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PRESS RELEASE

International Menopause Society announces a new Editorial Team for Climacteric

The International Menopause Society is pleased to announce the establishment of a new editorial structure for the Society's peer-reviewed scientific journal, Climacteric.

Professor Rodney Baber has been appointed Editor in Chief.

Professor Baber has appointed distinguished colleagues to join him as Associate Editors, to help the journal achieve its stated aim of 'striving for excellence and dissemination of evidence-based information on menopause through the publication of high-quality manuscripts, reaching out to the four corners of the globe'.

Each of the Associate Editors will take responsibility for a separate region of the world as shown below:

- Professor Peter Chedraui, Central and South America
- Mr Tim Hillard, United Kingdom and Western Europe
- Dr Jim Pickar, North America
- Professor Yu Qi, Asia
- Dr Tevfik Yoldemir, Eastern Europe, Middle East and Africa

Professor Mary Ann Lumsden, IMS President, commented "I am delighted that Rodney and his new team have agreed to manage our journal in the future. I know they have ambitious plans to take it to a new level, following on from the success of our Chinese translated version, and set in place an editorial policy for growth, which reflects the renewed interest in research in the menopausal field"

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Note to Editors:

Climacteric, the Journal of the International Menopause Society (IMS), was founded in 1998 and has become a leader in publishing peer-reviewed research on the menopause. The 49 members of the Editorial Board are comprised of opinion leaders in the field of menopause research and associated disciplines for the health of women in midlife.

The Editor acts independently to set editorial policy, and the journal is under the direct supervision of the IMS President. The journal is published by Taylor and Francis six times per year.

There will be no change to the process of submission of papers.

Please <u>click here</u> to see the whole Editorial team and a short profile of each new member.

For general information on the International Menopause Society, see http://www.imsociety.org/

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