

# AOT Annual Report (2019)

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## 1. Basic Information

- Newly launched in **December 2016**
- **International, Peer-reviewed, Open-Access**
- Under the evaluation of being indexed in PubMed
- The AOT journal will serve as a dedicated platform where key questions in the field of thyroid may be answered by publishing flexible and diverse article types in **a fast electronic publication mode.**
- URL: <http://aot.amegroups.com/index>

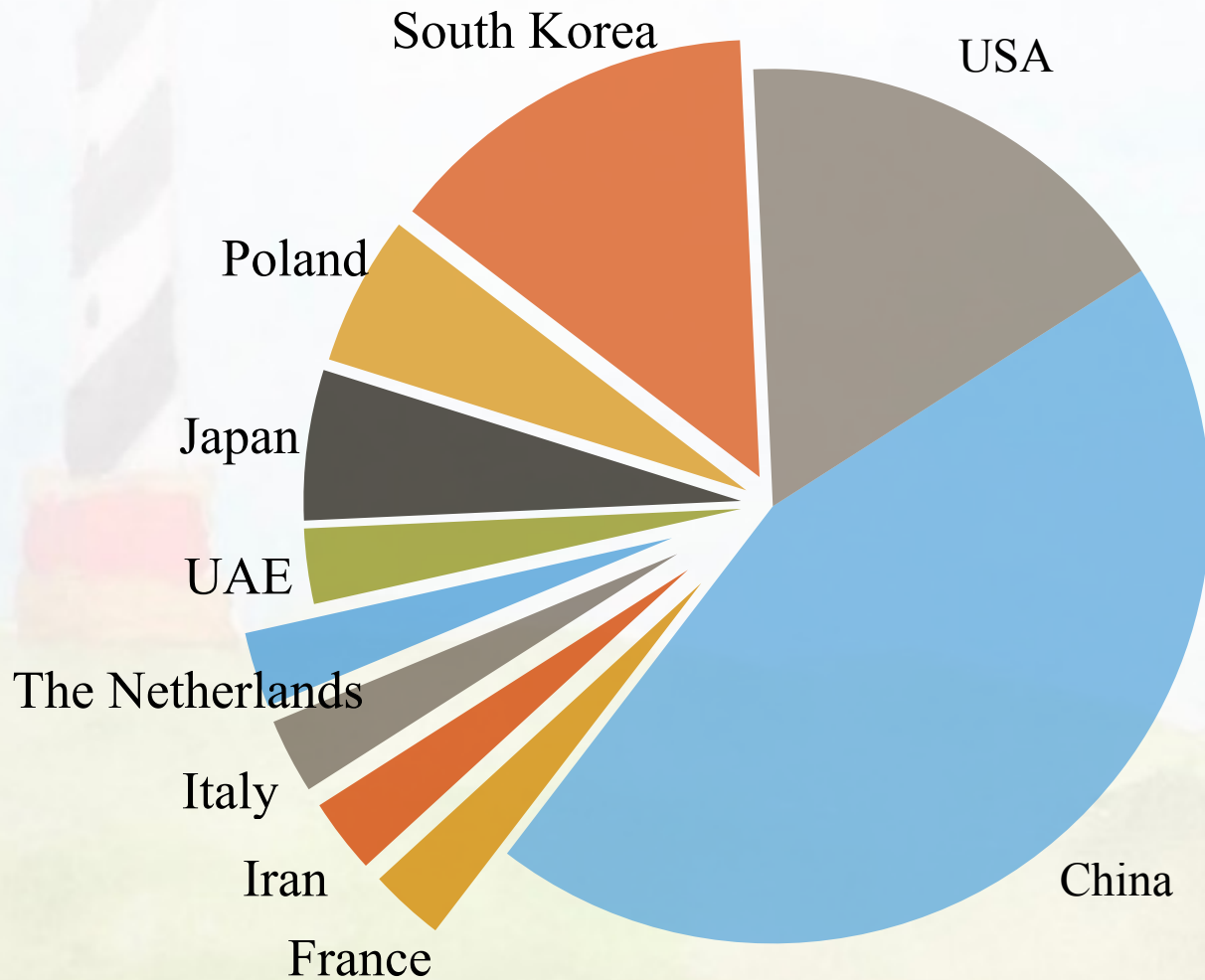


## **2. Editor-in-Chief**



**Wen Tian, MD, PhD**

Department of General Surgery,  
Chinese People's Liberation Army  
General Hospital, Beijing, China



