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## **APC Annual Report (2021)**

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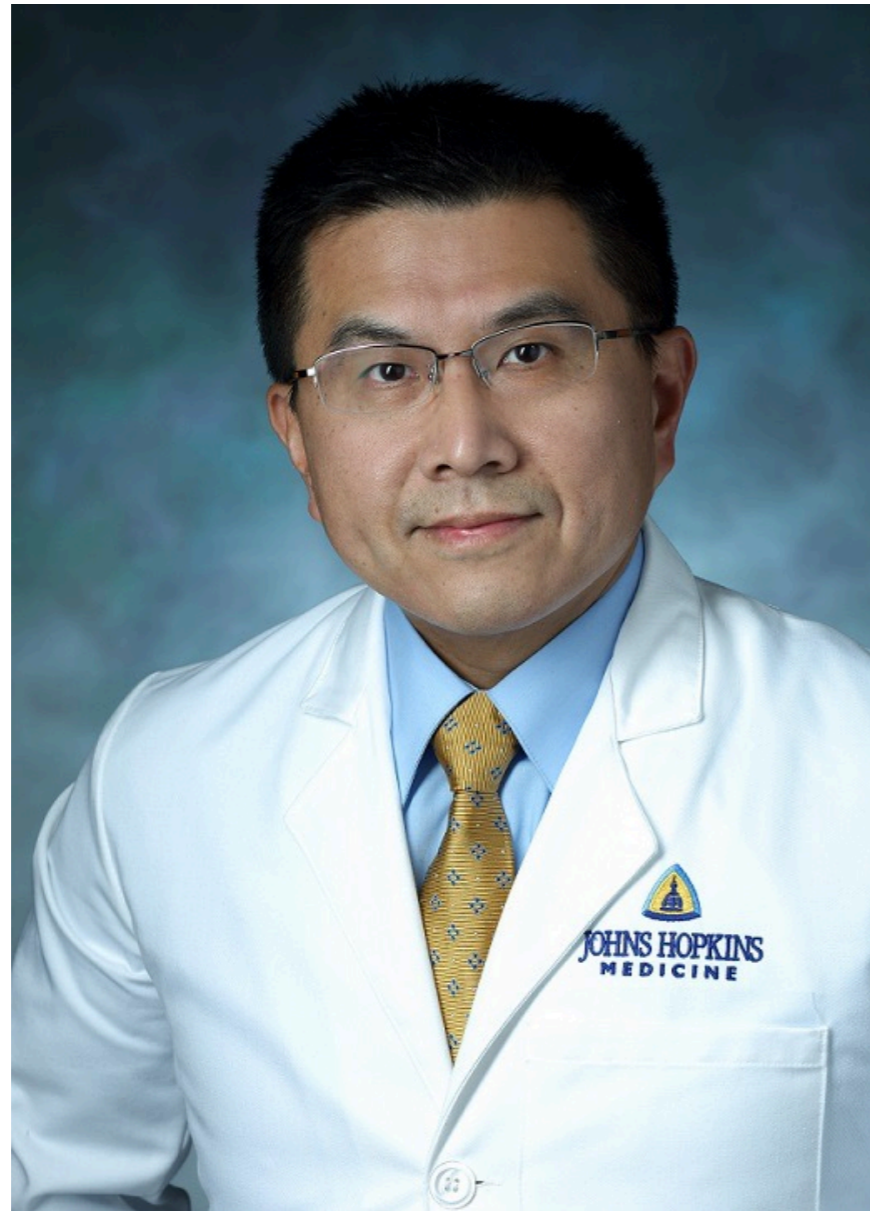
## 1. Basic Information

- Open-access
- Peer-reviewed
- Electronic Publication
- launched in January 2018

*Annals of Pancreatic Cancer*, a journal for all researchers in the field of pancreatic cancer and for all health care providers who manage the care of pancreatic cancer patients. The journal will cover topics from all aspects of pancreatic cancer including basic biology and immunology, epidemiology, prevention, diagnosis, treatment, and supportive care.



## 2. Editor-in-Chief



**Lei Zheng, MD, PhD.**

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### **3. Message from the Editor-in-Chief**

On behalf of the editorial team, I would like to express sincere appreciation for the enthusiastic and vigorous support and contributions from all editorial board members, guest editors, authors, and readers from the inception of the journal.

