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**Subject:** Re: APJAS: Your manuscript entitled Propagation of Error and the Reliability of Global Air Temperature Projections - [EMID:9f8d36979d01c633]  
**Date:** April 19, 2014 at 9:47 PM  
**To:** Yong-Sang Choi [yongsangchoi@gmail.com](mailto:yongsangchoi@gmail.com)  
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Dear Yong-Sang,

Sukyong needs an objective reason to reject the analysis. She did not provide one. She provided a pretext. It's disgraceful.

Pat

On Apr 19, 2014, at 7:25 PM, Yong-Sang Choi wrote:

Dear Pat,

I am shocked too. I was waiting for the review request from the editor. Sukyoung is an atmospheric dynamist in Penn State Univ, and has been working for wave propagations with modeled dynamics, etc.. Presumably she could not agree with your claim that the model projection error is so large or she think it is expected again a very tough in-depth review by potential APJAS reviewers. Please don't be discouraged with this happening, and just submit your paper as it is to the other journals. Jonathan, do you have a suggestion, like TAO (Terrestrial, Atmospheric, and Oceanic Sciences), or AAS (Advances in Atmospheric Sciences)?

Best regards,  
Yong-Sang

2014. 4. 20. 오전 6:25 Patrick Frank <[pfrank830@earthlink.net](mailto:pfrank830@earthlink.net)> 작성:

Here is the response from APJAS. Honestly, I am shocked.

I've asked for an explanation, but do not expect to receive one.

Pat

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Asia-Pacific Journal of Atmospheric Sciences (APAS)" <[ramya.balu@springer.com](mailto:ramya.balu@springer.com)>  
Date: April 19, 2014 12:58:14 PM PDT  
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Dear Dr. Frank,

Thank you for submitting your manuscript "Propagation of Error and the Reliability of Global Air Temperature Projections" to the APJAS.

However, your manuscript was not given a quality rating during the initial screening process (i.e., structure and science fundamental, or scope of the APJAS), and as a result we will not be able to send it out for in-depth review.

This submission was closed and we recommend submitting your paper to a more appropriate journal.

Hope you will choose our journal as an outlet for your works in future.

Yours sincerely

Dr. Sukyoung Lee  
Editor  
Asia-Pacific Journal of Atmospheric Sciences

