Editorial

Communication note on Journal of Drug and Alcohol Research

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With high esteem here by we announce that our Journal of Drug and Alcohol Research has completed its eighth volume with the consistent support of authors, reviewers and most importantly our editors who gives the running fuel to our journal.

With global author’s support we have successfully completed the eighth volume with more numbers of papers published in a year for JDAR. 2019 has the highest number of paper for JDAR which is the top count so far for this journal, with the papers published from Indonesia, USA, Saudi Arabia, Australia, Denmark, etc

Journal has achieved enormous global popularity under the able direction of our ex editor-in-chief Michael Kuhar, with his stringent commitment we stepped a head in the scientific community by publishing the papers in various diversified fields such as Alcohol Use and Opioid Use Disorder, Alcohol Dependence, Grassroots Effort to Reduce Overdose and Deaths Related to Opioids, Supervision by Government of Circulation Alcoholic Beverages in East Java, Indonesia, A Cross-sectional Study on 464 Pilgrims in Makkah, 2017, Inhibiting Aldehyde Dehydrogenase-2 (ALDH-2) in Rats, etc

We are further glad to announce that the Journal has a great indexing support from Scopus and with the clear statistics of proven measures such as H index -4, Q2 in Clinical Psychology, Q3 in Psychiatry and Mental Health, further more we are enhanced with the scimago parameters such as SJR (0.438), Cites/doc: 1.667 (2 years) and in cumulative a rating of SJR 0.44 which is the best for Journal of Drug and Alcohol Research so far.

Objectives of 2020 for JDAR

Planning in big for the year 2020 for the Journal of Drug and Alcohol Research, with superior promotional activity of SEO and marketing by having the strategies enhanced, interns of creation of ORCID, indexing request for the Pubmed, SCI.

Simultaneously focussing on the social media promotion of all the published articles to outreach of the articles in more than the usual that will lead in more globalised visitors for the papers.

Marketing plan has been initiated for the journal and the grass roots has to get enhanced by google ads.

Classification

The biggest advantage for the journal in having a broader classification, which falls in multiple categories, for instance the Journal of drug and alcohol research falls in two broader classification with Scopus such as Medicine (Psychiatry and Mental Health) and Psychology (Clinical Psychology).

Journal of Drug and Alcohol Research journal considers the papers from all sub-disciplines and aspects of drug abuse, dependence and addiction research. Manuscripts will be published online as soon as they are accepted, which will reduce the time of publication. Because there are no space limitations or favoured topics, all papers, within the scope of the journal, judged to be sound by the reviewers, will be published.

Also we should thank individually to our editors, reviewers and authors who is giving their consistent support, especially our editor in chief of the year 2019, Dr. Michael Kuhar, has been strength to the journal in various aspects. Dr. Syed Ali who is designated with Deputy Editor is very keen and active in terms of the review process of all received articles.

Also Mr. Rodrick Juraman and Dr. Daniel Susiolo for their stringent support in soliciting the papers form their colleagues and also acting as Reviewers for many articles.
Conclusion

In finally concluding with the strategies planned for the year 2020, in terms of Social media and marketing promotions of the journal with the support of editors and we also planned for arranging the webinars for editors and certifying them in end, with the display of glances.