

# How to Get Published in TESOL and Applied Linguistics Serials

# Applied Linguistics

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## **Journal description:**

*Applied Linguistics* publishes research into language with relevance to real-world problems. The journal is keen to help make connections between fields, theories, research methods, and scholarly discourses, and welcomes contributions which critically reflect on current practices in applied linguistic research. It promotes scholarly and scientific discussion of issues that unite or divide scholars in applied linguistics. It is less interested in the ad hoc solution of particular problems and more interested in the handling of problems in a principled way by reference to theoretical studies.

Applied linguistics is viewed not only as the relation between theory and practice, but also as the study of language and language-related problems in specific situations in which people use and learn languages. Within this framework the journal welcomes contributions in such areas of current enquiry as: bilingualism and multilingualism; computer-mediated communication; conversation analysis; corpus linguistics; critical discourse analysis; deaf linguistics; discourse analysis and pragmatics; first and additional language learning, teaching, and use; forensic linguistics; language assessment; language planning and policies; language for special purposes; lexicography; literacies; multimodal communication; rhetoric and stylistics; and translation. The journal welcomes both reports of original research and conceptual articles.

The Journal's Forum section is intended to enhance debate between authors and the wider community of applied linguists (see Editorial in 22/1) and affords a quicker turnaround time for short pieces. Forum pieces are typically responses to a published article, a shorter research note or report, or a commentary on research issues or professional practices. The Journal also contains a Reviews section.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 5

Average pages per issue: 128

Average article length/max: 8,500 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts: Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: Please refer to [http://www.oxfordjournals.org/our\\_journals/applij/for\\_authors/index.html](http://www.oxfordjournals.org/our_journals/applij/for_authors/index.html)

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 82 days from submission to first decision, average time reviewers take to review a manuscript: 27 days

Average time from acceptance to print: 5 weeks from acceptance to e-published; 24 weeks from e-published to print

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Applied Linguistics Review

**Editor(s):** Li Wei, David Block and Christina Higgins

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### **Journal description:**

*Applied Linguistics Review (ALR)* is a peer-reviewed journal that aims to serve as a testing ground for the articulation of original ideas and approaches in the study of real-world issues in which language plays a crucial role, by bringing together critical reflections of current debates and new theoretical and empirical research. The issues dealt with in *ALR* range from aspects of the linguistic and communicative competence of the individual such as bilingualism and multilingualism, first or second language acquisition, literacy, language disorders, to language and communication related problems in and between societies such as linguistic discrimination, language conflict, communication in the workplace, language policy and language planning, and language ideology. Articles that not only report new research findings but also engage in philosophical and methodological debates and point to directions of future research are particularly welcome.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 130

Average article length/max: 7,000

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?:

Online via ManuscriptCentral

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no):

Not right now, as there is a long backlog of accepted papers.

Manuscript style:

APA

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 6 months right now

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Asian Journal of English Language Teaching (AJELT)

**Editor(s):** Gwendolyn Gong & Gerald Nelson; Lixian JIN (Reviews Editor)

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**Journal URL:** www.cuhk.edu.hk/ajelt; www.chineseupress.com

## Journal description:

The *Asian Journal of English Language Teaching (AJELT)* is an international blind refereed journal which reviews previously unpublished data-driven manuscripts that (1) link ESL/EFL theory, research, and pedagogy and (2) relate specifically to the teaching of English to Asians at the university level. Reviews and essays on issues and trends as well as reports of ongoing projects are also welcome.

A member of the Council of the Editors of Learned Journals (CELJ), *AJELT* is indexed in *Linguistics Abstracts*, *Linguistics and Language Behavior Abstracts*, *MLA International Bibliography*, *Sociological Abstracts*, as well as *The Asian Education Index*. In addition, the journal collaborates with the International Association of Applied Linguistics (AILA): AILA members are provided *AJELT* subscriptions at reduced rates as part of their new or renewed membership. *AJELT* is also recognized as an important academic publication by the international organization, Teachers of English Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), and a description of the journal is noted on their homepage and in their print materials.

## Publication

Issues per year: One  
Average pages per issue: 160  
Average article length/max: 25 manuscript pages

## Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): yes  
Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: online only  
Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): yes  
Manuscript style: APA (6<sup>TH</sup> ed.)

## Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): yes  
Review is blind (yes or no): yes  
Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): yes  
Average time for review: 6-8 weeks  
Average time from acceptance to print: 10-12 months  
Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): no

# Australian Review of Applied Linguistics (ARAL)

**Editor(s):** Chris Davison

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.nla.gov.au/openpublish/index.php/aral>

## **Journal description:**

The Australian Review of Applied Linguistics (ARAL) is the journal of the Applied Linguistics Association of Australia (ALAA). The aim of the journal is to present research in a wide range of areas, but in particular research that is relevant to the particular region of the world that it covers. The journal aims to promote the development of links between language related research and its application in educational, professional, and other language related settings. Areas that are covered by the journal include first and second language teaching and learning, bilingualism and bilingual education, the use of technologies in language teaching and learning, corpus linguistics, discourse analysis, translation and interpreting, language testing, language planning, academic literacies and rhetoric.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 3

Average pages per issue: 120

Average article length/max: 5000

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: email

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): yes

Manuscript style: APA

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): yes

Review is blind (yes or no): yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): yes

Average time for review: 8 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: 6 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): no

## Bilingualism: Language and Cognition

**Editor(s):** Jubin Abutalebi & Harald Clahsen

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**Journal URL:** <http://journals.cambridge.org/bil>

### **Journal description:**

*BLC* is an international peer-reviewed journal focusing on bilingualism from a linguistic, psycholinguistic, and neuroscientific perspective. The aims of the journal are to promote research on the bilingual and multilingual person and to encourage debate in the field. Areas covered include: bilingual language competence, bilingual language processing, bilingual language acquisition in children and adults, bimodal bilingualism, neurolinguistics of bilingualism in normal and brain-damaged individuals, computational modelling of bilingual language competence and performance, and the study of cognitive functions in bilinguals. *BLC* carries articles and research notes on all aspects of the bilingual person, and is published four times a year.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 200

Average article length/max: 9.000 words max

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): No

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style: Research articles, research notes

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2-3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 9 months (but shorter for advanced online publication)

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## CALICO Journal

**Editor(s):** Mathias Schulze & Bryan Smith

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**Journal URL:** [www.equinoxpub.com/journals/CALICO](http://www.equinoxpub.com/journals/CALICO)

### **Journal description:**

Since 2015 the Journal is published with Equinox Publishing exclusively online. It is the official publication of the Computer Assisted Language Instruction Consortium (CALICO) and is devoted to the dissemination of information concerning the application of technology to language teaching and language learning. The journal is published online-only, is fully refereed and publishes research articles and studies and learning technology and book reviews. Three issues appear annually and normally one of them is a thematic issue on current discourses and developments in Computer-Assisted Language Learning. CALICO's international editorial board and large group of authors and reviewers reflect its global readership.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 3

Average pages per issue: between 100 and 160; normally editorial, 5 articles, 2 learning technology and book reviews

Average article length: 7000 words all inclusive

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts: Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: Please refer to <http://www.equinoxpub.com/journals/index.php/CALICO/about/submissions>

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 3 months from submission to first decision, average time reviewers take to review a manuscript: 5 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: 6 months; we are phasing in the pre-publication of individual articles before the publication of the complete issue.