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## 4. Associate Editors



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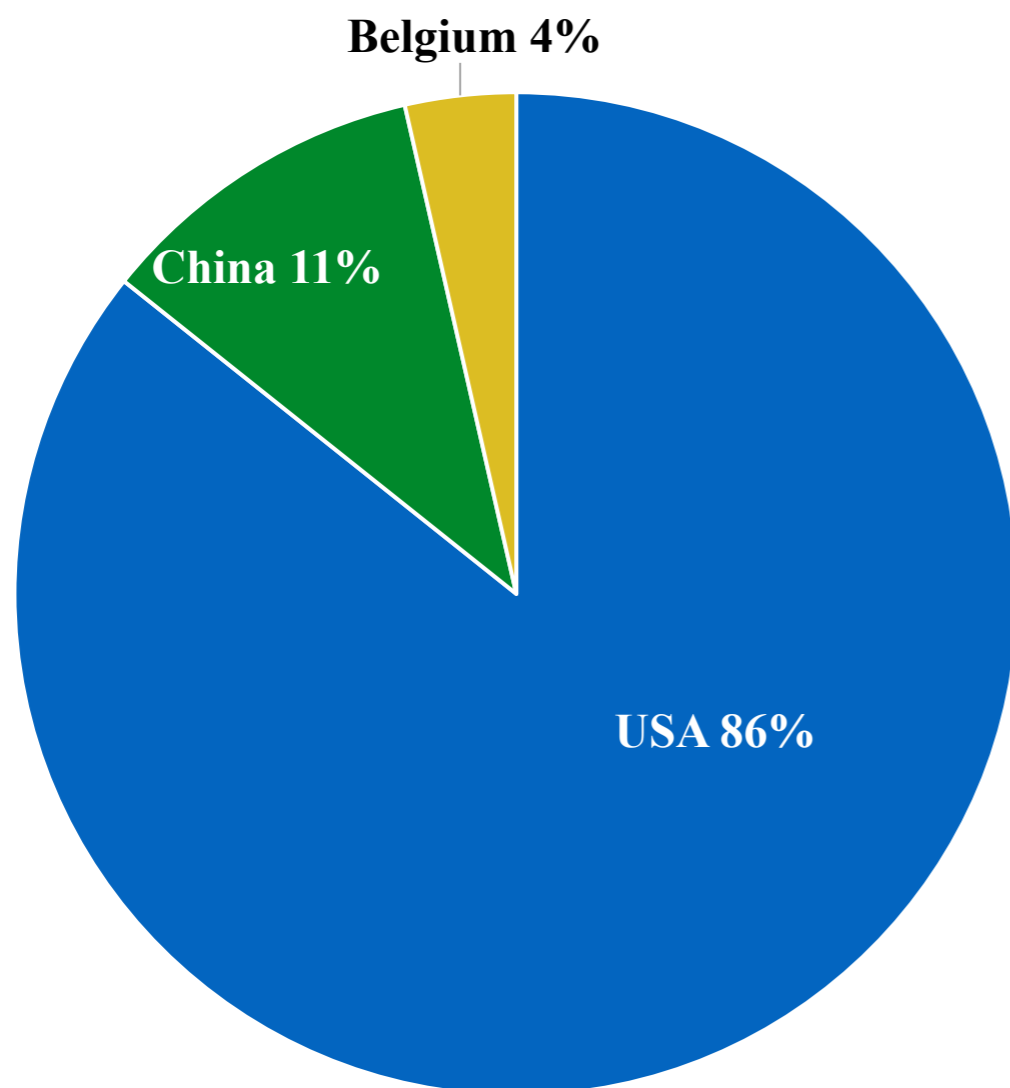
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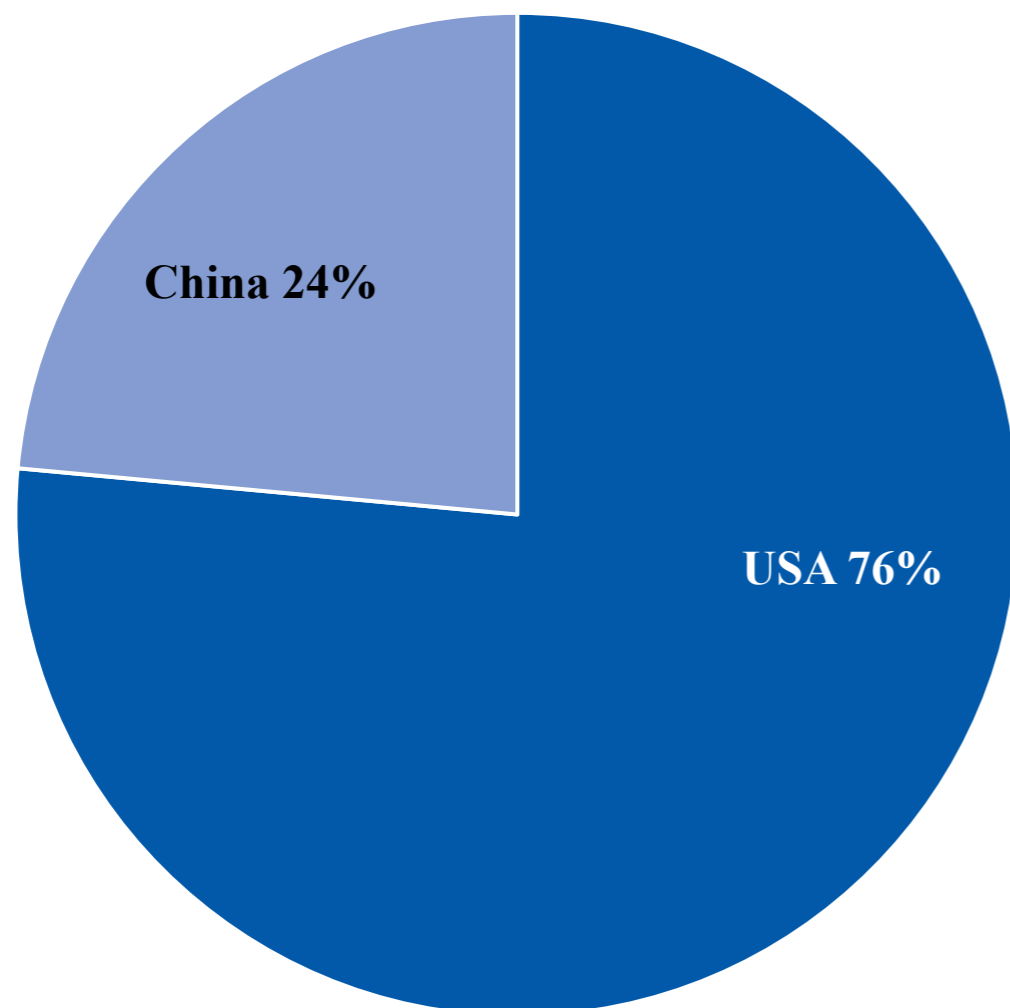
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## 5. Geographic Distribution of Editorial Board Members



