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Dr. Amy Neustein

Dear Amy:

This letter is written to request your assistance with our Informatics in Medicine Unlocked special issue series. Given your outstanding expertise in the area of biomedical informatics, and your high level of experience as a journal editor, I would be delighted if you would kindly assist us as a special topics editor for the journal. I also extend this invite to Professor Jim Rodger, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, who is an associate editor of Informatics in Medicine Unlocked.

As given permission by our publisher, Elsevier, you may invite any distinguished authors who you feel would be appropriate to send articles for the special focus, with the \$1500 article processing fee waived (no cost to authors). As IMU is an open access journal, all papers can be viewed by anyone. The journal has made great strides in ranking since its inception in 2015, as is evident by the graph trends at its Scimago link–

<https://www.scimagojr.com/journalsearch.php?q=21100780477&tip=sid&clean=0>

Please note to authors – there are no constraints on manuscript submissions – no limit on word count, pages, number of citations, style, and abstract form. The citations can also be of any form, so long as they are complete and uniform. The type of articles that we would accept are original research article, review, and tutorial. The articles must be on bioinformatics topics or very closely related.

I look forward to working with you and Jim on this exciting project.

Sincerely,

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