

Editorial



What Is the Right Direction for the *IJHF* and Editorial Board?

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High quality of editorial processing is a key to achieve high global recognition, prestige, and a global standard. The scientific and editorial quality of articles should be consistent for the reliability and accountability. Now the *International Journal of Heart Failure (IJHF)* has been indexing in PubMed and Scopus since it first published in October 2019 and proven as a highly appreciated international journal in the field of heart failure.¹⁾

Besides invited review articles and guidelines, many research papers and review articles with various quality are submitted around the globe. Encouragingly, certain important papers published in *IJHF* have been highly cited,²⁻⁴⁾ which has been very pleasing to our contributing researchers. The accountability for and transparency in the quality of all published content lies with the editorial board of the *IJHF*. Therefore, the right direction for the *IJHF* is to make them visible, highlighting their research and efforts through high-quality editorial processing; this is the best way to lead the *IJHF* to be a premier journal with a high impact and obviously be coming with Science Citation Index.

I am dependent on a tactically small but excellent team that helps with this goal, including our reviewers, a dedicated editorial board, outstanding associate editors, and a capable office staff. The reviewers' insightful and constructive reviews are particularly crucial to *IJHF's* success. To this end, I would like to recognize our best reviewers in 2023 based on not only the number of reviews performed but also their quality.

List of countries with submitted manuscripts (–2023)

36 countries [Alphabetical order]

ARGENTINA	AUSTRALIA	AUSTRIA	BRAZIL
CANADA	COSTA RICA	DENMARK	EGYPT
ETHIOPIA	FRANCE	GERMANY	INDIA
INDONESIA	IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)	IRELAND	ISRAEL
ITALY	JAMAICA	JAPAN	KAZAKHSTAN
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	KUWAIT	LEBANON	NORWAY
PAKISTAN	POLAND	PORTUGAL	SAUDI ARABIA
SERBIA	SINGAPORE	SPAIN	THAILAND
TURKEY	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	UNITED KINGDOM	UNITED STATES

List of reviewers (2022–2023)

We would like to thank the following reviewers for their contributions from 2022–2023 (*Best Reviewers of the Year, 2023).

[Alphabetical order]

Bae, SungA	Cho, Eun Jeong	Cho, Hyun-Jai	Cho, Iksung
Cho, Jae Yeong*	Cho, Jung Sun	Cho, Min Soo	Cho, Yang Hyun
Cho, Dong-Hyuk	Choi, Hong-Mi	Choi, Jah Yeon	Chun, Kyeong-Hyeon
Chung, Hyemooon	Eisen, Howard J.	Greenberg, Barry	Hong, Jung Ae
Hwang, In-Chang	Hwang, YouMi	Hyun, Junho*	Jang, Albert
Jang, Seyong	Jin, Uram	Jo, Sang-Ho	Jung, Jae Seung
Jung, Mi-Hyang	Jung, Se Yong	Kang, Jeehoon	Kim, Ahram
Kim, Bong Joon	Kim, Darae	Kim, Hack-Lyoung	Kim, Hae Jin
Kim, Hyung Yoon	Kim, In-Cheol*	Kim, Jin-Jin	Kim, Kyung-Hee
Kim, Kyung-Jin	Kim, Mi-Na	Kim, Min-Seok	Kim, So Ree
Kim, Yun Gi	Kwon, Joon-myoung	Lee, Chan Joo*	Lee, Hae-Young
Lee, Hye Won	Lee, Ju-Hee	Lee, Soo Yong	Lee, Soryoung
Lee, Soryoung	Lee, Sunki*	Oh, Jaewon	Park, Hun-Jun
Park, Jae Yeong	Park, Jin Joo	Park, Jun-Bean	Park, Seong-Mi
Park, Sung-Ji	Ryu, Sung Kee	Shim, Chi Young	Shin, Mi-Seung
Son, Jung Woo	Yang, Jeong Hoon	Yoon, Minjae*	

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