

Brief Interview with Dr. Rubens Siqueira (Editor)

Journal of Transplantation Technologies & Research

1. How many years have you been practicing and/or performing research?

15 years.

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

Cell therapy for retinal diseases and drug delivery system.

3. What makes an article top quality?

Previously planned protocol with all staff who will be involved in the research (well-designed prospective study).

4. What are the qualities you look in an article?

Quality of the study design and elaborate discussion.

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

Agency of promoting research in Brazil.

6. What is your greatest career accomplishment?

Develop implantation of intraocular drug delivery and also being one of the pioneers in the use of cell therapy (stem cells) for the treatment of retinal diseases.

7. How does the research published percolate through to practitioners?

Are often disseminated through conferences and also via internet in the institutions of education and research site.

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

Contribute a translational vision research (multidisciplinary).

9. Do you have any patents?

Yes I have a system of intraocular drug delivery already in clinical study.

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

No.

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

Yes I will be available for themes from my area that is retina.

12. Do you have any trouble with OMICS Journals in the past?

No.

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

Yes.

14. How do you differentiate Journal of Transplantation Technologies & Research with other journals in the field?

I noticed that this newspaper has a vision of translational research and this is part of a new style of perception of medicine that will dominate in the coming years.