

# Brief Interview with Dr. Michelle North

## Journal of Allergy & Therapy

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

I have been involved in allergic disease research for 8 years.

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

Dendritic cells, epigenetics and allergic disease

3. What are attributes for a quality article?

A clear purpose and novelty

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

Co-investigator on a CIHR grant

5. When did you become an editor of OMICS Journal?

June 2011

6. Where can the journal find the maximum scope in terms of niche?

Perhaps try to partner with professional allergy societies, advertise at conferences, use social media to promote articles

7. What is your greatest career accomplishment?

I hope I haven't gotten there yet.

8. How does the published scientific content assist the potential researchers?

Dissemination of new information.

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

Serve the community, promote good research.

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?

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

Unknown

14. Your opinion on conducting Editorial Board meetings at related Conferences?

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