## **Brief Interview with Dmytro A. Butov (Editor)**

## Pulmonary & Respiratory Medicine

- How many years have you been associated with the current research?
   3.
- 2. What is the research topic you are working on now?

Genetics and immunity recurrence of pulmonary tuberculosis and multidrugresistant tuberculosis of the lungs.

3. What are attributes for a quality article?

Relevance, reliability of the results and benefits of the practical scientist and doctor in his work.

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

  No.
- 5. When did you become an editor of OMICS Journal?
  About two years ago.
- 6. Where can the journal find the maximum scope in terms of niche?

  PubMed, Scopus, Google.
- 7. What is your greatest career accomplishment?
  - 2009 Special Award from the President of the Ukraine for Gifted Youth.
  - 2011 Award for the best presentation at 3rd Asia and Pacific Region of the International Union of Tuberculosis and Lung Disease in Hong Kong, July 8-11, 2011.

- 2012 Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation's Global Health Scholarship Award to attend Keystone Symposia on "Drug Resistance and Persistence in Tuberculosis", May 13 - 18, 2012, Kampala, Uganda
- 2012 Scholarship the Government of Ukraine for Young Scientists.
- 2012 Recipient of a Grant from Global Science & Technology

  Entrepreneurship Program (STEP) from the US Department of State funded

  through Civilian Research & Development Foundation (CRDF) the nonprofit organization authorized by the US Congress and established in 1995 by
  the National Science Foundation.
- 2013 Finalist in Global Impact Competition of Central and Eastern Europe & Turkey organized by the Singularity University a non-profit US foundation in Silicon Valley, whose mission is to educate, inspire and empower leaders to apply exponential technologies to address humanity's grand challenges.
- 2013 Grant Award from the Firland Foundation, Washington University,
   USA.
- 2013 Award for young scientists competition 2nd Congress of the National Association of TB-Doctors, St. Peterburg, Russia, November 28-30, 2013.
- 2014 Scholarship Award for the abstract to visit the 12th Lung Science
   Conference European Respiratory Society in Estoril, Portugal, March 21-23,
   2014.
- 2014 Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation's Global Health Scholarship Award to attend Keystone Symposia on "Novel Therapeutic Approaches to TB", March 30 – April 4, 2014, Keystone, USA.

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

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

The editor is a big responsibility. Main aim is to give a qualitative assessment of the peer-reviewed work.

10. Do you have any patents?

Yes, 5 Ukrainian patents.

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

I'd love to. But I did not get the information you need. One time I got to criticize scientific work, but found it rather late in spam.

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

Possibly.

- 13. How would you define your experience with OMICS Group?
  Very good.
- 14. Your opinion on conducting Editorial Board meetings at related Conferences?

  Not once did not I was.
- 15. Would you recommend OMICS to your friends or colleagues?

  I always recommend and will recommend if I back to the Editorial Board.
- 16. How do you differentiate Journal of Pulmonary & Respiratory Medicine with other journals in the field?

By publications.