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Computer Assisted Language Learning (CALL)

**Editor(s):** Jozef Colpaert

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.tandfonline.com/toc/nca120>

## **Journal description:**

*Computer Assisted Language Learning (CALL)* is an intercontinental and interdisciplinary journal which leads the field in its dedication to all matters associated with the use of computers in language learning (L1 and L2), teaching and testing. It provides a forum to discuss the discoveries in the field and to exchange experience and information about existing techniques. The scope of the journal is intentionally wide-ranging and embraces a multitude of disciplines.

Submitted articles may focus on *CALL* and:

- Research Methodologies
- Language Learning and Teaching Methods
- Language Testing Systems and Models
- The Four Skills
- SLA
- HCI
- Language Courseware Design
- Language Courseware Development
- Curriculum Integration
- Evaluation
- Teacher Training
- Intelligent Tutoring
- New Technologies
- The Sociocultural Context
- Learning Management Systems

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 6

Average pages per issue: 10-15

Average article length/max: 5000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Only online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style: APA

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2-8 months

Average time from acceptance to print: published online immediately; on paper 6-8 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No



# The Canadian Journal of Applied Linguistics/ La Revue canadienne de linguistique appliquée

**Editor(s):** Dr. Paula Kristmanson & Dr. Joseph Dicks; Associate/managing editor Karla Culligan

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## Journal description:

The Canadian Journal of Applied Linguistics/ La Revue canadienne de linguistique appliquée is an open access, bilingual, scientific, and professional journal that publishes empirical research (framed within quantitative, qualitative, and mixed methods paradigms), theoretical articles, essays, and original literature reviews.

CJAL publishes these texts electronically in English or in French on an ongoing basis. The articles, usually between 8 and 12 of them, and book reviews are grouped to constitute one issue of the journal per year. There may also be occasional special issues on specific themes.

The journal is affiliated with The Canadian Association of Applied Linguistics/ L'Association canadienne de linguistique appliquée.

## Publication

Issues per year: Articles appear electronically on an incremental basis as soon as the review and copyediting processes have been completed. Special Issues are also published from time to time. 1 issue contains 8-12 articles and 1 book review.

Average pages per issue: 215-230

Average article length/max: 25

## Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: online only (OJS)

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA

## Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 3-5 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 6 months-1 year (depending on extent of revisions)

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# The Canadian Modern Language Review/ La revue canadienne des langues vivantes

**Editor(s):** Danièle Moore & Murray Munro

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.utpjournals.com/Canadian-Modern-Language-Review.html/>

## **Journal description:**

The *Canadian Modern Language Review/ La revue canadienne des langues vivantes* publishes peer-reviewed articles on second language learning and teaching. It is a bilingual (English and French) journal of international repute, serving researchers and language teaching professionals interested in the learning and teaching of English and French as second languages (Canada's two official languages), as well as the range of modern, indigenous, heritage, and community languages taught and learned across Canada. Contributors to the quarterly issues include authors from Canada and around the world.

*CMLR* publishes 4 issues a year, offering its readership peer-reviewed research articles that inspire debate and question contemporary approaches in all areas of second language teaching and acquisition, including

- FSL and ESL studies
- Bilingual education
- L2 teacher education
- L2 research methodology
- International and indigenous languages
- Cultural contexts of L2 learning
- L2 pedagogy
- L2 assessment
- Multiple literacies
- Language policy
- Language learning

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 520 pages

Average article length/max: 7000 words in English/8000 words in French

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA (5<sup>th</sup> edition)

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 6 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: 1 year

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## The CATESOL Journal

**Editor(s):** Mark Roberge & Margi Wald

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**Journal URL:** <http://catesol.org/journal.html>

### **Journal description:**

The *CATESOL Journal* is the official journal of the California Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (CATESOL). It is a refereed academic journal published annually. Articles in the *CATESOL Journal* focus on theory, research, pedagogy, and educational policy related to the teaching of English to speakers of other languages, including U.S.-born bilinguals, "generation 1.5" students, immigrants, and international students. Articles may focus on any educational level, from kindergarten to university, as well as on adult school and workplace literacy settings. Because *The CATESOL Journal* is a "mentoring journal," contributors are provided with ample feedback to assist them in the revision process. Manuscripts submitted to *The CATESOL Journal* typically undergo several rounds of substantive revision with guidance from reviewers--experts from CATESOL who want to help TESOLers share their ideas and projects with a larger audience.

Submission Categories (guidelines can be found at <http://www.catesol.org/cjguidelines.html>):

1. Feature articles (25-30 pages including bibliography)
2. CATESOL exchanges (up to 20 pages)
3. Reviews of books and other published materials (up to 4 pages): Review guidelines can be found at <http://www.catesol.org/cjrvw.htm>
4. Proposals for theme sections: Those interested may also submit a proposal to serve as guest editor of a theme section. The proposal should include: (a) a cover letter explaining the rationale for the theme section; (b) a tentative list of four to six authors who have agreed to write articles for the theme section; and (c) titles and abstracts of the proposed articles.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 1-2

Average pages per issue: 200-250

Average article length/max: 20-30 (Articles), 15-20 (Exchanges)

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: E-mail

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2-3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: Varies depending on month of original submission and number of revisions required

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Current Issues in Language Planning

**Editor(s):** Anthony J. Liddicoat, Nkonko Kamwangamalu, & Kerry Taylor-Leech

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.tandfonline.com/loi/rclp#.Upwm0JAbq70>

### **Journal description:**

The journal *Current Issues in Language Planning* provides major summative and thematic review studies spanning and focusing the disparate language policy and language planning literature related to: 1) politics and language planning and 2) issues in language planning. It also publishes individual articles related to any area of language policy and planning. The journal publishes four issues per year. Polity study issues describe language policy and planning in various countries/regions/areas around the world, while the themed issues numbers are developed around a language policy and planning topic. Polity studies and thematic issues' papers in this journal may be self-nominated or invited contributions from acknowledged experts in the field.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 116

Average article length/max: 8000

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: email

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: see [http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/authors/style/layout/tf\\_1.pdf](http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/authors/style/layout/tf_1.pdf) - referencing using APA 6th

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 12 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: varies depending on paper type. Singles papers are usually published within 18 months. Thematic and polity papers are published in scheduled volumes.

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Critical Inquiry in Language Studies

**Editor(s):** Paul Chamness Miller (Editor); Xia Chao (Managing Editor); Ryuko Kubota (Reviews Editor)

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.tandfonline.com/toc/hcil20/current#.Vq7uQMfwdnE>

### Journal description:

*CILS* is the peer-reviewed journal of the International Society for Language Studies. Language studies overlaps fields of applied linguistics, language policy, language planning, modern languages and literatures, education, anthropology, sociology, history, political science, psychology, and cultural studies (including related fields, such as law, media, and information technology).

The journal focuses on critical discourse and research in language matters, broadly conceived, that is generated from qualitative, critical pedagogical, and emergent paradigms. In these paradigms, language is considered to be a socially constituted cultural construct that gives shape to, and at the same time is shaped by, the larger social, political, and historical contexts of its use. The primary purpose of the journal is to provide a forum for discussion of the research from such emerging paradigms and at the same time to bridge arbitrary disciplinary territories in which it is being done.

