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Dear Mr. Pös,

On behalf of the European Journal of Human Genetics and Springer Nature Publishing Group, I am pleased to advise you that you have been selected as joint winner of the 2<sup>nd</sup> prize EJHG 2020 Award, for your manuscript "Circulating cell free nucleic acids: characteristics and applications" for receiving 11 citations in the first calendar year following publication of research papers published in 2018 in the European Journal of Human Genetics.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the resulting cancelation of the ESHG meeting to be held in Berlin, Germany, the prize will be deferred to 2021. This will entitle you to free ESHG Membership for 2021, including the EJHG subscription, electronic, for the rest of this year and next year. In order to allow you to receive the award, you are also entitled to a free registration to the 2021 ESHG meeting, to be held in Glasgow, United Kingdom, June 12-15, 2021. Please note that the award will be handed out in the afternoon of the last day of the meeting. We would appreciate it if you could confirm your attendance, or wish to defer, as soon as possible so that we can make the necessary arrangements and allowances for the award ceremony.

Yours sincerely,

Prof. Gertjan B. van Ommen, Ph.D.

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