### 3. Editorial Board Members (Geographical Distribution)

**34** Board Members come from different countries and regions with the majority from the **USA, China, and South Korea.**

## 3. Editorial Board Members (An Over-View)

The AOT Editorial Board has included **36** renown experts from **10** countries/regions so far, with **2** recruited in 2019. URL: <http://aot.amegroups.com/about/editorialTeam>





## 3. Editorial Board Members (in-house activities)



Figure 1-3 A mini editorial board meeting was held in Harbin, China on July 26, 2019.

Figure 4 In 2019, Dr. Wen Tian met and communicated with some of the editorial board members during an international meeting.

## 4.1 Amount of Published Articles in 2019



AOT altogether published **21** articles in 2019 with diverse article types including review articles, original articles, meet the professor, news. The totality of publications is **72** since its launch in December 2016.

URL: <http://aot.amegroups.com/issue/all>



## 4.2 Amount of Published Articles in 2019

In 2019, **10 interviews of corresponding authors** from the upcoming focused issue “The Management of Thyroid Tumors in 2020 and Beyond” were conducted and highlighted in the Special column “**Meet the Professor**”. URL: <http://aot.amegroups.com/post/category/meet-the-professor>

MEET THE PROFESSOR



CATHERINE F. SINCLAIR

MEET THE PROFESSOR



CHRISTOPHER BRITT

MEET THE PROFESSOR



RAYMON H. GROGAN

MEET THE PROFESSOR



VICTORIA BANUCHI

MEET THE PROFESSOR



VANINDER K. DHILLON

MEET THE PROFESSOR



GUSTAVO G. FERNANDEZ-RANVIER

MEET THE PROFESSOR



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YOUNG JUN CHAI

MEET THE PROFESSOR



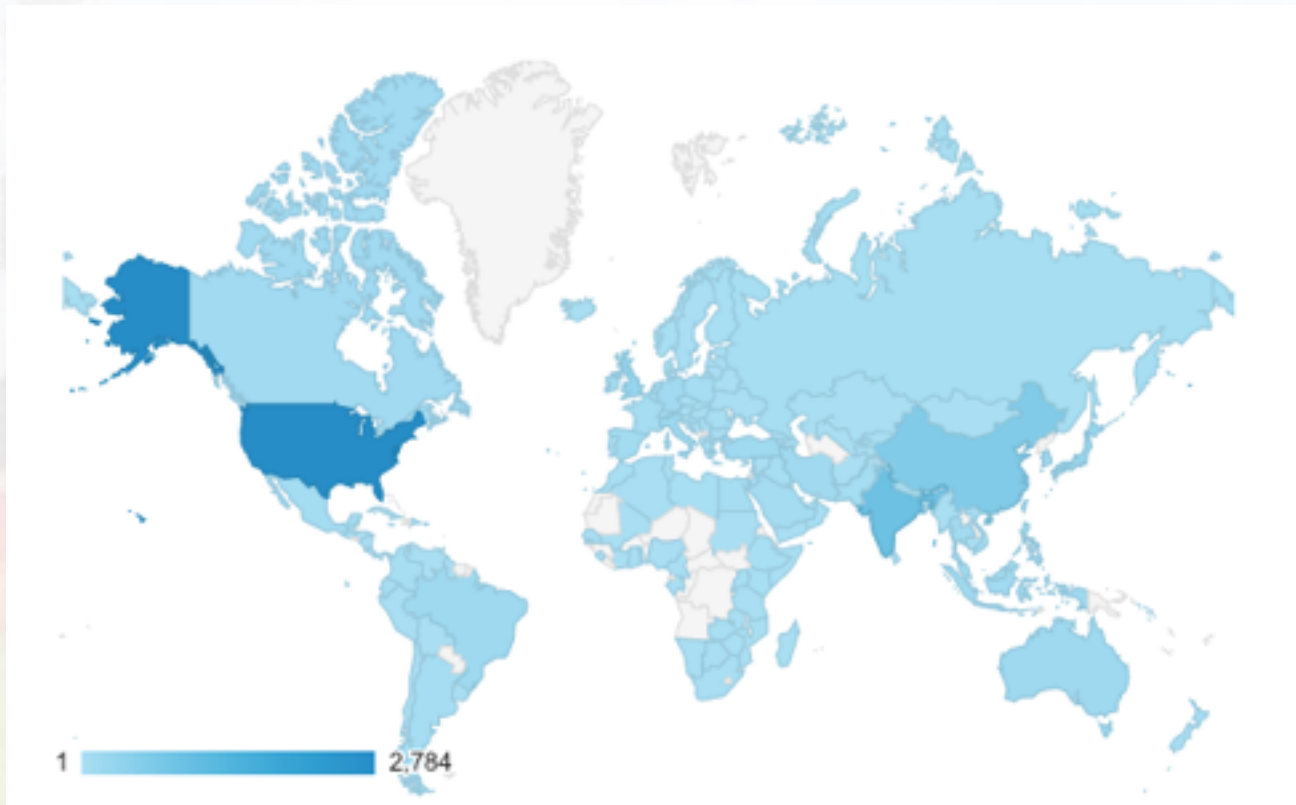
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MEET THE PROFESSOR