### Publication

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 100

Average article length/maximum: 30 pages (inclusive of references, figures, tables, and appendices)

### Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA 6th edition

### Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives a copy of reviewers' comment: Yes

Average time for review: 60 days from submission to final decision

Average time from acceptance to print: 3 months

Author receives payment : No

## ELT Journal

**Editor(s):** Graham Hall

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**Journal URL:** <http://eltj.oxfordjournals.org/>

### **Journal description:**

*ELT Journal* is a quarterly publication for all those involved in English Language Teaching (ELT), whether as a second, additional, or foreign language, or as an international Lingua Franca. The Journal links the everyday concerns of practitioners with insights gained from relevant academic disciplines such as applied linguistics, education, psychology, and sociology.

*ELT Journal* aims to provide a medium for informed discussion of the principles and practice which determine the ways in which English is taught and learnt around the world. It also provides a forum for the exchange of information and ideas among members of the profession worldwide.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 140

Average article length/max: 3, 500-4,000 (max) / 15 references per article max.

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online (only), via ScholarOne system

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): YES

Manuscript style:

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 35 days

Average time from acceptance to print: 5 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# English Australia Journal

**Editor(s):** Philip Chappell

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.englishaustralia.com.au/journal>

## Journal description:

*The English Australia Journal*: the Australian journal of English language teaching (the *English Australia Journal*), is a professional and academic journal for teachers of English to speakers of other languages, specifically to international students, within and outside Australia.

The journal comprises peer-reviewed articles from TESOL practitioners and academics, both full research articles, and brief reports, as well as a section on classroom practice and reviews of TESOL resources. It is published twice a year, in April and September. Each issue is distributed to subscribers (English Australia member colleges receive three complimentary copies as a benefit of membership) and all issues are posted online. It is also hosted at Informit <http://search.informit.com.au/browseJournalTitle;res=IELHSS;issn=1449-4496>

*The English Australia Journal* welcomes relevant contributions from those involved in TESOL teaching, training and research within four main sections:

- peer reviewed articles outlining innovative research into classroom practice or theoretical discussion of classroom practice,
- brief reports on preliminary findings of a research work-in-progress, a summary of a larger research project in a rhetorical style that makes it accessible for English language teachers, reports of materials development projects and innovations in ELT, and the like,
- articles largely by teachers, for teachers in 'Classroom Talk',
- reviews of current print and online resources for teachers, teacher trainers and academic managers.

## Publication

Issues per year: 2

Average pages per issue: 130

Average article length/max:

- peer reviewed articles: 5,000
- brief reports: 1,500
- classroom talk: 1,200
- reviews: 1,000

## Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts: Yes (novice authors are encouraged to contact the editor in advance for advice in preparing the first draft).

Accepts manuscripts via email only

Published reviews of all resources related to ELT/TESOL/Applied Linguistics

Manuscript style: APA

## Submission Procedure

Review is refereed: Yes

Review is blind: Yes

Submitter receives a copy of reviewers' comments: Yes

Average time for review: 45 days

Average time from acceptance to print: 3 months

Author receives payment for published work: No (each author co-author receives a complimentary hard copy of the issue)

## English Teaching Forum

**Editor(s):** Max Koller (Editor in Chief), Tom Glass (Assistant Editor)

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**Journal URL:** <http://americanenglish.state.gov/english-teaching-forum>

### **Journal description:**

*English Teaching Forum* is a quarterly refereed journal published by the U.S. Department of State for teachers of English as a foreign or second language. Articles published in the journal reflect current theory and practice in English language teaching with emphasis on practical classroom applications.

Forum also publishes shorter pieces (under 2,000 words) in its "Teaching Techniques" section; each Technique should describe an original practice the author has used successfully in the classroom.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 52

Average article length/max: 3,000–6,000 words

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: e-mail attachments preferred

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style: Chicago Manual of Style

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes (summary)

Average time for review: 3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 6–9 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No



# English Teaching Professional

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**Journal description:**

*English Teaching Professional* is a practical magazine which provides a forum for teachers of English around the world to exchange ideas on what has and has not worked for them in the classroom. We have articles on EFL and ESL, and there are special sections for Teaching Young Learners, Business English, Technology and Teacher Development. One of our most popular features is It Works in Practice, where contributors submit short ideas and activities. A subscription to ETp also gives you access to our entire archive of articles, which are downloadable from our website [etprofessional.com](http://etprofessional.com).

**Publication**

Issues per year: 6

Average pages per issue: 64

Average article length/max: 2,200 words (3 pages)

**Submission policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: e-mail

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: Not fussed what it looks like so long as the ideas are good

**Submission procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): No

Review is blind (yes or no): No

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): No

Average time for review: 3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: One year

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): Yes

## English Today

**Editor(s):** Clive Upton

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**Journal URL:** <http://journals.cambridge.org/ENG>

### **Journal description:**

English Today provides accessible cutting-edge reports on all aspects of the language, including style, usage, dictionaries, literary language, Plain English, the Internet and language teaching, in terms of British, American and the world's many other 'Englishes'. Its global readership includes linguists, journalists, broadcasters, writers, publishers, teachers, advanced students of the language and others with a professional or personal interest in communication. Its debates are vigorous and it is noted for its reader involvement. Now in its third decade, English Today remains unique in its scope and style.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 196

Average article length/max:

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: email

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: House style

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes and no, depending on whether submission is peer-reviewed

Review is blind (yes or no): As above

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 6 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 4 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Functions of Language

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**Journal URL:** <http://benjamins.com/#catalog/journals/fol/main>

### Journal description:

*Functions of Language* is an international journal of linguistics which explores the functionalist perspective on the organization and use of natural language. It publishes articles and reviews books from the full spectrum of functionalist linguistics, seeking to bring out the fundamental unity behind the various schools of thought, while stimulating discussion among functionalists. It encourages the interplay of theory and description, and provides space for the detailed analysis, qualitative or quantitative, of linguistic data from a broad range of languages. Its scope is broad, covering such matters as prosodic phenomena in phonology, the clause in its communicative context, and regularities of pragmatics, conversation and discourse, as well as the interaction between the various levels of analysis. The overall purpose is to contribute to our understanding of how the use of languages in speech and writing has impacted, and continues to impact, upon the structure of those languages.

### Publication

Issues per year:

3 (as of 2014)

Average pages per issue:

120 pages (as of 2014)

Average article length/max:

10,000 words; maximum 12,000 words

### Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online submission and tracking system

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Reviews of books only

Manuscript style: In keeping with Unified Style Sheet for Linguistics and the Leipzig Glossing Rules; see [http://www.benjamins.com/series/fol/fol\\_guidelines.pdf](http://www.benjamins.com/series/fol/fol_guidelines.pdf)

### Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 8 weeks is the norm; 12 weeks (in practice)

Average time from acceptance to print: 12-18 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# International Journal of Bilingual Education and Bilingualism

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## **Journal description:**

The Journal is multidisciplinary and focuses on all aspects of bilingualism and bilingual education around the world. Theoretical and conceptual analysis, foundational and applied research using qualitative or quantitative approaches, critical essays, and comparative book reviews are all invited. Contributions from varied disciplines are welcome: linguistics, sociology, psychology, education, law, women's studies, history and economics, informatics included.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 6 Average pages per issue: 123 Average article length/max: 7000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes -Book reviews

Manuscript style: Single column ranged left(details given on journal web pages); reference style APA

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes (double-blind)

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: Approximately 33 days

Average time from acceptance to print: Approximately 8 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# International Journal of Bilingualism

**Editor(s):** Li Wei

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**Journal URL:** <http://ijb.sagepub.com/>

## **Journal description:**

*The International Journal of Bilingualism (IJB)* is an international forum for the dissemination of original research on the linguistic, psychological, neurological, and social issues which emerge from language contact. While stressing interdisciplinary links, the focus of the Journal is on the language behavior of the bi- and multilingual individual.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 6

Average pages per issue: 120

Average article length/max: 7,000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Not right now, as there is a long backlog of accepted papers.

