Dear Colleagues,

It is my great pleasure to announce the first manuscript in IJAV having a supporting digital media. In the manuscript entitled “Bifurcation of the fourth rib as a possible indicator of Gorlin’s syndrome in an 85-year-old female cadaver” by Stickley et al., authors enhanced their paper with a Quicktime movie that includes a 3D reconstruction of their case [1].

The use of electronic media to support scientific communication is one of the major shifts in the practice of science in this era [2]. As IJAV, we always encouraged our colleagues to support their manuscripts with movies or any other kind of digital media, such as 3D reconstruction movies, coronary angiography videos, etc. Today, taking the advantage of being an online journal, we are happy to publish this case report, and wish to implement it as a standard for all manuscripts in the future.

I’d like to take this opportunity to thank to all our colleagues who support our journal.

Yours sincerely,

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