# Brief Interview with Dr. Toru Hosada

# Anatomy & Physiology: Current Research

1. How many years have you been practicing and/or performing research?

18 years.

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

Cardiovascular regenerative medicine.

3. What makes an article top quality?

Novelty and importance.

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

Reliability to begin with.

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

Yes, from Japan (JSPS).

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

In 2011.

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

Participating in the cardiac stem cell therapy.

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

By clinical trials, I guess.

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

To improve myself.

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, in 2012.

12. Do you plan to contribute any editorials or papers to OMICS Journals in the near

future?

Not likely.

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

No.

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

May be.