

# All change for The Journal: Welcome new members, farewell old colleague and friend

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## Editorial

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This month's editorial is dedicated to our departing Senior Editor, Edward Fisher, who is retiring from the position of Senior Editor. Edward has served 15 years as Senior Editor for The Journal, having taken up the position in 2010. We would like to thank him immensely for his leadership, hard work, and dedication to The Journal over this period. It has truly been a privilege and pleasure working alongside him. As Edward embarks on this new chapter, he can take great pride in the knowledge that The Journal remains in a strong position, some 138 years since it was founded in 1887. We wish him a happy, healthy and fulfilling retirement.

Looking ahead, myself, Ann-Louise McDermott and Stephen Jones, will become Senior Editors. We also warmly welcome Paul Nix, who takes up the position of Senior Assistant Editor and Hitesh Tailor who takes up the position of Website Editor. Liam Flood continues in his current role as Senior Assistant Editor.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our Assistant Editors and reviewers. For any author or reviewer enquiries, please contact our Journal Managing Editor, Catherine Hyland, at: [managing-editor@jlo.co.uk](mailto:managing-editor@jlo.co.uk).

Key papers for box on right side:

Management of drop attacks in Meniere's disease: a systematic literature review.

Systematic review and meta-analysis of the efficacy of dabrafenib and trametinib in the multi-modal treatment of anaplastic thyroid cancer.

Prevalence and risk factors for dysplasia and malignancy in recurrent respiratory papillomatosis.

Hypoglossal nerve stimulation in patients outside the STAR trial criteria: a systematic review.

For box on left side:

Predicting fall risk in elderly individuals: a comparative analysis of machine learning models.

Comparative analysis of pre-meatal and post-aural approaches in tympanoplasty: patient perspectives and quality of life.

Investigating the requirement for nasogastric tube feeding following transoral robotic surgery for head and neck cancer.

Squamous cell carcinoma of the posterior pharyngeal wall: a comparative analysis of oropharyngeal origin versus hypopharyngeal origin.