Path to Publish- Focus on Impact

The 2017 citation metrics have been released and *The American Journal of Pathology* is pleased to have shown an impact factor increase for the first time in the last few years. Improving the impact factor has been a priority for the Editors and staff, and moving up slightly to 4.069 (from 4.057 in 2016) reflects the improvements made to article selection and review article solicitation over the last couple years. Remember to look to *AJP* when sourcing your next article!

Editor’s Choice - ASIP Member Submission

- **Increasing Cardiomyocyte Atrogin-1 Reduces Aging-Associated Fibrosis and Regulates Remodeling in Vivo**

Short Communications

- **Human Streptococcal Necrotizing Fasciitis Histopathology Mirrored in a Murine Model**
- **Immunolabeling of Cleared Human Pancreata Provides Insights into Three-Dimensional Pancreatic Anatomy and Pathology**

AJP in the News

- **Researchers find a promising new approach for treating liver cirrhosis**
- **Beneficial Effects of the Peroxisome Proliferator-Activated Receptor α/γ Agonist Aleglitazar on Progressive Hepatic and Splanchnic Abnormalities in Cirrhotic Rats with Portal Hypertension**

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Manuscript Prep

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