From: Yong-Sang Choi yongsangchoi@gmail.com

Subject: Re: APJAS: Your manuscript entitled Propagation of Error and the Reliability of Global Air Temperature Projections -

[EMID:9f8d36979d01c633]

Date: April 20, 2014 at 7:19 AM

To: Patrick Frank pfrank830@earthlink.net

Cc: Jonathan H (329K) Jiang jonathan.h.jiang@jpl.nasa.gov

Dear Pat,

I totally agree. I will soon send an email to strongly ask to change this problematic system to the editor in chief. Actually I am very embarrassed to see this quality rating process was adopted to APJAS. I think that the quality rating itself is not at all objective, but too much subject to an editor's mind. In any event, as Jonathan suggested, AAS seems to be a good option.

Best,

Yong-Sang

2014. 4. 20. 오후 1:48 Patrick Frank cpfrank830@earthlink.net> 작성:

Dear Yong-Sang,

Sukyoung 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> 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

Date: April 19, 2014 12:58:14 PM PDT

To: "Patrick Frank" cpfrank830@earthlink.net

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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.

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nowever, 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