

## **Language certificate letter**

Dear editor,

Thank you very much for giving us the precious opportunity of providing language certification of our revised manuscript entitled “Enteric glial cells and their role in the intestinal epithelial barrier” (ESPS Manuscript NO. 8931).

We believe that the language of our manuscript has reached Grade A, and the supporting explanations are listed as follows. Firstly, for writing this review, we have thoroughly read all the relevant English papers about the role of enteric glia cells reported in recent 10 years. Secondly, we have already published several English papers on the enteric nervous regulation of gastrointestinal function and diseases. So we have relatively solid knowledge foundation and language foundation. Besides, in order to improve the quality of the manuscript, we have a thorough group discussion before submitting.

We sincerely hope that our work will contribute to the high quality publications of the World Journal of Gastroenterology.

Thank you once more.

Best regards,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Yanqing Li'.

(Yanqing Li)

Yan-Bo Yu (Yanbo Yu)