RYAN K. OROSCO

## 5. Website Visits in 2019



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| 1.  |  United States  | <b>2,784</b> (28.21%) |
| 2.  |  India          | <b>1,029</b> (10.43%) |
| 3.  |  China          | <b>678</b> (6.87%)    |
| 4.  |  United Kingdom | <b>317</b> (3.21%)    |
| 5.  |  Japan          | <b>296</b> (3.00%)    |
| 6.  |  South Korea    | <b>224</b> (2.27%)    |
| 7.  |  Italy          | <b>212</b> (2.15%)    |
| 8.  |  Brazil         | <b>203</b> (2.06%)    |
| 9.  |  Australia     | <b>201</b> (2.04%)    |
| 10. |  Taiwan       | <b>171</b> (1.73%)    |

All together **9717** visitors with **27,661** pageviews in 2019. Readers who visited AOT website were from diverse regions, with the majority from USA, followed by India, China, UK, Japan, South Korea, Italy, Brazil, Australia, Taiwan. (Data from Google Analytics)

## 6. Published Focused Issues and Guest Editors in 2019

### Focused Issue

*The protection and monitoring of superior and recurrent laryngeal nerve in thyroid and parathyroid surgery*

### GUEST EDITORS



MARCIN BARCZYŃSKI; HUI SUN; XIAOLI LIU



## 7. Upcoming Focused Issues and Guest Editors

### Focused Issue

*The Management of Thyroid Tumors in 2020 and Beyond*



JEREMY D. RICHMOND; JON RUSSELL

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### Focused Issue

*Recent challenges in the management of thyroid tumors*



**Marcin Barczyński**

Jagiellonian University,  
Medical College,  
Kraków, Poland



**Maurizio Iacobone**

University of Padua,  
Padua, Italy

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### Focused Issue

*Review on the main guidelines of thyroid disease*



**Quan-Yang Duh, MD**

Department of Surgery, University of California, San  
Francisco, San Francisco, CA, USA