Manuscript style: APA

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 18 months right now

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# The International Journal of Multilingualism

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## **Journal description:**

The aim of the International Journal of Multilingualism (IJM) is to foster, present and spread research focused on psycholinguistic, sociolinguistic and educational aspects of multilingual acquisition and multilingualism. The journal is interdisciplinary and seeks to go beyond bilingualism and second language acquisition by developing the understanding of the specific characteristics of acquiring, processing and using more than two languages.

The International Journal of Multilingualism (IJM) provides a forum wherein academics, researchers and practitioners may read and publish high-quality, original and state-of-the-art papers describing theoretical and empirical aspects that can contribute to advance our understanding of multilingualism. Topics of interest to IJM include, but are not limited to the following: early trilingualism, multilingual competence, foreign language learning within bilingual education, multilingual literacy, multilingual identity, metalinguistic awareness in multilinguals, multilingual representations in the mind or language use in multilingual communities.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 123

Average article length/max: 7000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes -Book reviews

Manuscript style: Single column ranged left (details given on journal web pages); reference style APA

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes (double-blind)

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: Approximately 52 days

Average time from acceptance to print: Approximately 8 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Issues in Applied Linguistics

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### **Journal description:**

Created in November of 1989, *Issues in Applied Linguistics* is a refereed journal managed, edited, and published by the graduate students of the UCLA Department of Applied Linguistics. The journal is published yearly and has established international distribution and a solid reputation in the field of Applied Linguistics.

Our aim is to publish outstanding research from students, faculty, and independent researchers in the broad areas of **discourse analysis, sociolinguistics, language acquisition, conversation analysis, discourse analysis, language assessment, language education, language use, and research methodology**. We are particularly interested in publishing new departures and cross-disciplinary endeavors in the field of Applied Linguistics.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 1

Average pages per issue: 160

Average article length/max: 25-30 pages

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: online ([http://www.escholarship.org/uc/appling\\_ial](http://www.escholarship.org/uc/appling_ial) )

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): yes

Manuscript style: APA

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): yes

Review is blind (yes or no): yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): yes

Average time for review: 6 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 6 months -1 year

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): no

## JALT Journal

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**Journal URL:** <http://jalt-publications.org/jj>

### **Journal description:**

The JALT Journal is the research journal of the *Japan Association for Language Teaching*, and publishes articles linking theory to practice that are relevant to a Japanese teaching context.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 2

Average pages per issue: 200

Average article length/max: 6000 words

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Email

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes (books)

Manuscript style: APA

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: Two months

Average time from acceptance to print: One year

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No



## Journal of Asian Pacific Communication

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### Journal description:

The Journal of Asian Pacific Communication (JAPC) is an international journal whose academic mission is to bring together specialists from diverse scholarly disciplines to discuss and interpret language in communication issues as they pertain to people of Asian Pacific regions and in their immigrant communities worldwide. The journal's academic orientation is generalist, passionately committed to interdisciplinary approaches to language in communication studies relating to people in and from Asian Pacific regions. The JAPC welcomes manuscripts along the lines of this mission statement, and moreover, encourages leading researchers in the Asian Pacific to take advantage of the journal's policy to publish guest-edited issues on specific topics of investigation. The JAPC is refereed according to rigorous criteria of evaluation.

### Publication

Issues per year: 2

Average pages per issue: 150

Average article length/max: 8,000 words

### Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA

### Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: Several months

Average time from acceptance to print:

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Journal of English as a Lingua Franca

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## **Journal description:**

The *Journal of English as a Lingua Franca (JELF)* is the first journal to be devoted to the rapidly-growing phenomenon of English as a Lingua Franca. The articles and other features explore this global phenomenon from a wide number of perspectives, including linguistic, sociolinguistic, socio-psychological, and political, in a diverse range of settings where English is the common language of choice.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 2

Average pages per issue: 215

Average article length/max: 25 (incl. references); around 8000 words (text only)

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: De Gryuter Mouton style sheet

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: around 2 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 12 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Journal of English for Academic Purposes

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## **Journal description:**

The *Journal of English for Academic Purposes* provides a forum for the dissemination of information and views which enables practitioners of and researchers in EAP to keep current with developments in their field and to contribute to its continued updating. JEAP publishes articles, book reviews, conference reports, and academic exchanges in the linguistic, sociolinguistic and psycholinguistic description of English as it occurs in the contexts of academic study and scholarly exchange itself. A wide range of linguistic, applied linguistic and educational topics may be treated from the perspective of English for academic purposes; these include: classroom language, teaching methodology, teacher education, assessment of language, needs analysis; materials development and evaluation, discourse analysis, acquisition studies in EAP contexts, research writing and speaking at all academic levels, the sociopolitics of English in academic uses and language planning.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue:

Average article length/max: 8000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online via Elsevier <http://www.journals.elsevier.com/journal-of-english-for-academic-purposes/>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style: APA, 6<sup>th</sup> edition

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review:

Average time from acceptance to print:

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## English for Specific Purposes

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.journals.elsevier.com/english-for-specific-purposes/>

### **Journal description:**

*English For Specific Purposes* is an international peer-reviewed journal that welcomes submissions from across the world. Authors are encouraged to submit articles and research/discussion notes on topics relevant to the teaching and learning of discourse for specific communities: academic, occupational, or otherwise specialized. Topics such as the following may be treated from the perspective of English for specific purposes: second language acquisition in specialized contexts, needs assessment, curriculum development and evaluation, materials preparation, discourse analysis, descriptions of specialized varieties of English, teaching and testing techniques, the effectiveness of various approaches to language learning and language teaching, and the training or retraining of teachers for the teaching of ESP. In addition, the journal welcomes articles and discussions that identify aspects of ESP needing development, areas into which the practice of ESP may be expanded, possible means of cooperation between ESP programs and learners' professional or vocational interests, and implications that findings from related disciplines can have for the profession of ESP. The journal also carries reviews of scholarly books on topics of interest to the profession.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue:

Average article length/max: 6000 - 8000 words

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online <http://ees.elsevier.com/esp/>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style: APA, 6<sup>th</sup> edition

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review:

Average time from acceptance to print:

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Journal of Language, Identity, and Education (JLIE)

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## **Journal description:**

The *Journal of Language, Identity, & Education* (JLIE) is an international forum for interdisciplinary research that is grounded in theory and of interest to scholars and policymakers. Education plays a central role in promoting social development, stability, integration, and equity in a linguistically and culturally diverse world. Policy decisions in educational settings today often require an understanding of the relations between home language/variety and school language/variety, relations of language, ethnicity, and gender identity construction, societal attitudes toward languages/varieties, and differential performance across groups. JLIE will consider submitted contributions to its Articles, Research Notes, and The Forum section. JLIE seeks cutting edge interdisciplinary research from around the world, reflecting diverse theoretical and methodological frameworks and topical areas and solicits articles that deal with the following topics:

