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The only international journal devoted exclusively to lupus (and related disease) research. *Lupus* includes the most promising new clinical and laboratory-based studies from leading specialists in all lupus-related disciplines.

Invaluable reading, with extended coverage, lupus-related disciplines include: Rheumatology, Dermatology, Immunology, Obstetrics, Psychiatry and Cardiovascular Research. Leading international specialists present their findings on *Lupus*, in one outstanding reference.

**Journal Statistics**

**Volume:** 26  
**2015 Impact Factor:** 2.118  
**Ranking:** 19/32 in Rheumatology  
**Source:** 2015 Journal Citation Reports® (Thomson Reuters, 2016)

**Print**

- **Circulation:** 172  
- **Frequency:** The journal is published 14 times per year.

**Online - lup.sagepub.com**

- **Average Monthly Page Views:** 46,097*  
- **Average Monthly Unique Visitors:** 18,060  
- **e-Toc registrants:** 1,216  

*Online Statistics refer to the number of advert impressions served by one banner position

**Print Geographical Distribution**

- **USA:** 26%  
- **Europe:** 25%  
- **UK:** 23%  
- **ROW:** 25%

**Online Geographical Distribution**

- **ROW:** 19%  
- **Asia:** 27%  
- **Europe:** 17%  
- **US/Canada:** 31%

**Advertising Rates & Information - 2017**

**Closing dates for print advertising:**

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**Print advertising rates – 2017:**

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Belly band: A belly band is an advertisement that wraps around the entire journal. This is an exclusive way to place your message front and centre with each reader. Belly bands allow your message to be the very first one seen by the readers.

Inserts: Bound inserts, loose inserts, gatefolds, tip-ins and die cuts are available. A sample must be submitted to the publisher for approval.

Outserts (product samples, brochures): Be the first advertiser to be seen by readers with your promotional item or product sample mailed within the polybag of each issue, outside of the journal. This is an exclusive opportunity—only one advertising outsert is permitted per issue.

Online Advertising

Available locations/sizes:

- Leaderboard (A) 728 x 90 pixels
- Skyscraper (B) 160 x 600 pixels
- Our standard rate is £49 per 1,000 impressions, with a minimum of £490 /10,000 impressions per booking.
- Banner advertising may be available across multiple publications.
- Geo-targeting is available. Please contact us if you would like your ad to run in specific countries/regions
- Third party ad tags accepted.
- Banner Ad Specifications:
  - Acceptable file formats: GIF, Animated GIF, JPG, PNG, SWF
  - Maximum size of banners: 100KB

E-Toc alert sponsorship:

Single sponsorships are available for every issue of the e-TOC alert, which is delivered to all registrants prior to each print issue mailing. The sponsor may include a hyperlink and banner advert.

- Banner size: 728 x 90 pixels
- Acceptable File Formats: Static GIF, JPG, PNG
- Maximum size on banners: 40KB

Policy and Guidelines

General policy on acceptance of advertising

Cancellations must be submitted in writing and will not be accepted after closing dates for space reservations. Any cancellations after the deadlines will be charged in full.

All advertising is subject to the publisher’s and society’s approval. The advertiser and/or advertising agency assume liability for all contents of advertising and any claims against the publisher as the result of the advertisement. If artwork cannot be provided by the above deadlines or an extension approved by the publisher, then the publisher will run the most recent artwork submitted. If no artwork is on hand, then the advertiser will still be responsible for payment on the space reserved.

Mechanical requirements for print advertisements

**Full Page**
- Full page, bleed: 295mm (h) x 216mm (w)
- Full page, trim size: 280mm (h) x 210mm (w)
- Full page, type area: 250mm (h) x 180mm (w)

**Half Page**
- Horizontal, Type Area: 120mm (h) x 180mm (w)
- Horizontal, Trim Area: 140mm (h) x 210mm (w)
- Vertical, Type Area: 250mm (h) x 85mm (w)
- Vertical, Trim Area: 280mm (h) x 105mm (w)

**Double Spread**
- Double page spreads need to be supplied as a full PDF page per advert, and not a joined spread of both. The dimensions remain as per normal full page adverts, including the bleed and cropmark requirements.

Requirements for electronic delivery

Please submit advertisements as print-ready PDFS.

Crop marks should be placed on all advertisements that bleed and offset. All colour and grayscale graphics should be a minimum of 300 dpi at the finished size. Colour graphics must be in CMYK.

The publisher is not responsible for any errors in reproduction if artwork is not provided according to the above specifications.

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