Editors’ Choice in September 2020 in Acta Dermato-Venereologica:

Evaluation of the Diagnostic Accuracy of an Online Artificial Intelligence Application for Skin Disease Diagnosis
Oscar Zaar, Alexander Larson, Sam Polesie, Karim Saleh, Mikael Tarstedt, Antonio Olives, Andrea Suárez, Martin Gillstedt, Noora Neittaanmäki

Comments by the authors:
Artificial intelligence (AI) algorithms for automated classification of skin diseases have shown promising results with a diagnostic accuracy that have performed equal to or even outperformed dermatologists. There is an abundance of AI applications on the consumer market. However, external validation with real life dermatological pictures from a mixed array of diagnosis, including not only melanocytic tumors but also inflammatory conditions, is missing.
The main conclusion in this paper is that automated classification systems need further development to ensure appropriate accuracy. Consumers need to be vigilant with respect to the rapid development within this field, and the lack of scientifically unbiased validation.

Further highlights of this month:

Risk Factors and Prognosis for Metastatic Cutaneous Squamous Cell Carcinoma: A Cohort Study.
Jaakko S. Knuutila, Pilvi Riihilä, Samu Kurki, Liisa Nissinen, Veli-Matti Kähäri

Analysis of 325 Patients with Chronic Nodular Prurigo: Clinics, Burden of Disease and Course of Treatment.
Sonja Gründel, Manuel P. Pereira, Michael Storck, Nani Osada, Gudrun Schneider, Sonja Ständer, Claudia Zeidler

MicroRNA-106b Regulates Expression of the Tumour Suppressors p21 and TXNIP and Promotes Tumour Cell Proliferation in Mycosis Fungoides.

Chronic Pruritus in the Absence of Skin Disease: A Retrospective Study of 197 French Inpatients.
Marine Robert, Laurent Misery, Emilie Brenaut

The Course of Mycosis Fungoides under Cytokine Pathway Blockers: A Multicentre Analysis of Real-life Clinical Data.

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