- Educational policies and approaches that explicitly address various dimensions of diversity;
- The formation and consequences of identities in educational and other social contexts;
- Language policies and linguistic rights in educational contexts;
- The role of indigenous languages/varieties in education;
- Critical studies of literacy policies, national literacy and biliteracy demographics, the socioeconomic and political significance of literacy, and societal expectations regarding literacy;
- Research on the relation between home/local linguistic and cultural socialization and schooling;
- Critical and comparative analyses of official and legal frameworks for educational policies and practices in diverse settings;
- Critical studies of school and community attitudes and expectations about schooling;
- Critical studies about bias in schooling practices;
- Research on educational practices that promote educational equity for diverse student populations;
- The role of ideologies in educational language and cultural policies; and
- Group-specific studies on special needs/issues and on effective policies and practices.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 6

Average pages per issue: 76

Average article length/max: average 7,000-8,000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Via ScholarOne site: <http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/jlie>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Book Reviews

Manuscript style: APA, 6<sup>th</sup> edition

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): yes

Review is blind (yes or no): yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): yes

Average time for review: 8-10 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: 1-1.5 years

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): no

# Journal of Multilingual and Multicultural Development

**Editor(s):** John Edwards

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## Journal description:

**JMMD** – 2013 is its thirty-fourth year of operation – continues to thrive, with a healthy subscription list and a vibrant set of contributors. We have steadily moved, for some years now, towards macro-level coverage of topics in the sociology and social psychology of language, in language and cultural politics, policy and practice in all arenas, and in the many ramifications of these broad themes. Such a broad remit takes in the following matters, among others:

- language planning and policy
- ethnicity and nationalism
- identity politics (with its linguistic, religious and other markers)
- languages and cultures in contact
- intertwinings among language, culture and religion
- bilingual and multilingual accommodations
- translation
- programmes and policies of multiculturalism and pluralism
- language rights (group and individual)
- “popular” and folk sociolinguistics and usage
- reading and literacy
- contemporary religious and cultural debates
- collective identity and its ‘markers’
- minority-group dynamics
- educational provisions for languages and cultures
- endangered languages

An implication is that it is increasingly less likely that we will publish single-subject or small-*n* studies, fine-grained analyses of discourse, conversation and code-switching, or work in other tightly-focused or technical areas in linguistics, psycholinguistics and educational linguistics. Also unlikely to see the light of day in our pages are overly short or anecdotal pieces, articles that describe language situations without attempting to extract generalities or to furnish proper contextualisation, and papers of excessively narrow scope. Contributions that allow generalisation across settings are particularly welcome, as are those that embed the discussion in social and historical context.

## Publication

Issues per year: currently 7 – but we are anticipating moving to 8 issues *per annum*

Average pages per issue: 112

Average article length/max: normal upper limit is 7,000 words, exclusive of references

## Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: all submissions must be sent electronically, via <http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/mm-jmmd>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: details, guidelines, etc. can be found at <http://www.tandfonline.com/rmmm>

## Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer’s comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: Four to six weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: Six to eight months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Journal of Pragmatics

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.journals.elsevier.com/journal-of-pragmatics/>

## Journal description:

**Linguistic pragmatics** has been able to formulate a number of questions over the years that are essential to our understanding of **language** as people's main instrument of "natural" and "societal" interaction. By providing possible theoretical foundations for the study of **linguistic** practice, linguistic **pragmatics** has helped to increase our knowledge of the forms, functions, and foundations, of human interaction. The *Journal of Pragmatics* identifies with the above general scope and aims of pragmatics. The journal welcomes authoritative, innovative pragmatic scholarship from all practice oriented linguistic standpoints. It provides a forum for pragmatic studies in sociolinguistics, general linguistics, conversation analysis, discourse analysis, cognitive linguistics, computational linguistics, applied linguistics and other areas of linguistic research.

In addition, it endeavors to narrow the distance between linguistics and such neighbouring disciplines as **communication science** (including the study of face-to-face interaction and nonverbal communication), information science (including artificial intelligence research and, in general, the theory and practice of machine-human interaction), psychiatry (including the study of schizophrenic speech), and neuropsychology (including the study of speaking and reading disorders). The journal welcomes both those contributions originating in linguistics proper, and those taking neighboring, related fields as their point of departure.

## Publication

Issues per year: 15

Average pages per issue: 150

Average article length/max: Maximum of 8,000 (longer papers may be possible after prior negotiation)

## Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Book reviews by invitation

Manuscript style: <http://www.elsevier.com/journals/journal-of-pragmatics/0378-2166/guide-for-authors>

## Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes (single blind only)

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 1 month

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Journal of Second Language Writing

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.journals.elsevier.com/journal-of-second-language-writing>

## **Journal description:**

The *Journal of Second Language Writing* is devoted to publishing theoretically grounded reports of research and discussions that represent a contribution to current understandings of central issues in second and foreign language writing and writing instruction. Some areas of interest are personal characteristics and attitudes of L2 writers, L2 writers' composing processes, features of L2 writers' texts, readers' responses to L2 writing, assessment/evaluation of L2 writing, contexts (cultural, social, political, institutional) for L2 writing, and any other topic clearly relevant to L2 writing theory, research, or instruction.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 106

Average article length/max: 7,500-10,000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Book reviews

Manuscript style: APA

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 3-4 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 19 weeks (print); 4 weeks (online)

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No



# Language Learning

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**Journal URL:** [http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1111/\(ISSN\)1467-9922](http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1111/(ISSN)1467-9922)

## **Journal description:**

Language Learning is a scientific journal dedicated to the understanding of language learning broadly defined. It publishes research articles that systematically apply methods of inquiry from disciplines including psychology, linguistics, cognitive science, educational inquiry, neuroscience, ethnography, sociolinguistics, sociology, and anthropology. It is concerned with fundamental theoretical issues in language learning such as child, second, and foreign language acquisition, language education, bilingualism, literacy, language representation in mind and brain, culture, cognition, pragmatics, and intergroup relations.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 4 plus 2 Supplements

Average pages per issue: 250

Average article length/max: 10,000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Only electronic submission in journal website

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style: APA 6<sup>th</sup> edition

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 1 year

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Language Policy

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## **Journal description:**

Language Policy contributes to the growth of the field by publishing high-quality studies that help build a sound theoretical understanding of the subject area. It presents papers that deal with the widest range of cases, situations and regions. This journal covers both language policy and educational policy. It presents policies concerning the status and form of languages as well as acquisition policies pertaining to the teaching and learning of languages. It contains detailed accounts of promoting and managing language policy and research papers on the development, implementation and effects of language policy in all regions of the world and under different conditions. The journal also includes empirical studies that contribute to a theory of language policy. In addition, Language Policy examines policy development by governments and governmental agencies, non-governmental organizations and business enterprises as well as attempts made by ethnic, religious and minority groups to establish, resist, or modify language policies.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 100

Average article length/max: 8000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online submission

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Book reviews

Manuscript style: Academic, original research

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2-3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 10 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Language Teaching

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## **Journal description:**

*Language Teaching* is the essential research resource for language professionals providing a rich and expert overview of research in the field of second-language teaching and learning. It offers critical survey articles of recent research on specific topics, second and foreign languages and countries, and invites original research articles reporting on replication studies and meta-analyses. The journal also includes regional surveys of outstanding doctoral dissertations, topic-based research timelines, theme-based research agendas, and recent plenary conference speeches. Research-in-progress reports, themed comparative book review articles and a list of publications received complement the content of each issue. We are pleased to announce that Language Teaching has achieved an Impact Factor of 1.795 in the 2013 Thomson Reuters Journal Citation Reports® placing it 12/161 for Linguistics and 22/216 for Education and Educational Research.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 150

