International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis Partners with Wiley to Launch New Open Access Journal

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The International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH), in partnership with John Wiley and Sons, Inc. (NYSE: JWa and JWb), announces the launch of the Society's new open access journal, Research and Practice in Thrombosis and Haemostasis (RPTH)

CHAPEL HILL, NC, USA, January 9, 2017 – The International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH), in partnership with John Wiley and Sons, Inc. (NYSE: JWa and JWb), announces the launch of the Society’s new open access journal, Research and Practice in Thrombosis and Haemostasis (RPTH), with its inaugural issue to publish in conjunction with the meeting of the ISTH 2017 Congress in Berlin, Germany, July 8-13.

Complementing the Society’s flagship journal, the Journal of Thrombosis and Haemostasis (JTH), RPTH will provide an innovative new open access platform for science and discourse among researchers, clinicians and patients. It will publish a broad array of article types covering the widest possible spectrum of topics in thrombosis, hemostasis and related areas. Studies by multidisciplinary research groups, from emerging areas of research and from under-represented regions of the world, will be of particular interest.

Mary Cushman, M.D., M.Sc., professor of medicine at the Larner College of Medicine at the University of Vermont, and director of the thrombosis and hemostasis program at the University of Vermont Medical Center in the United States, will lead the launch of the journal as its inaugural Editor-in-Chief. The editorial team working with Dr. Cushman represents all areas of the world and includes: Pantep Angchaisuksiri (Thailand), Cihan Ay (Austria), Suzanne Cannegieter (The Netherlands), Adam Cuker (USA), Susan Kahn (Canada), Fiona Newell (Australia), Yotis Senis (UK) and Alisa Wolberg (USA).

“RPTH epitomizes the current era of inter-disciplinary scientific discovery and new methods of knowledge dissemination,” Cushman said. “Capitalizing on its open access and online-only format, RPTH will provide unrestricted access to scientific results from around the globe as a ‘living journal,’ serving as an important catalyst for digital discussion. In so doing, it will also provide the public with ease of access to research findings.”

Published in partnership with Wiley, RPTH is interested in basic, clinical, translational and population or public health research. Studies and trials covering quality of care, outcomes, dissemination and implementation science are sought, including work on novel care delivery especially in areas of resource constraint around the world.

The journal is now accepting submissions. For more information and to submit an article for consideration, visit www.rpth.isth.org and follow RPTH on Twitter @RPTHJournal.

About RPTH

New in 2017, RPTH is a rigorously peer-reviewed, open access, e-only publication of the ISTH that offers
authors a new venue and model for publishing their research results. The peer review and publication process is streamlined and fast and there is no barrier to library or personal access to full-text material. Submission of longer articles or publications with novel formatting content—which typically cannot be accommodated in print journals because of page limitations—is encouraged. The journal promotes publication of research providing open access data. Visit www.rpth.isth.org for more information.

About the ISTH

Founded in 1969, the ISTH is the leading worldwide not-for-profit organization dedicated to advancing the understanding, prevention, diagnosis and treatment of thrombotic and bleeding disorders. ISTH is an international professional membership organization with more than 4,000 clinicians, researchers and educators working together to improve the lives of patients in more than 94 countries around the world. Among its highly regarded activities and initiatives are education and standardization programs, research activities, meetings and congresses, peer-reviewed publications, expert committees and World Thrombosis Day on 13 October. Visit ISTH online at http://www.isth.org/.

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