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### Focused Issue

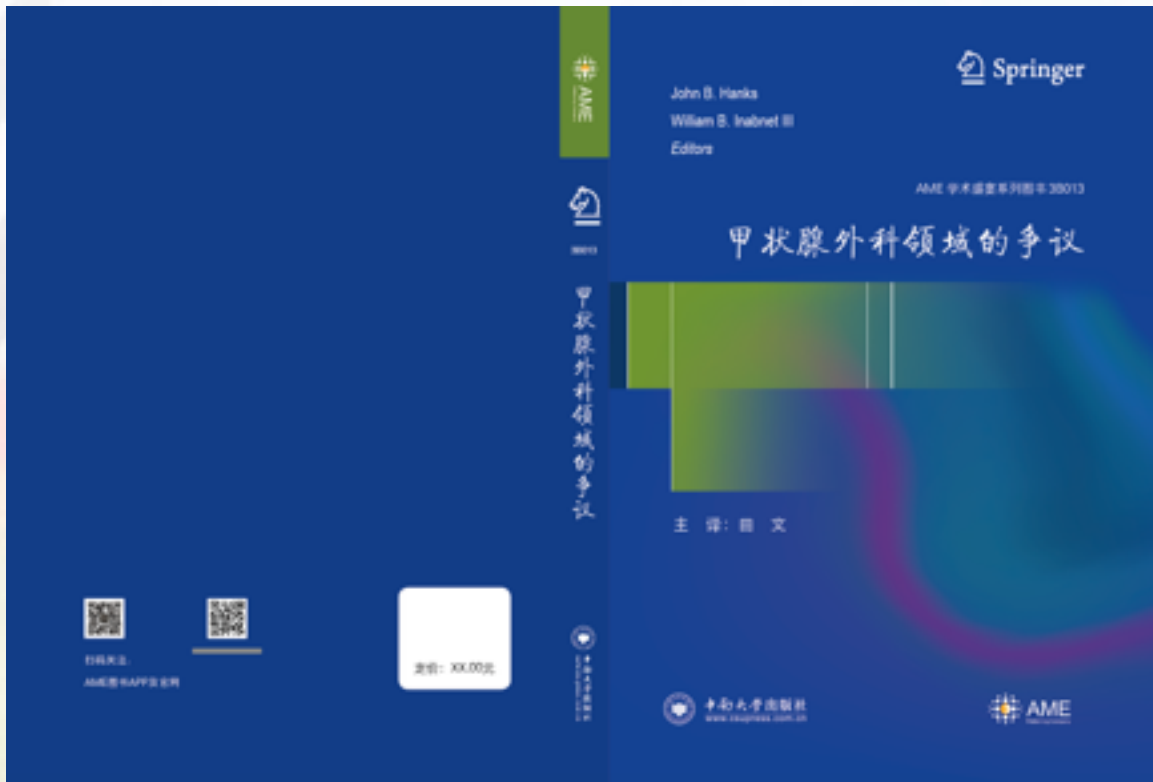
### *Translational Research on Thyroid Cancer*



**Menno Vriens**

University Medical Center Utrecht, Utrecht, The Netherlands

## 8. An upcoming book—Controversies in Thyroid Surgery



AOT's Chinese editorial board members are working on translating the book *Controversies in Thyroid Surgery* into Chinese. This book will be more comprehensive by adding review articles related to Chinese data.

## 9. The Publisher: AME Publishing Company

Our Publisher–

**AME Publishing Company**

[www.amegroups.com](http://www.amegroups.com)

- Established in 2009
- Registered in Hong Kong
- 10 offices around the world
- **60+** peer-reviewed journals
  - **13** indexed in SCIE
  - **18** indexed in PubMed/PMC/MEDLINE
- **120+** Medical Books
  - **60+** Medical Books in English
  - **60+** Medical Books in Chinese





The background is a watercolor-style illustration. On the left, a lighthouse with a black and white striped tower and a red base sits on a green grassy hill. The sky is a mix of light and dark blue washes, and the bottom right corner shows a glimpse of a blue sea.

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