Average article length/max: 20 pages

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style: House style

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 18 months (but shorter for advanced online publication)

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Language Testing

**Editor(s):** Carol Chapelle; April Ginther

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**Journal URL:** <http://ltj.sagepub.com/>

### **Journal description:**

Language Testing is a fully peer-reviewed, international, quarterly journal that publishes original research and review articles on language testing and assessment. It provides a forum for the exchange of ideas and information between people working in the fields of first and second language testing and assessment. This includes researchers and practitioners in EFL and ESL testing, and assessment in child language acquisition and language pathology. In addition, special attention is focused on issues of testing theory, experimental investigations, and the following up of practical implications.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 160

Average article length: 25 pages type set avg. (4000 – 8000 words)

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online? Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 10 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: 4 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Language Variation and Change

**Editor(s):** William Labov and Rena Torres Cacoullos

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**Journal URL:** <http://journals.cambridge.org/LVC>

### **Journal description:**

*Language Variation and Change* is the only journal dedicated exclusively to the study of linguistic variation and the capacity to deal with systematic and inherent variation in synchronic and diachronic linguistics. Sociolinguistics involves analysing the interaction of language, culture and society; the more specific study of variation is concerned with the impact of this interaction on the structures and processes of traditional linguistics. *Language Variation and Change* concentrates on the details of linguistic structure in actual speech production and processing (or writing), including contemporary or historical sources.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 3

Average pages per issue: 130

Average article length/max: 25

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: email

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): no

Manuscript style:

### **Submission Procedure**

Submission is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 4 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 9 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Languages in Contrast

**Editor(s):** Hilde Hasselgård & Signe Oksefjell Ebeling

**Editor/Journal E-mail:** [languages-in-contrast@ilos.uio.no](mailto:languages-in-contrast@ilos.uio.no)

**Journal URL:** <http://www.benjamins.com/#catalog/journals/lic/main>

### Journal description:

- *Languages in Contrast* aims to publish contrastive studies of two or more languages. Any aspect of language may be covered, including vocabulary, phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics, text and discourse, stylistics, sociolinguistics and psycholinguistics.
- *Languages in Contrast* welcomes interdisciplinary studies, particularly those that make links between contrastive linguistics and translation, lexicography, computational linguistics, language teaching, literary and linguistic computing, literary studies and cultural studies.
- *Languages in Contrast* provides a home for contrastive linguistics. It enables advocates of different theoretical linguistic frameworks to publish in a single publication to the benefit of all involved in contrastive research.
- *Languages in Contrast* provides a forum to explore the theoretical status of the field; stimulates research into a wide range of languages; and helps to give the field of contrastive linguistics a distinct identity.

### Publication

Issues per year: 2

Average pages per issue: 150

Average article length/max: "The recommended length for submissions is between approximately 5,000 and 8,000 words (including abstract, examples, references, appendices if any, etc.)." (Quote from guidelines)

### Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): No

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: e-mail / online

<https://benjamins.com/#catalog/journals/lic/submission>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: see <http://www.benjamins.com/#catalog/journals/lic/guidelines>

### Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: c. 8 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: will depend on number of articles received plus time from acceptance to next publication date.

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Linguistic Discovery

**Editor(s):** Lindsay Whaley

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**Journal URL:** <http://linguistic-discovery.dartmouth.edu>

## **Journal description:**

*Linguistic Discovery* is a fully electronic journal dedicated to the description and analysis of primary linguistic data. The amazing linguistic diversity of our planet poses a great intellectual challenge to linguists as we attempt to define what aspects of language and language use are universal versus those which are particular to subsets of the world's languages. *Linguistic Discovery* provides a platform for linguists to explore these issues and to inform others about linguistic phenomena that deepen our understanding of language, as well our appreciation for it.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 1-4

Average pages per issue: N/A

Average article length/max: none

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: E-mail

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style:

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: One month

Average time from acceptance to print: Six months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Linguistics and Education

Editor(s): Theresa Lillis, David Poveda

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Journal URL: <http://www.journals.elsevier.com/linguistics-and-education/>

### Journal description:

Linguistics and Education publishes articles that are about language and literacy practices in educational contexts including but not limited to classroom discourse, language learning in first and second languages, disciplinary language and literacy, language and culture, and new literacies.

### Publication

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 120

Average article length/max: 4; 10,000 words

### Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style:

### Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 4-6 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 1 month

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No



## MEXTESOL Journal

**Editor(s):** M. Martha Lengeling, Editor-in-Chief; JoAnn Miller, Associate Editor for Refereed Articles; Ma. Guadalupe Josefina C. Santana, Associate Editor for Non-refereed Articles

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.mextesol.net/journal/>

### **Journal description:**

Focusing on the special circumstances of teaching and learning English in Mexico, the MEXTESOL Journal publishes articles dealing with both practical and theoretical topics of interest to the classroom teacher. Articles (research-based articles or professional practice issue articles) and book reviews related to EFL teaching in Mexico and in similar situations throughout the world are accepted for publication. Articles may be written in English or Spanish. Abstracts are to be written in both languages.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 3-4

Average pages per issue: 70-100 Average article length/max: 15-20

**Submission Policies** Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Email

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA

**Submission Procedure** Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 3-6 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 8 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## The Modern Language Journal (MLJ)

**Editor-in-Chief:** Heidi Byrnes, *Georgetown University*

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**Journal URL:** <http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1111/%28ISSN%291540-4781>

### **Journal description:**

“Devoted to research and discussion about the learning and teaching of foreign and second languages”

The *MLJ* is a refereed journal. It is dedicated to promoting scholarly exchange among researchers and teachers of all modern foreign languages and English as a second language. It publishes research studies in all areas of language study using a variety of methodological approaches. The summer issue includes the column *Perspectives*, which deals with issues in language education policy in a format that includes multiple views by diverse stakeholders. Contributions deal with topics that are centrally relevant to the journal’s mission, meet the highest standards of scholarly excellence, advance theoretical knowledge, and explore clearly stated and well supported implications for teaching. Annual manuscript submissions: 320–350.

Celebrating 100 years in 2016!

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 1 special issue (guest edited) or monograph, 4 regular issues; All GUIDELINES on journal web page

Average pages per issue: approx. 230 editorial pages per issue

Average article length/max: Average MS length 40–50 pages with ancillary material, 12 pt., double spaced

Indexed in “Linguistics”(51/171) and “Education and Educational Research” (80/220) journals

Impact (2014) 2-year: 0.942; 5-year: 1.652

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Only unsolicited manuscripts

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online? Only online via Manuscript central/ScholarOne:

<http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/mlj>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): No

Manuscript style: APA (6<sup>th</sup> ed.) but with MLJ modifications (see author guidelines)

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes. Two-tiered: in-house review, followed, as appropriate, by external blind review

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes.

Submitter receives copy of reviewer’s comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: in-house review, approx. 4 weeks; additional full review, approx. 6-8 weeks.

