

# CONTACT DERMATITIS

CUTANEOUS ALLERGY  
ENVIRONMENTAL AND OCCUPATIONAL DERMATITIS

## Call for Applications

### ***Contact Dermatitis*, Editor-in-chief 2021-2025**

John Wiley and Sons is seeking a new Editor-in-Chief for *Contact Dermatitis (COD)* to serve an initial five-year term commencing 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2025. The Editor-in-Chief will be an innovative and ethical clinician with a distinguished record of accomplishment in various aspect of environmental dermatitis research. He/she will be capable of developing and executing a highly competitive strategy for the Journal and be able to lead the editorial team. The Editor-in-Chief will appoint a team of Associate Editors, who will support him/her. The post carries an annual stipend. The application deadline is August 30, 2020. Interviews will take place in September 2020.

#### **Candidates for the position should:**

- Have internationally recognized standing in Dermatitis research
- Have a broad knowledge of the field and its international thought leaders
- Be experienced in editorial decision making
- Be highly skilled in editing and writing

#### **The duties of the Editor-in-Chief will include:**

- Collaborate with the publisher to create strategies that will help to attract, serve and retain authors in the relevant research communities.
- Collaborate with the publisher to increase the number of articles published (for example by organizing special sections or allocating entire issues to specific topics of content)
- Publish and actively solicit authoritative, original and high-quality research articles in the field of Dermatitis
- Take responsibility for the scientific contents of *COD*.
- In Collaboration with the Publisher to appoint members for the editorial board including Associate Editors taking into account the areas of expertise and geography. Managing manuscripts for peer review to the appropriate Associate Editors if applicable.
- Dealing with ethical issues, conflict of interest etc. in close collaboration with the Publisher
- Managing the processes of peer review, reviewer selection, and communication with authors.
- Ensure a rapid and efficient review of all submitted papers.
- Maintaining the flow of accepted papers at a level and on a schedule for regular monthly publication of *COD*.
- Work with the Publisher to facilitate that manuscripts rejected by COD can transfer for evaluation to other related journals published by Wiley.
- Work with the Publisher to select and monitor key performance indicators (KPI) by which to assess performance of the Journal and its editorial team.

**Application package:**

- A current curriculum vitae.
- Evaluation of *COD's* current content, organization, appearance and policies along with recommendations for change, if any.
- Specific objectives he/she wants to achieve over the duration of his/her term.
- Strategies to increase the volume of high-quality content published in COD.
- Strategies to increase readership and reputation.
- Approach to maintaining the quality, accuracy and fairness of the review process.

Please send in your application by email to Lisbeth Cranfield, Senior Journal Publishing Manager at [lbc@wiley.com](mailto:lbc@wiley.com) by August 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020.