



EUROPEAN
HEMATOLOGY
ASSOCIATION

 **haematologica**

Journal of the European Hematology Association
Owned & published by the Ferrata Storti Foundation

AUTHOR CONTRIBUTION FORM

Title	Genomic analysis of bone marrow failure and myelodysplastic syndromes reveals phenotypic and diagnostic complexity
First author	Michael Y. Zhang

According to the International Committee of Medical Journal Editors (ICMJE)

(http://www.icmje.org/ethical_1author.html):

“Authorship credit should be based on: 1) substantial contributions to conception and design, acquisition of data, or analysis and interpretation of data; 2) drafting the article or revising it critically for important intellectual content; and 3) final approval of the version to be published. Authors should meet conditions 1, 2 and 3. Acquisition of funding, collection of data, or general supervision of the research group alone does not constitute authorship”.

The responsible author of this manuscript confirms that all persons designated as authors qualify for authorship, and that each author has participated sufficiently in the work to take public responsibility for appropriate portions of the content.

Responsible author (<i>author responsible for the integrity of the work as a whole</i>)
Name: Akiko Shimamura
Institute: Clinical Research Division, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, WA Department of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Seattle Children’s Hospital, Seattle, WA Department of Pediatrics, University of Washington, Seattle, WA
e-mail: ashimamu@fhcrc.org

Author contributions

Please describe the contributions of each author, indicating who was responsible for each part of the study and the preparation of the manuscript (collection of data, experiments, data analysis, generation of figures, interpretation of data, preparation of the text, etc.) :

M.Y.Z., S.B.K., T.W., C.C.P., J.L.A., M.C.K. and A.S. designed experiments; M.Y.Z., T.W., and A.C.W. performed experiments; M.Y.Z., S.B.K., T.W., M.K.L., S.G., C.C.P., S.S., A.C.W., M.C.K., and A.S. analyzed data; S.B.K., M.R.J., I.H., D.A.W., M.D.F., and A.S. provided clinical phenotyping and patient samples; M.K.L., C.C.P., A.C.W., M.R.J., I.H., D.A.W., M.D.F., and J.L.A. revised the manuscript; and M.Y.Z., S.B.K., T.W., M.C.K., and A.S. wrote the manuscript. All authors contributed to the conception of the overall project, critical discussions, and editing and approval of the final manuscript.