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Original, detailed contributions are requested on the topics the journal focuses on. Contributions will be subject to an anonymous peer-review process. Reviewers are specialists who are not part of *Eunomia*’s publishing organisation. The editorial board undertakes to complete this process within six months of receipt by the editorial board’s secretary’s office.

15 May 2021 is the deadline for submitting original articles opting to be published in issue No. 21 (October 2021–March 2022).

GUIDELINES FOR SUBMITTING ORIGINAL ARTICLES

1. Original articles may be submitted in English, French, German, Italian, Portuguese and Spanish. The preferred submission method is via the platform on the journal's webpage www.uc3m.es/eunomia where you can also find the editorial guidelines. To submit article proposals, authors must first register via the "Join" tab in the horizontal navigation menu. Articles can also be sent by email to the following address: eunomia@uc3m.es.
2. The **manuscript must be submitted in a format suitable for peer review**, i.e. without identifying the authors' details (names, address, email, acknowledgements, etc.). Any references to the authors or their workplaces that may enable the reviewer to identify them must also be removed from the text of the article (if accepted, they will be reinserted in the final text for publication). In in-text citations from articles by the same author as the manuscript, surnames must be replaced by the word Author. In the References, each author's publication must be marked Author with the year of publication in brackets: Author (year).
3. Along with the manuscript, all contributions must **attach the following in a separate file: information on the authors' academic profile**, institution they belong to, email, contact phone number and a brief outline (maximum 200 words). Including the ORCID identifier is also advisable. The details of all collaborators must be included in the case of co-authors. This statement must follow the **model** in the following link: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1i593KU01x0XP_gCN1yoEEoXL4pUI_L10h-VERpvF-YA/edit?usp=sharing
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5. **Articles must comply with the formal and editorial criteria** detailed below. Failure to comply may result in the rejection of the original articles submitted.

FORMAL AND EDITORIAL CRITERIA REQUIRED FOR RECEIVING AND SUBSEQUENTLY REVIEWING ORIGINAL ARTICLES

1. Doctrinal contributions will be divided into “Studies”, “Forum and Agora”, “Voices on Lawfulness” and “Rereading” (click [here](#) to learn more about each of them). Unless there are justified exceptions, original articles for “Studies” and “Forum and Agora” should not exceed 25 pages (approximately 75,000 characters, including bibliography) and articles for “Voices on Lawfulness” should not exceed 15 pages (approximately 45,000 characters). Summaries must be about books published during the current year or the previous year.
2. Except for the summary, contributions must include the **article title**, an **abstract** of its content (between 100 and 150 words long) and a **list of key words** (between five and ten) in Spanish and English. We recommend that the title does not exceed 80 characters, including spaces. A summary of the article’s main sections should then be included before the text begins.
3. Papers should be submitted in DIN A4 **format**. The font must be Arial, size 11 with single spacing for the main text. The top and bottom margins will be those set by default in Microsoft Office Word software. Starting with the second paragraph of each section, every paragraph should be indented.
4. **Footnotes** must be inserted after any punctuation marks. They must be numbered in Arabic characters in Arial font size 9 and single spaced.
5. Articles may include **graphics, tables**, charts and images. They must be included in the text, numbered consecutively and reference their source.
6. **Divisions and subdivisions** must be indicated in Arabic numerals and followed by the title in bold roman lower case. Subdivisions must include a second or third number, separated by full points.

Example:

1. On the concept of “Lawfulness”
1.1. Main doctrinal contributions

7. The first time **abbreviations or acronyms** are used (which must be in capital letters without a full point) they must be written in brackets and preceded by the full version.

Example:

United Nations (UN).

8. **Italics** are reserved for the titles of books and journals, words in languages other than the one the original text is written in and Latin expressions.
9. Use **double quotation marks** for citations, phrases or words. Single quotation marks must be used when there is a citation or word highlighted within another.

Example:

“We command the Egyptians who wander our kingdoms and feudal estates ‘with their wives and children’ that on the day this law ...”.

10. The **em dash** (—) and not the en dash (–) is used to enclose asides, frame notes or introduce comments in the discourse.

Useful information

How to enter quotation marks or em dashes.

Normal mode: tools>insert special characters and search for the symbol in question.

11. **Long in-text citations** (more than four lines) must be taken out of the paragraph and become a separate paragraph. This paragraph must be separated from both the preceding and subsequent paragraphs by one line. Several typographical changes must also be made: no quotation marks, size 10 font, single spacing and a left margin of 1.25 cm. When the author omits part of the citation, this must be indicated by an ellipsis preceded and followed by a space. Any additions the author makes to the citation must be indicated by square brackets.
12. **References** mentioned in the **body of the text** must follow the author–year system. The brackets must include: author’s surname [comma] the year when the article was published [comma] p. and the pages cited.

Example:

“... presented ‘a luminous truth’ that seemed to fix forever his ideas on the inalienability of the people’s sovereignty under whatever government in power” (Turgot, 1923, p. 660)

13. When referring in general terms to a particular work by an author, the year it was published must be mentioned in brackets. When several works by the same author have been published in the same year, they must be differentiated by adding a letter to the year. When a citation refers to several pages of a work, the format will be as follows: [comma] pp. and the start and end page of the citation, linked by an en dash [–].
14. The **bibliography**, to appear at the end of the text, must only include the references of the works cited in the article. The author must ensure that the citations included in the text match all the details provided in the bibliography. The article’s author or authors will be responsible for ensuring source citations and bibliographical references are correct.
15. References must be ordered alphabetically by the author’s surname and they must follow the **APA model (7th ed.)**, as explained in detail in the following link <https://apastyle.apa.org/style-grammar-guidelines/references/>. For more reference specifications, you can refer to the APA page at the following address: <https://apastyle.apa.org/>.

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Book: Surname, A. A. (Year). *Title*. City, Country: Publisher.

Book with editor: Surname, A. A. (Ed.). (Year). *Title*. City, Country: Publisher.

Book chapter: only in cases of compilation books and anthologies in which every chapter has a different author and compiler or editor: Surname, A. A., & Surname, B. B. (Year). Title of chapter or entry. In A. A. Surname. (Ed.), *Book title* (pp. xx–xx). City, Country: Publisher.

Periodical publications in printed format: Surname, A. A., Surname, B. B., & Surname, C. C. (Date). Article title. *Journal name, volume* (number), pp–pp.

Periodical publications with DOI: Surname, A. A., Surname, B. B., & Surname, C. C. (Date). Article title. *Journal name, volume* (number), pp–pp. DOI: xx

Printed newspaper article: Surname A. A. (Date). Article title. *Newspaper name*, pp–pp. Or the version without an author: Article title. (Date). *Newspaper name*, pp–pp.

Online newspaper article: Surname, A. A. (Date). Article title. *Newspaper name*. Retrieved from <http://www...>

16. *Eunomía* recommends using an inclusive language. For more information: “[Buenas prácticas para el tratamiento del Lenguaje en Igualdad](#)”.

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