



Genetics in Medicine Editor-in-Chief Search

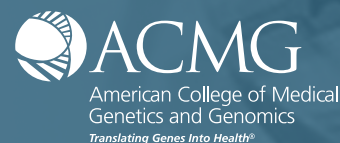
The Editor-in-Chief of *Genetics in Medicine*, the official journal of the American College of Medical Genetics and Genomics, leads one of the most prominent medical genetics journals. The current Editor-in-Chief is stepping down after 12 years and a search for his successor has been initiated.

Now in its 20th year of publication, indexed by the National Library of Medicine, and published 12 times a year, *Genetics in Medicine's* impact factor of 8.229 ranked 10th among 166 in the Genetics and Heredity category of journals, 1st among genetics journals with a primary clinical focus, and in the top 2.5% of all indexed journals. The Editor-in-Chief determines the scope and direction of the Journal and is responsible for its scientific content by determining manuscripts to be reviewed, evaluating reviewer's input, and selecting final manuscripts for publication.

The Editor-in-Chief supervises the Managing Editor. *Genetics in Medicine* will retain our current well-experienced Managing Editor and editorial support staff. The Editor-in-Chief directs all interactions with the publisher (Springer Nature), reviews budgets submitted by the publisher, and evaluates the performance of the publisher for the College. The Editor-in-Chief serves as a member of the ACMG Board of Directors and presents triannual reports to the Board. The Editor-in-Chief chooses the Editorial Board and Associate Editors of the Journal, determines their duties, and presides over Editorial Board meetings held during the semi-annual meetings.

The Editor-in-Chief is selected by the Board of Directors of the College for a term of five years, renewable once. The new Editor-in-Chief will be selected by September of 2018, will overlap with the current Editor-in-Chief through 2018 and begin receiving manuscripts on January 1, 2019. Applicants should be accomplished scientists or academic physicians in the field of human genetics, members of the ACMG, and have a broad appreciation of the role genetics plays in all areas of medicine. Potential candidates should submit a letter of interest and curriculum vitae by March 16, 2018 to acmg@acmg.net with the subject line: *GIM* Editor-in-Chief Search.

The mission of *Genetics in Medicine* is to enhance the knowledge and practice of medical genetics by providing a forum for the presentation of innovative, practice-focused papers in all areas of genetics, chromosome abnormalities, metabolic diseases, single gene disorders, genetic susceptibility to common complex diseases, public health genetics and screening, genetic counseling, informatics and database.



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