APC has assembled **28** international experts leading the field of pancreatic cancer to join Editorial Board, with the majority from the **US (86%)**, followed by **China (11%)** and **Belgium (4%)**.

## 6. Geographic Distribution of Section Editors



APC has assembled **17** international experts leading the field of pancreatic cancer to serve as Section Editors. They are from the **US (76%) and China (24%)**.



## 7. Special Column: Case Report/Precision Medicine

Pancreatic cancer patients have not benefited from the rising tide of improved overall cancer survival brought about by precision medicine. However, a small subgroup of pancreatic cancer patients have exceptional outcomes. Rare tumor mutations also define small subgroups of pancreatic cancer patients who may respond to the targeted therapies that match to the rare mutations. Prospective clinical trials with a large sample size are unlikely to be developed to investigate such small subgroups of patients. **This special column is thus established for sharing the knowledge on these small subgroups of patients and for inspiring the development of new concepts and strategies of identifying the biological determinants that define these small subgroups and subsequently tailoring their management.**

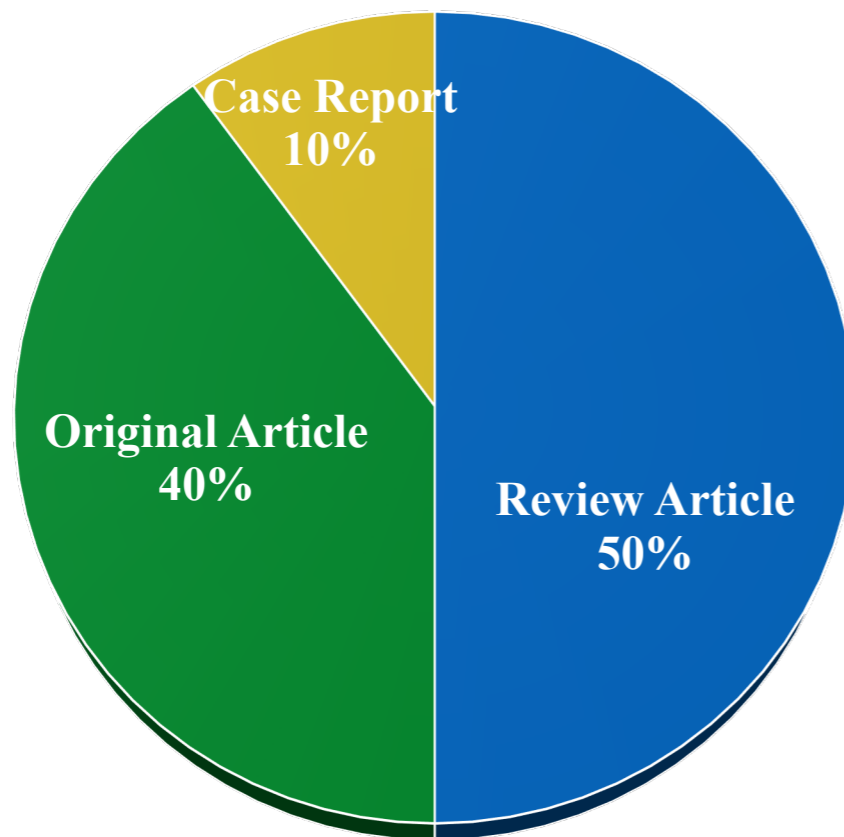
**Xu Che, MD, PhD**

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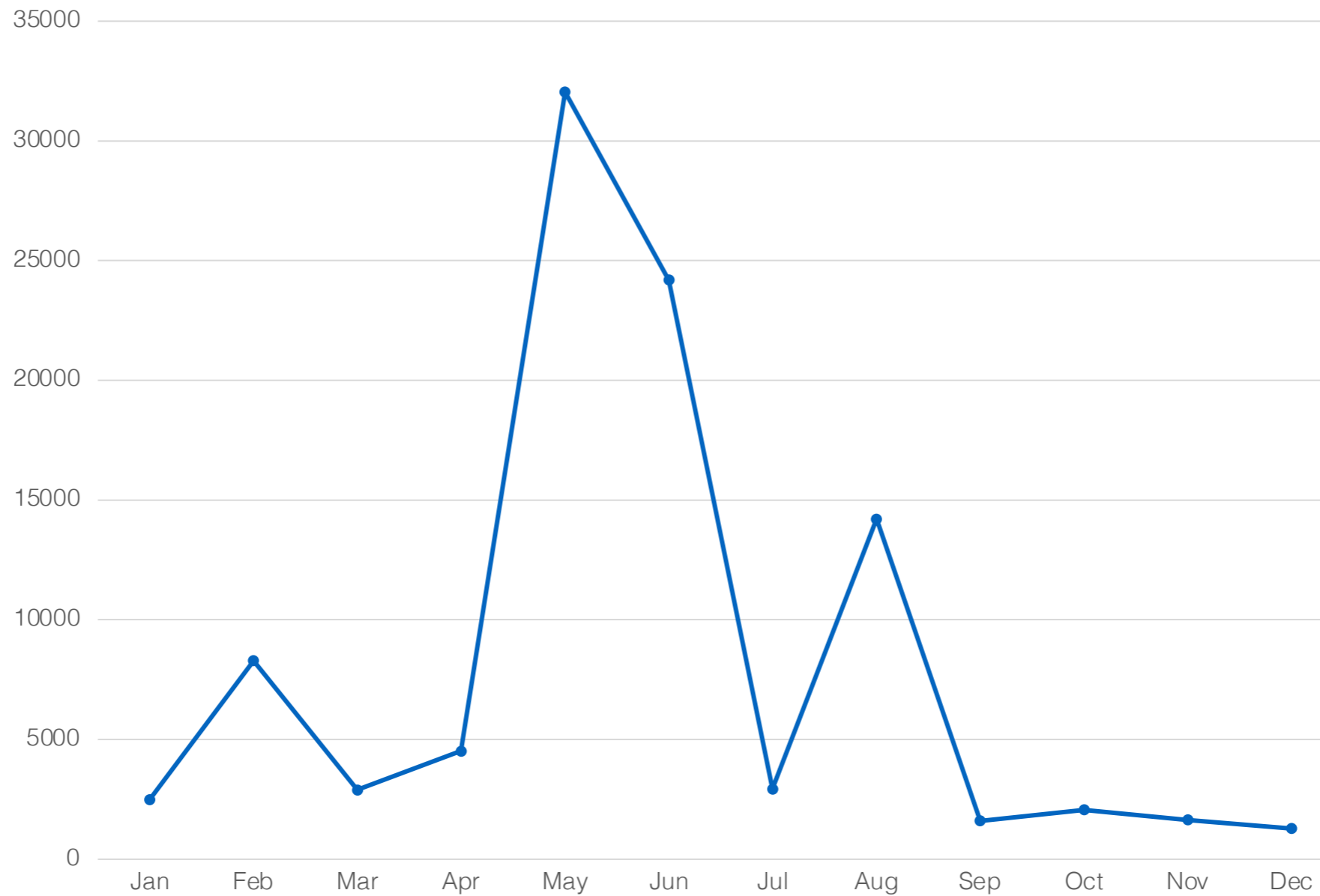
*The Pancreatic Cancer Precision Medicine Center of Excellence Program, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, Maryland, USA.*

