



EiC and Editorial Board Vacancies for a new launch journal:

Medical Sensors & Imaging

The Institute of Physics Publishing (IOPP) and the Institute of Physics and Engineering in Medicine (IPEM) are excited to announce an opportunity for an enthusiastic and experienced **Editor-in-Chief**—or two **Co-Editors-in-Chief**—to lead the launch of our new open access journal, *Medical Sensors & Imaging*.

We are looking for a visionary leader (or leaders) with a deep passion for innovative research at the intersection of physics and biomedical sciences. The role may be structured as a co-EiC model, with one Editor-in-Chief focusing on *sensors* and the other on *imaging*, to reflect the journal's dual focus and ensure strong leadership across both domains.

The ideal candidate(s) will be driven to propel the journal forward, ensuring the publication of high-quality, impactful research and helping to shape the journal's strategic direction from the outset.

MSI will be dedicated to advancing personalized health through cutting-edge research at the intersection of physics and biomedical sciences. MSI will focus on the convergence of traditional medical physics disciplines with emerging fields such as quantum technologies, machine learning, and personalized healthcare, particularly as they pertain to medical sensors and imaging.

We are seeking a number of editorial roles including: Editor-in-Chief; Executive Editors and Editorial Board Members.

1. About the EiC / Co-EiC Role

As the Editor-in-Chief or Co-Editor-in-Chief, you will serve as the journal's scientific advisor, providing valuable community insights and acting as a strong advocate for the journal. You will play a pivotal role in defining and building the scope of the journal, enhancing its status and visibility within the scientific community.

As Editor-in-Chief, you will collaborate with the IOPP journal team to launch *Medical Sensors & Imaging* by shaping its scope and setting its strategic direction to ensure significant impact within the global physics and biomedical sciences community. Working closely with the IOPP Publisher, you will help create and lead the Editorial Board, identifying key areas for growth, implementing editorial initiatives, and achieving the journal's aims.

The role will start November 1st 2025. The journal will be open for submissions at the end of November 2025, the first issue will be published Q2 2026.

In this role, you will:

- **Build:** Define and expand the journal's scope to cover emerging and impactful areas within medical sensors and imaging.
- **Lead:** Provide scientific guidance and leadership to the Editorial Board, ensuring the journal's content is of the highest quality and relevance.
- **Advocate:** Act as an ambassador for the journal, enhancing its status and visibility within the scientific community.
- **Innovate:** Collaborate with the Editorial Board to develop new ideas and initiatives that reflect the evolving landscape of biomedical physics research.

What We Offer

- **An annual honorarium.** The term is for three years, with possibility for extension.
- **Flexible Working Hours:** We understand the importance of work-life balance and offer flexibility to accommodate your professional and personal commitments. The role requires approximately 3.5 hours per week.
- **Diversity and Inclusion:** IOPP is committed to fostering a diverse and inclusive environment. We encourage applications from individuals of all genders, backgrounds, and career stages. We believe diversity enriches our community and enhances our ability to innovate.
- **Professional Growth:** This role offers an excellent opportunity to expand your professional network, develop leadership skills, and contribute to the advancement of physics research on a global scale.

Ideal Candidate

We are looking for a candidate who has:

- **Extensive Knowledge:** A broad understanding of the field of physics and biomedical sciences.
- **Editorial skills:** Objective and astute editorial decision-making.
- **Leadership Skills:** Strong leadership qualities with the ability to inspire and manage an international team.
- **Effective Communication:** Excellent communication skills, with the ability to influence and engage diverse audiences.
- **Commitment to Integrity:** A strong commitment to scholarly integrity and ethical publishing practices.
- **Alignment with DEI Goals:** A commitment to promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion in all aspects of the role.

- **Adaptability:** A dynamic approach to adapting to the rapidly changing publishing environment.

2. About the Executive Editor Role

As Executive Editorial Board Member (EEBM), you will play a key role in ensuring that the Journal attracts submissions of high quality invited content and in the editorial development of the Journal. In summary we require you to be responsible for: **Commissioning high quality work for MSI; acting as an ambassador for the journal; submitting some of your best work to MSI.**

3. About the Editorial Board Member Role

As an Editorial Board Member (EBM), you will play a key role in ensuring the quality of the published articles and in the editorial development of the Journal in three principal ways: **Overseeing peer review of articles in your area of expertise; acting as an ambassador for MSI; submitting some of your best work to the Journal.**

The peer review process is managed by IOP Publishing's expert peer review team, who work closely with the Editorial Board to provide a rapid, high quality service.

Application Process

We value the unique perspectives and experiences of all applicants. To apply, please confirm which role you are applying for and then submit:

- **A current CV**
- **A one-page vision statement** outlining your goals for the journal over the next three years. In this statement, please address:
 - Opportunities for the journal's development
 - Strategies to build the journal's scope and impact
 - Your editorial experience
 - Your commitment to open research and diversity in publishing.

Applications for any of the roles should be sent to EditorialBoards@ioppublishing.org by **October 6th 2025.**

About *Medical Sensors & Imaging*

Medical Sensors & Imaging will launch in 2026 and be published by IOP Publishing on behalf of the Institute of Physics and Engineering in Medicine (IPEM). It will be an international open access journal, aiming to advance the field of personalized health through publishing innovative research at the intersection of physics and biomedical sciences.

MSI will focus on the convergence of traditional medical physics disciplines with emerging fields such as quantum technologies, machine learning, and personalized healthcare, particularly as they pertain to medical sensors and imaging.

MSI will publish groundbreaking findings in medical image processing, analysis, visualization, and instrumentation, as well as the development and application of biomedical sensors. We are

committed to disseminating research that not only enhances scientific understanding but also has tangible applications in improving patient care and health outcomes.

MSI aims to be a leading source of innovative research and developments in medical sensing and imaging technologies. We will publish content that is of significant interest to academia, industry professionals, medical engineers, and clinicians.

About IOP Publishing

IOP Publishing is a society-owned scientific publisher, delivering impact, recognition and value to the scientific community. Its purpose is to expand the world of physics, offering a portfolio of journals, ebooks, conference proceedings and science news resources globally.

IOPP is a member of [Purpose-Led Publishing](#), a coalition of society publishers who pledge to put purpose above profit.

As a wholly owned subsidiary of the Institute of Physics, a not-for-profit society, IOP Publishing supports the Institute's work to inspire people to develop their knowledge, understanding and enjoyment of physics. Visit ioppublishing.org to learn more.

About Institute of Physics and Engineering in Medicine

IPEM represents a professional group of scientists, engineers, and technologists in clinical, industrial and academic employment. IPEM's charitable object is: *To promote for the public benefit the advancement of physics and engineering applied to medicine and biology and to advance public education in the field.*

Mission Improving health through Physics and Engineering in Medicine

Vision Developing the professional, improving healthcare, transforming lives together

To achieve this, we are a membership body which seeks to advance professionalism, a learned society offering education, training and development resources and an advocating voice on behalf of our members.