Reviewer’s report

Title: Changes in the gene expression programs of renal mesangial cells during diabetic nephropathy

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Dr. Brunskill et al. answered all queries. The manuscript is acceptable.

Level of interest: An article of outstanding merit and interest in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.