

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE FULL TEXTS FOR THE SPORTS AND SECURITY CONFERENCE

Author's Guidelines

The Author's Guidelines are prepared following the Journal's policy to present to the maximum extent all published manuscripts in international scientific databases. The Guidelines are in accordance with BDS ISO 690-2011 standard.

Forewords

When sending a full text for the Conference, the Author must declare that the manuscript is not already submitted or under consideration for publication elsewhere.

By submitting manuscript, the Author agrees to follow the Guidelines, requirements and ethical principles for scientific research publishing.

Manuscripts that do not correspond to the scope or are not prepared according to the Guidelines will be rejected without going through blind peer review's procedure.

The articles must report original research ideas and results.

The texts should be prepared by using a standard word processing program. All appendixes in the form of graphs, tables or illustrations should be suitable for reading and editing with programs commonly used for such purposes.

The Publisher does not encourage the detailed presentation of commonly known theoretical concepts available in other sources. The Publisher reserves the right not to publish manuscripts in which the similarity level exceeds 20%.

The Publisher does not encourage the citation of literature that is not relevant to the manuscript's topic; literature that includes non-textual references or self-citations.

Manuscript preparation

General guidelines

It is not recommended to specifically format the text itself with regard to tabs, bullets and other similar symbols. Tabs should be used for table layout only.

The texts should be compiled in the following order:

- title of the paper (without any abbreviations);
- names of the authors with their scientific degree, academic position and institution; abstract outlining the novelty and results of the study;
- 3 – 6 keywords;
- full text;
- acknowledgments (if any);
- appendixes (as appropriate);
- notes;
- references.

(The abstract should indicate the research goal and methodology, and to outline the research novelty and results. The abstract should correspond to the title, keywords and main text of the study. Recommended abstract volume – approx. 300 words.

Figures (Illustrations) and their captions should be presented simultaneously with the text and separately in a new file. If the figure's volume is not suitable for inserting, its position should be indicated in the text clearly – Fig. 1, Fig. 2, etc.

Tables and their captions should be presented simultaneously with the text and separately in a new file. If the table's volume is not suitable for inserting, its position should be indicated in the text clearly – Table 1, Table 2, etc. Tables are used for presenting quantities or variables. Plain text tables are not encouraged as they cause troubles in the pre-print and printing process.

Notes and References

Acknowledgments, cited archival sources and notes at the end of the text are written only in the language of the main text of the manuscript.

The references should be cited in Roman script. If there are sources in Cyrillic script, they (authors, titles and sources) should be presented in Roman script – with translation or by transliteration.

The list of references should include sources that can be checked easily by the referees and by the readers as well. The marginal sources without broad visibility should not be included in the list of references. Nevertheless, if such sources are necessary to be cited, they should appear in the list of notes, together with additional explanations or marginal sources for which it is considered that their presence in the main text would burden it unnecessarily. The position of notes within the text should be marked by Arabic numerals as superscripts.

The cited literature should be presented in the list of references in accordance with BDS ISO 690-2011 standard (Harvard System).

Some examples:

Journal article: The reference includes: author's name, year of publication, article's title, journal's name (in Italics), volume (in Bold), issue (in brackets), pages.

Zlateva, A., 2019. Reflecting the Level of Social Adaptation in the Drawings of Children Aged 6 – 7. *Pedagogika-Pedagogy*. **91**(5), 687 – 695.

Such a source is cited in the text as: (Zlateva 2019). If it is necessary to indicate a specific page (e.g. p. 690), it is indicated as follows: (Zlateva 2019, 690).

Online periodicals article:

The article source (accessible web address or DOI) should be placed at the end of the cited source.

Lasquety-Reyes, J. A., 2019. Towards Computer Simulations of Virtue Ethics. *Open Philosophy* [online]. **2**(1), 399 – 413 [viewed 15 April 2021]. Available from: doi.org/10.1515/opphil-2019-0029

Have in mind, that:

- When the article is published in a journal, the journal name is written in italics.
- When citing, it is necessary to indicate the annual volume and the issue of the journal.

If the source is in a language, different that the body text one, then the original language should be pointed in brackets at the end.

Stefanov, A., 2020. Kant I razvitiето na geometriata. *Filosofiya-Philosophy*. **29**(1), 31 – 38 [In Bulgarian].

Hutorskoj, A., 1999. Evristicheskiј tip obrazovaniya: rezul'taty nauchno-praktičeskogo issledovaniya. *Pedagogika-Pedagogy*, **52**(7), 15 – 22. [In Russian].

When there are more than three authors, the usage of the abbreviation et al. is also acceptable, as follows:

Nichols, P., Twing, J., Mueller, C.D. & O'Malley, K., 2010. Standard-setting methods as measurement processes. *Educational Measurement: Issues & Practice*. **29**(1), 14 – 24.

or as:

Nichols, P., et al., 2010. Standard-setting methods as measurement processes. *Educational Measurement: Issues & