

**Call for Applications for Editor-in-Chief,
Alzheimer's & Dementia
An Official Journal of the Alzheimer's Association**

The Alzheimer's Association Editor-in-Chief Search Committee seeks applications for the next **Editor-in-Chief of *Alzheimer's & Dementia: The Journal of the Alzheimer's Association***. Founded in 2005, *Alzheimer's and Dementia* is a peer-reviewed, subscription journal from the Alzheimer's Association. Since its inception in 2005, *Alzheimer's & Dementia* has sought to bridge the knowledge gaps that separate traditional fields of dementia research by rapidly disseminating research and acting as a forum for a variety of articles covering clinical investigations and basic, social and behavioral research.

The Editor-in-Chief is currently supported by an international Editorial Board and Senior Associate Editors and Associate Editors, a professional Managing Editor, and the publisher, Wiley.

The Alzheimer's Association seeks an individual with a strong record of research and publication to guide the strategic development of the journal over the next 5–10 years. The successful applicant will demonstrate a clear strategic vision to manage the content of the journal by working collaboratively with the Association and with the Editors of *Alzheimer's & Dementia's* sister journals, *Alzheimer's & Dementia: Translational Research & Clinical Interventions* (TRCI) and *Alzheimer's & Dementia: Diagnosis, Assessment & Disease Monitoring* (DADM). The successful applicant will demonstrate:

- a compelling strategic vision for the journal's ongoing development and differentiation from reputable journals in the field and unique to *Alzheimer's & Dementia*;
- a firm commitment to diversity, inclusion, access and equity;
- a strong commitment to upholding standards of excellence in peer review;
- excellent communication skills and an outstanding reputation for professionalism and collegiality;
- a collaborative leadership style and a commitment to working collaboratively with the editorial team, staff, society and publisher;
- a strong experience in handling author conflicts of interest, scientific misconduct and plagiarism issues;
- a strong knowledge of **COPE** (Council of Publishing Ethics) and **ICMJE** (International Committee for Medical Journal Editors) guidelines for scientific and clinical research and other best practices in scientific journal management and publishing;
- a clear understanding of trends in scientific journal publishing, including optimizing digital functionality and the deployment of social media channels.
- It is preferred that the candidate has previous editorial experience.

Candidates must demonstrate a deep understanding of the challenges faced by the field of neurodegenerative disease, especially Alzheimer's disease, a passion to build awareness and improve the visibility of the journal, a thorough grounding in current scientific methodology, and broad understanding of the areas of basic and clinical research, public health policies, and clinical trials design and implementation.

Applications are due no later than **January 14, 2022**. Interviews will be held virtually between March and June, 2022. The expectation is that newly submitted manuscripts will be reviewed by the incoming editorial team starting **in Q4 2022**, with the new EIC at the helm on April 1, 2023.

Applications should include:

- Full CV.
- A letter summarizing your vision and goals for *Alzheimer's & Dementia*, 2023–2027.
- A letter of support from your institution (e.g., department chair, dean, provost).
- 2 letters of recommendation from your peers.

Send applications to:

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