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

Elucidation of molecular mechanism of action of PEDF, a retinoprotective protein of the retina.

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

Since 1991.

3. What are the attributes for a quality article?

Good science, has the scientific method, rigor, easy to read.

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

From the NIH Intramural research program.

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

Among scientists of same field of study.

6. What is your greatest career accomplishment?

To be leader of studies on PEDF.

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

The articles are to be the basis for future research and has to be excellent and avant-garde.

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

To be evaluators of the excellence of the journals.

9. Do you have any patents?

Yes.

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

Not yet.

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

I have not yet been invited for this year.

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

Sporadic, overwhelming, in need of better communication and clarity

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

I cannot comment as I have not been in one.

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

I am not sure yet.

15. How do you differentiate Journal of Clinical & Experimental Ophthalmology with other journals in the field?

I cannot compare yet.