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Welcome to the Journal of Oleo Science!

Hopefully, I believe the JOS will be full of English text papers in order to promote further progress of the research on Oleo Science and the exchange of more information among researchers all over the world. And impact factor should be essential for our journal in order to increase the number of papers in English. For this purpose, we have applied for authorization as urgent business to THOMSON REUTERS in U.S.A. since March 2005.

And we, JOS have got AN AMAZING NEWS for you. We received a letter from THOMSON REUTERS (http://scientific.thomsonreuters.com/) in November, 2008.
The subject matter of the letter is as follows:

November 14, 2008

Dear Publications Director,

I’m pleased to inform you that Journal of Oleo Science has been selected for coverage in Thomson Reuters products and custom information services. Beginning with Vol.57 (1) 2008, this publication will be indexed and abstracted in the following:

- Science Citation Index Expanded (also known as SciSearch)
- Chemistry Citation Index
- Journal Citation Reports/Science Edition

In the future Journal of Oleo Science may be evaluated and included in additional Thomson Reuters products and information services to meet the needs of the scientific and scholarly research community.

As Editor-in-Chief, I think that it is important for us to aim at the following four pillars in developing the JOS further.

They are Globalization (scientific knowledge and technology on global level), Originality (ability to make creative and inventive study), Ability (ability to solve various scientific problems) and Humanity (pregnant human nature that can contribute to a society through science).

Lastly, I would like to express my special thanks to everyone. JOS could not exist without your help. It is my great pleasure to end up my foreword with asking you for your support and contribution to JOS from many countries in the world.

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