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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: -review.doc).

Title: Methods and outcomes of screening for pancreatic adenocarcinoma in high-risk individuals

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Reviewer 1:

"I have one remark: It would be interesting to add a paragraph on the significance of serum biomarkers (e.g. CA 19-9 and others) in the context of HRI for PDAC".

We thank the reviewer for the suggestion. We have accordingly added a paragraph on the role of Ca 19-9 in the revised version (see page).

Reviewer 2:

No comments

Reviewer 3:

“Minor recommendations: - When using abbreviations, write them out in full when first mentioning them (e.g. PNET), then use them consequently throughout the manuscript. - The abbreviations (PNET, HGD, MD, BD, HNPCC) should be explained in the figures. - The typing of MD IPMN/MD-IPMN should be consistent. - Mistyping need corrections. E.g.: page 3, paragraph 3, line 6: “a” is not needed”.

We thank the reviewer for the careful reading and suggestions. We modified the manuscript accordingly.