

## Vacancy - Statistical Editor, Thorax

[Thorax](#) is seeking enthusiastic Statistical Editors to join its [editorial team](#).

### About Thorax

Thorax is published by BMJ in partnership with the British Thoracic Society. With an impact factor of 9 (JCR 2023) and CiteScore of 16.1, it is one of the most cited and widely read journals in the field. It publishes cutting-edge original research, review papers and educational content across the breadth of respiratory medicine and related specialties.

### The role involves:

- providing timely statistical review on papers assigned to you using the ScholarOne submission system
- making recommendations on the suitability of submissions for publication from a methodological standpoint, indicating what has been done well and what requires clarification and/or improvement

### The role offers:

- an active role in the decision-making process at a high-profile academic journal
- membership of a dynamic and committed editorial team and inclusion on the journal's [editorial board page](#)
- engagement and collaboration with respiratory professionals worldwide
- informal professional development through exposure to new methods and practices
- a modest biannual honorarium based on the quantity of statistical reviews provided

### The ideal candidate will:

- have a solid grounding in designing and running statistical and/or epidemiological analysis (experience with machine learning is welcome but certainly not necessary)
- have experience of critically appraising research articles and giving constructive feedback
- be organised and used to meeting deadlines

Statistical Editors will report to the Deputy Statistical Editor and Editors-in-Chief and will be invited to contribute to meetings of the statistical editor team (by videoconference). Papers are allocated to SEs based on their areas of expertise (clinical trials, experimental medicine, genomics etc).

Candidates wishing to find out more about the role may approach Alex Bottle ([robert.bottle@imperial.ac.uk](mailto:robert.bottle@imperial.ac.uk)), Deputy Statistical Editor, Thorax, for an informal discussion.

**To apply:** please send your CV and short covering letter to Anna Savage ([asavage@bmj.com](mailto:asavage@bmj.com)), Publishing Executive, BMJ by **Friday 30 August 2024**.