Average time from accept to print: approx. 6–9 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# Multilingua

**Editor(s):** Ingrid Piller

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.degruyter.com/view/j/mult>

## Journal description:

*Multilingua* is a refereed academic journal devoted to multilingualism, language learning, intercultural communication and translating and interpreting in their social contexts. *Multilingua* focusses on critical sociolinguistic studies of language and communication in globalization, transnationalism, migration and mobility across time and space.

Now publishing six issues per volume, *Multilingua* has established itself as an international forum for interdisciplinary research on linguistic diversity in social life. *Multilingua* is particularly interested in publishing high-quality empirical yet theoretically-grounded research from hitherto neglected sociolinguistic contexts worldwide.

*Multilingua* is aimed at scholars, students and practitioners and promotes an appreciation of linguistic and cultural diversity and contributes to research and practice in language education, communication management, and policy and planning.

In addition to research articles, *Multilingua* also publishes research notes, reports, debates, review articles and short reviews. *Multilingua* regularly includes special issues devoted to the in-depth exploration of a specific topic in the field.

## Publication

Issues per year: 6

Average pages per issue:

Average article length/max: 6,000-10,000

## Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: <http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/multi>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no):

Manuscript style: [http://www.degruyter.com/staticfiles/pdfs/mouton\\_journal\\_stylesheet.pdf](http://www.degruyter.com/staticfiles/pdfs/mouton_journal_stylesheet.pdf)

## Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 12 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

# The Reading Matrix: An International Online Journal

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**Journal description:** *The Reading Matrix: An International Online Journal* is a peer-reviewed professional journal with an editorial board of scholars in the fields of second language acquisition and applied linguistics. The journal seeks to disseminate research to educators around the world. It is interested in exploring issues related to L2 reading, L2 literacy in a broader sense, and other issues related to second language learning and teaching. This publication was created as an interactive journal, not an electronic version of a traditional print publication. The journal is published twice a year exclusively on the World Wide Web. We encourage educators and researchers to submit articles on a variety of topics dealing with second language literacy and applied linguistics. We also encourage authors to submit book reviews and software reviews.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 2

Average pages per issue: 100-120 Average article length/max: 7,500 words+

**Submission Policies** Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Reprints previously published work (yes or no): No Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material:  
Yes

Manuscript preparation style guide: APA

**Submission Procedure** Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments: Yes

Submissions will be acknowledged (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 6 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Reading Research Quarterly

**Editor(s):** Linda B. Gambrell and Susan B. Neuman

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**Journal URL:** [http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1002/\(ISSN\)1936-2722](http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1002/(ISSN)1936-2722)

### **Journal description:**

For more than 40 years, *Reading Research Quarterly* has been essential reading for those committed to scholarship on literacy among learners of all ages. The leading research journal in the field, each issue of *Reading Research Quarterly* includes

- Reports of important studies
- Multidisciplinary research
- Various modes of investigation
- Diverse viewpoints on literacy practices, teaching, and learning

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 124

Average article length/max: 25 printed pages, no maximum length

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only via Manuscript Central:

<http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/rrq>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no):

Manuscript style: Word files in APA style

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 43 days for first decision, 61 days from original submission to final decision

Average time from acceptance to print: 6-8 weeks from acceptance to online publication ahead of the printed issue

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## ReCALL

**Editor(s):** Françoise Blin, Alex Boulton  
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**Journal URL:** <https://journals.cambridge.org/REC>

**Journal description:**

*ReCALL* is a fully-refereed journal published by Cambridge University Press on behalf of EUROCALL. It is issued three times a year in January, May and September and is also available online to subscribers.

The journal contains articles that contribute to theoretical debates, report on empirical studies (quantitative or qualitative), or present and critique new design approaches in areas relating to language learning and technology, as well as regular book reviews.

**Publication**

Issues per year: 3

Average pages per issue: 160 pages

Average article length/max: 8,000 words

**Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online? Online via <https://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/recall>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: Follow guidelines to contributors ([http://assets.cambridge.org/REC/REC\\_ifc.pdf](http://assets.cambridge.org/REC/REC_ifc.pdf))

**Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 2-3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 10 months (but shorter for advanced online publication)

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## RELC Journal

**Editor(s):** Dr Marie Yeo, Dr Alvin Pang & Dr Jeffrey Mehring

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**Journal URL:** <http://rel.sagepub.com>

### **Journal description:**

*The RELC Journal* was established in 1970 and is published on behalf of the Southeast Asian Ministers of Education Organisation (SEAMEO) Regional Language Centre (RELC), located in Singapore. It presents information and ideas on theories, research, methods and materials related to language learning and teaching. The journal welcomes contributions that have in mind the common professional concerns of both the practitioner and the researcher, providing a bridge between theory and practice.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 3 issues (April, August, December)

Average pages per issue: 140

Average article length/max: 6000 maximum

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: Word Doc

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes (Double)

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes (for articles that are accepted for external review)

Average time for review: 6 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 9 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## Studies in Second Language Acquisition

**Editor(s):** Susan Gass and Bill VanPatten

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**Journal URL:** <http://journals.cambridge.org/SLA>

### **Journal description:**

*Studies in Second Language Acquisition* is a refereed journal of international scope devoted to the scientific discussion of issues in second and foreign language acquisition of any language. Each volume contains four issues, one of which is generally devoted to a current topic in the field. The other three issues contain articles dealing with theoretical topics, some of which have broad pedagogical implications, and reports of quantitative and qualitative empirical research. Other rubrics include replication studies, State-of-the-Art articles, Notes and Discussion, review articles, book reviews, and book notices.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 150

Average article length/max: 50 double-spaced pages, TNR12

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Email until February 28, 2014, then online; please see instructions for contributors at <http://journals.cambridge.org/action/displayMoreInfo?jid=SLA&type=ifc>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes (book reviews and notices)

Manuscript style:

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 4-6 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: 12 -18 months (but shorter for advanced online publication)

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No



# **System: An International Journal of Educational Technology and Applied Linguistics**

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.journals.elsevier.com/system/>  
<http://ees.elsevier.com/sys/>

## **Journal description:**

This international journal is devoted to the applications of **educational technology** and **applied linguistics** to problems of **foreign language teaching** and **learning**. Attention is paid to all languages and to problems associated with the study and teaching of English as a second or foreign language. The journal serves as a vehicle of expression for colleagues in developing countries. *System* prefers its contributors to provide articles which have a sound theoretical base with a visible practical application which can be generalized. The review section may take up works of a more theoretical nature to broaden the background.

## **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue:

Average article length/max: Max 7,000 words

## **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Only online via <http://ees.elsevier.com/sys/>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material Yes

Manuscript style: APA 6<sup>th</sup> edition

## **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed Yes, two reviewers

Review is blind Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments Yes

Average time for review: 3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 1 month

Author receives payment for published work No

## Taiwan International ESP Journal

**Editor(s):** Meei-Ling Liaw & Sa-Hui (Agatha) Fan

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**Journal URL:** <http://tespaj.tespa.org.tw/index.php/TESPJ/issue/archive>

### Journal description:

The journal aims to:

1. To promote ESP education in Taiwan, and to promote college ESP education. To promote global literacy for Taiwan professionals, and to promote communication with
2. people worldwide.
3. To provide a learning platform for ESP students, to help them pass ESP proficiency tests and to promote the activities of ESP.

