

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR AUTHORS

## MANUSCRIPT FORMATTING GUIDE

**MANUSCRIPT MUST BE SUBMITTED:**

- in English,
- printed and in electronic versions: the author is obliged to guarantee the compliance of the manuscript to the topics of the periodical and provide the final copyright version,
- in Microsoft Office Word,
- page size - A4,
- font face - Calibri,
- references should be given at the end of the article,
- font size for the text of the article - 11, for the footnotes - 10,
- line spacing - 1.3, first line - 0.8 cm.

**MATERIALS AND CDs** are not returned.

**ARTICLE LENGTH:** 5-15 pages.

**ARTICLE TITLE:**

- should outline the general scope of the article and not exceed eight words,
- uppercase,
- font size-14.

**AUTHORS' DATA:**

- first name(s), last name(s), and CVs of the manuscript author(s) in Armenian, English and Russian for the three lingual webpage of the periodical,
- full name and postal address of each author's workplace, organization,
- position, rank, academic Degree,
- e-mail and phone number,
- names and surnames of authors should be full, surnames - in uppercase.

**ABSTRACT:**

- should be submitted in Armenian, English and Russian for the three lingual webpage of the periodical,
- should be concise between 250 and 300 words,
- should be informative and not contain general words and phrases,
- should reflect the main content of the article taking into consideration the following viewpoints: subject, purpose, research results and conclusions,
- information contained in the title should not be duplicated in the abstract.

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**REFERENCES**

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**For an article in a journal:**

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**For an article in a periodical or volume:**

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<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/meta.12143/abstract>

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If the manuscript contains non alphabetic characters (e.g. logical formulae, diagrams) then:

- the PDF version of the text should be attached for the demanded verification,
- all the images (diagrams, line drawings and photographic images) should be numbered sequentially with Arabic numerals and submitted in electronic form,
- Photo images should be of high quality,

- all the images should be attached as separate files,
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