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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

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Readership 2015

Month	Unique visitors	Number of visits	Pages	Hits
Jan-15	64,139	91,794	154,286	934,894
Feb-15	63,059	87,565	144,491	935,523
Mar-15	72,723	102,862	174,385	1,151,821
Apr-15	67,971	96,000	170,388	1,108,939
May-15	69,387	98,528	158,534	1,065,776
Jun-15	57,653	83,783	134,642	899,779
Jul-15	48,673	70,917	127,984	781,617
Aug-15	49,635	73,624	122,408	842,165
Sep-15	63,147	89,195	139,721	1,108,607
Oct-15	73,434	103,085	167,959	1,265,523
Nov-15	70,769	100,563	164,673	1,181,724
Dec-15	56,437	82,164	139,046	922,254
Total	757,027	1,080,080	1,798,517	12,198,622

Review Process

- Initial review of abstracts and other information, up to 4 weeks (~80% are rejected at this phase)
- Review by blind reviewers, hopefully no more than 6 months, but human factors intervene
- From review to publication, usually less than 3 months, up to 6 months

Acceptance Rate

- **Around 5%**
- Note: the vast majority of articles are rejected because they are: 1) not appropriate for our journal; 2) incorrectly submitted

How to improve your chances of publication

Please do...

1. Read our journal to understand what types of research we publish.
2. Follow all instructions and tips for publication carefully. Incomplete submissions are automatically rejected.

Please don't...

1. Tell us that you have a deadline for publication because of tenure review, etc. We cannot publish according to authors' personal deadlines. (If you have a deadline, plan ahead!)
2. Send us the paper by email, asking if we would read it and tell you if it's appropriate for the journal. We can only consider it if you submit it and let it go through the regular review process.
3. Send articles you've submitted elsewhere at the same time.
4. Be angry or impatient.

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