## 8. Diverse Types of Articles Published in 2021



*Annals of Pancreatic Cancer* has published **10** articles in total in 2021, among which **9** are Review Articles & Original Articles. Corresponding authors come from **3** Countries: **The USA, UK and Australia.**











## 9. Pageviews of the Website in 2021



Notes: Google Analytics, Jan 1, 2021 – Dec 31, 2021

## 10. Distribution of Website Visits in 2021

All together **20,131** visitors in 2021. Readers who visited APC website were from diverse countries/regions, with the majority from **the United States, followed by the Netherlands, Finland and United Kingdom**. Other countries/regions include **China, Austria and France, etc.**

Country	Users	Users
	20,131 % of Total: 100.00% (20,131)	20,131 % of Total: 100.00% (20,131)
1.  United States	8,479	42.23%
2.  Netherlands	1,461	7.28%
3.  Finland	1,384	6.89%
4.  United Kingdom	1,187	5.91%
5.  China	831	4.14%
6.  Austria	665	3.31%
7.  France	644	3.21%
8.  Japan	597	2.97%
9.  India	576	2.87%
10.  Canada	388	1.93%

## 11. Most Viewed Articles in 2021

Article Type	Title	Corresponding Author(s)
Foreword	Introduction of special column “Case Report/Precision Medicine”	Xu Che, Lei Zheng
Review Article	Superior mesenteric artery-first approach with laparoscopic pancreaticoduodenectomy	Qiang Yan
Review Article	Cellular crosstalk mediating immune evasion in pancreatic cancer microenvironment	Tao Yin, Qiang Shen
Review Article	Genetics and biology of pancreatic cancer and its precursor lesions: lessons learned from human pathology and mouse models	Kyoichi Takaori
Review Article	Landscape of circulating diagnostic biomarkers in pancreatic malignancies	David T. Ting
Review Article	The present and future of systemic and microenvironment-targeted therapy for pancreatic adenocarcinoma	Colin Weekes,
Original Article	Analyzing outcomes of neoadjuvant and adjuvant treatment for borderline-resectable pancreatic adenocarcinoma in the perioperative period at an academic institution	Alejandro Recio-Boiles
Review Article	Minimally invasive pancreaticojejunostomy techniques: a literature review	Katherine T. Morris
Review Article	Insights into the biology and treatment strategies of pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors	Yi-Chieh Nancy Du, Thomas J. Fahey III
Review Article	Position emission tomography imaging in pancreatic cancer: recent progress and future directions	Min Li, Jinming Yu

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## 12. The Publisher: AME Publishing Company

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