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Editorial

Developing World Journal Series: Swedish standards, international content Swedish Science Pioneers

As defined by Wikipedia, the well-known encyclopedia, in academic publishing, a scientific journal is a periodical publication intended to further the progress of science, usually by reporting new research.

It is not much far from the time when the world's first scholarly journal, Philosophical Transactions, was launched in 1665. The maddening rise in number of ,presented to be, scientific journals may be a dual source of both hope and concern to the scientists. Optimistically, we mean a source of hope, because it may indicate increased dissemination of knowledge, higher contribution of scientists from all over the world, and increased number of scientific journals. We mean a source of concern, because it may , at least partly, indicate increased number of scientifically unsound material.

Undoubtedly, both the number of journals and published articles has been increased during the recent decade. Many academic institutions and societies from developing world countries have started to launch scholarly journals. many such journals may suffer shortage of publishing expertise that in turn affects the quality of published material.

Swedish Science Pioneers(SSP) is determined to play a major role in fostering the production of scientific evidence internationally through supporting and supervising scientists who aim to publish results of sound research work originating from low and middle income countries(LMICs). Sweden is among the countries hosting large number of immigrants from LMICs and values the evidence that may help in improving their health. Nevertheless, this has not been the sole or even main reason for SSP to start developing world journal series. Our main mission is to contribute to the improvement of human health regardless of race, geographical area, religion or any other discriminating factor. We are hoping the Developing World Journal Series, in parallel with our European series, would be of help in achieving our sacred mission. Journal of clinical research & Governance would be among the first in developing world journal series that will benefit from our standards to support publication of research findings from LMICs.