## Brief Interview with Dr. Scott Allen Johnson (Editor) Journal of Forensic Research

- 1. How many years have you been associated with the current research? 27 years
- 2. What is the research topic you are working on now? Impact of pornography on sexual and physical assault; also impact of alcohol use and the decision to rape.
- 3. What are attributes for a quality article? Integrity of the data; adequate sample size; a thorough review of the current literature.
- Do you have any research funding (NIH or other national funding) now? No, self-funded.
- 5. When did you become an editor of OMICS Journal? Two years ago.
- 6. Where can the journal find the maximum scope in terms of niche? Affiliation with data sites as they are already associated with.
- 7. What is your greatest career accomplishment?
  Have authored several books, including a forensic psychology text.
- 8. How does the published scientific content assist the potential researchers? It helps to establish a review of prior research findings and set the direction for future research.
- 9. What is the purpose of serving as an editor?

To have peers and experts in the field evaluate an article to assure that proper research protocol have likely been followed (e.g., adequate sample size, appropriate subjects for the topic). Also to ensure that the article has provided a thorough review of the current literature on the topic being discussed as well as to make sure that the hypothesis and conclusions are adequately supported with the data. The editor ensures that the paper meets standards of professional excellence!

- 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?

  Papers but no editorials yet.

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

Yes.

13. How would you define your experience with OMICS Group?

Have not yet been called upon to provide editing of any manuscript but have been published.

14. Your opinion on conducting Editorial Board meetings at related Conferences?

n/a

15. Would you recommend OMICS to your friends or colleagues?

Yes. I utilize all of my articles to highlight journals that I am published in, including those of OMICS. I provide the link for OMICS to my students, some have already become members and I am aware of numerous others that have purchased journals.

16. How do you differentiate Journal of Forensic Research with other journals in the field?

International Journal Of Emergency Mental Health & Human Resilience provides comparable quality as others journals, including the Journal of Offender Rehabilition and other internationally renown journals.