The missions of the journal include:

1. To integrate ESP teaching materials and to assess resources.
2. To hold various ESP teaching seminars.
3. To assist public and private institutes in executing and promoting teaching plans for English for Specific Purposes and to conduct research and development in ESP teaching materials and methodology.
4. To promote ESP teaching and management course design, and to cultivate and guide people seeking to develop the necessary skills to succeed in the professional marketplace.
5. To assist academic institutions in cultivating ESP teaching professionals.
6. Other related work that helps to achieve the association's objectives.

### Publication

Issues per year: 2

Average pages per issue: 86 pages

Average article length/max: 7000 words

### Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts: Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: Please refer to <http://tespaj.tespa.org.tw/index.php/TESPJ/index>

### Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 60 days from submission to first decision, average time reviewers take to review a manuscript: 30 days

Average time from acceptance to print: 3 weeks from acceptance to e-published; 2 weeks from e-published to print

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## TESL Canada Journal/Revue TESL du Canada

**Editor(s):** Marian Rossiter

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.teslcanadajournal.ca>

### **Journal description:**

TESL Canada Journal is an online, open access, refereed journal for practicing teachers, teacher educators, graduate students, and researchers. TESL Canada Journal invites the submission of unpublished manuscripts about the learning and teaching of official languages; subsequent language teacher education; and the maintenance and development of minority, heritage, or Aboriginal languages.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 3 (2 regular, 1 special issue)

Average pages per issue: 145

Average article length/max:

Full length articles: 7000 words, excluding references.

In the Classroom: 3500 words, excluding references.

Perspectives: 3500 words, excluding references.

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Email only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 3 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 5 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## TESL-EJ

**Editor(s):** Maggie Sokolik, Thomas Robb

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**Journal URL:** tesl-ej.org

**Journal description:**

TESL-EJ publishes original articles, books, or monographs in the research and practice of English as a second or foreign language. TESL-EJ welcomes studies in ESL/EFL pedagogy, second language acquisition, language assessment, applied socio- and psycholinguistics, and other related areas, for quarterly publication.

TESL-EJ never charges a publication fee to authors.

**Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 400

Average article length/max: 20 pages

**Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Submissions are accepted only through our submissions site: teslejsubmissions.org

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA

**Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 4-6 months

Average time from acceptance to print: 2 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## TESOL Arabia Perspectives

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.tesolarabia.co/publications/perspectives/>

### **Journal description:**

*Perspectives* is an official publication of TESOL Arabia. It is published three (3) times per year (in November, February, and June) and is sent to all members of TESOL Arabia. Archived issues are available to all on the website with a one-issue embargo: <http://www.tesolarabia.co/publications/perspectives/>

*Perspectives* is designed to meet TESOL Arabia's professional objectives by publishing articles that discuss the teaching and learning of English as an additional language at all levels and with a particular focus on the region (North Africa, the Middle East, the Gulf, and South Asia). We invite previously unpublished manuscripts that address the diversified topics that make up our profession, including, but not limited to, methodology, pedagogy, curriculum and materials development, assessment, classroom inquiry and research, teacher education, literature, and language and culture. *Perspectives* publishes articles in several categories. Features, Educational Technology, Lesson Ideas, and Reader Response articles are all peer-reviewed. Other types of articles include Reviews, Networking, and TESOL Arabia News. Contributors' guidelines can be found on the website.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 3

Average pages per issue: 50

Average article length/max: 2000/4000

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: e-mail

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA (6<sup>th</sup> ed.)

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 6 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: 3 months

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## TESOL Journal

**Editor(s):** Joy Egbert

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.tesol.org/read-and-publish/journals/tesol-journal>

### **Journal description:**

TESOL Journal (TJ) is a refereed, practitioner-oriented electronic journal based on current theory and research in the field of TESOL. TJ is a forum for second and foreign language educators at all levels to engage in the ways that research and theorizing can inform, shape, and ground teaching practices and perspectives. Articles enable an active and vibrant professional dialogue about research- and theory-based practices as well as practice-oriented theorizing and research.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 145

Average article length/max:

Feature Articles: 2,500–7,000 words, including references, tables, and so forth.

21st-Century Language Skills: 1,000–2,000 words, including references, tables, and so forth.

Teaching English as an International Language (TEIL): 2,500-5,000 words, including references, tables, and so forth.

Student Voices: 500–750 words, including references, tables, and so forth.

Communities of Participation in TESOL: 2,000–3,000 words, including references, tables, and so forth.

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Electronic submission required via online portal:

<http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/tesol>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA 6<sup>th</sup>

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## TESOL Quarterly

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### Journal description:

*TESOL Quarterly*, a professional, refereed journal, was first published in 1967. The *Quarterly* encourages submission of previously unpublished articles on topics of significance to individuals concerned with English language teaching and learning and standard English as a second dialect. As a publication that represents a variety of cross-disciplinary interests, both theoretical and practical, the *Quarterly* invites manuscripts on a wide range of topics, especially in the following areas:

- psychology and sociology of language learning and teaching
- issues in research and research methodology
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- professional preparation
- curriculum design and development
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- language planning
- professional standards

Because the *Quarterly* is committed to publishing manuscripts that contribute to bridging theory and practice in our profession, it particularly welcomes submissions that address the implications and applications of research in, for example: anthropology, applied and theoretical linguistics, communication education, English education, (including reading and writing theory), psycholinguistics, psychology, first and second language acquisition, sociolinguistics, and sociology.

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### Publication

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 225

Average article length/max: 8,500 words

### Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Electronic submission required via online portal:

<http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/tesol>

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: APA 6<sup>th</sup>

### Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No

## World Englishes

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**Journal URL:** [http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1111/\(ISSN\)1467-971X](http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/10.1111/(ISSN)1467-971X)

### **Journal description:**

*World Englishes* is integrative in its scope and includes theoretical and applied studies on language, literature and English teaching, with emphasis on cross-cultural perspectives and identities. The journal provides recent research, critical and evaluative papers, and reviews from Africa, Asia, Europe, Oceania and the Americas. Thematic special issues and colloquia appear regularly.

### **Publication**

Issues per year: 4

Average pages per issue: 100-120

Average article length: 6000-8000 words

### **Submission Policies**

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Mainly online

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: Journal house style (based on LSA)

### **Submission Procedure**

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 44 days

Average time from acceptance to print: 6 months-1 year

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No



## Writing & Pedagogy

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**Journal URL:** <http://www.equinoxpub.com/wap>

**Journal description:** An international refereed journal focused on the teaching of writing in first and second language contexts that accepts submissions in the categories of: essays discussing major issues in writing and the teaching of writing, reports of empirical research on the teaching of writing, referenced reflections on practice in writing pedagogy, articles focused on writing technologies and online writing contexts, and book reviews related to the nature of writing or the teaching of writing.

### Publication

Issues per year: 3 (1 open topic, 1 special topic, 1 either open or special topic)

Average pages per issue: 150-200

Average article length/max: highly variable, depending on type of article, generally ranging 6,500-10,500 words (excluding book reviews).

### Submission Policies

Accepts unsolicited manuscripts (yes or no): Yes

Accepts manuscripts via post, e-mail, or online?: Online only

Publishes reviews of books, software, or other material (yes or no): Yes

Manuscript style: currently Harvard but set to change to APA in 2015

### Submission Procedure

Review is refereed (yes or no): Yes

Review is blind (yes or no): Yes

Submitter receives copy of reviewer's comments (yes or no): Yes

Average time for review: 6 weeks

Average time from acceptance to print: One year or less

Author receives payment for published work (yes or no): No