

# Brief Interview with Dr. Fanhong (Editorial Board Member)

## Journal of Bacteriology & Parasitology

**1. How many years have you been associated with the current research?**

About 11 years.

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

I am working on Plant-microbe interactions, specifically the pathogenesis of plant pathogenic bacteria, as well as the interactions between the human pathogen *Salmonella enterica* and plants.

**3. What makes an article top quality?**

The writing is clear and telling the scientific findings like an attractive story. The question investigated is significant. The study approach should be well designed and carefully carried out. Have enough objective and solid data to support the conclusions. The findings will advance our knowledge in that field.

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

The language is acceptable, the data presented are interesting and novel, and the findings are scientifically sound.

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

As a Research Associate, I don't have my own research funding

**6. When did you become an editor of OMICS Journal?**

Jan. 2013.

**7. What is your greatest career accomplishment?**

I have published several peer-reviewed papers and presented my research findings in national and international conferences

**8. How does the research published percolate through to practitioners?**

Through outreach and technology transfer. It will help if the research findings can be applied or have potential to be applied to the real world

**9. What is the purpose of serving as an editor?**

To make contributions to the field and to keep current with new research and interesting ideas.

**10. Do you have any patents?**

No.

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

Yes.

Meng, F. 2013. The virulence factors of the bacterial wilt pathogen *Ralstonia solanacearum*. J Plant Pathol Microb 4: 168 doi: 10.4172/2157-7471.1000168

Meng, F. 2013. *Ralstonia solanacearum* species complex and bacterial wilt disease. J Bacteriol Parasitol 4:e119 doi: 10.4172/2155-9597.1000e119.

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

I hope so. It will depend on the progress of my research.

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

No.

**14. Would you recommend OMICS to your friends or colleagues?**

Yes, I already did and will also do this in the future.

**15. How do you differentiate Journal of Bioengineering & Biomedical Science with other journals in the field?**

It is Open Access, making it easy and fast to access. The reviewing process is very fast, and the duration for publishing a manuscript is short. And it is broad scope.