

# **Brief Interview with Dr. Hirak S Basu (Editor)**

## **Journal of Chromatography & Separation Techniques**

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

36 Years.

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

Prostate cancer diagnosis and therapy.

- 3. What makes an article top quality?**

Provides a new insight in an area or opens a new field of investigation.

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

Scientific merit. Easy reading. Sufficient data supporting a point.

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

Yes.

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

2007.

- 7. What is your greatest career accomplishment?**

Establishing a biochemical pathway of prostate cancer progression.

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

Through appropriate clinical translation.

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

To guide timely publication of ground breaking work.

- 10. Do you have any patents?**

Yes. 10 issued, 8 filed.

- 11. Have you contributed any editorials or papers (any types) to OMICS Journals in the past two years?**

No.

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

Yes.

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

No.

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

Yes.

**15. How do you differentiate Journal of Chromatography & Separation Techniques with other journals in the field?**

It's a journal for publication of a methodology and platform technology for use in many areas, instead of publication in any one focused area.