

ANNOUNCEMENT: CHANGE OF EDITORSHIP AT *GUT*

Gut, one of the world's leading research journals in gastroenterology and hepatology, is pleased to announce the appointment of three new editors-in-chief, with effect from January 1st 2026.

The current editor-in-chief, Professor Emad El-Omar (Sydney, Australia), is stepping down after 16 years. Under his dynamic leadership the journal has published pioneering translational and clinical research across the whole breadth of digestive disease, with impactful papers related to the microbiome, the gut-brain axis and digestive cancers in particular.

The three new editors are Dr William Grady, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, USA; Professor Matías Avila, University of Navarra, Pamplona, Spain; and Professor Thomas Rösch, University Medical Center Hamburg-Eppendorf, Hamburg, Germany. Together they bring a wealth of experience in luminal gastroenterology, hepatology and gastrointestinal endoscopy. With the support of the wider editorial team they will implement their vision for the journal and ensure *Gut* remains at the forefront of international science and practice in the years ahead.

Gut is published by BMJ Group in partnership with the [British Society of Gastroenterology](#), alongside the companion journals [Gut Science](#), [Frontline Gastroenterology](#) and [BMJ Open Gastroenterology](#). Professor El-Omar will continue to provide support to the whole *Gut* portfolio as senior editorial adviser.



Professor Emad El-Omar



Professor Thomas Rösch



Dr William Grady



Professor Matías Avila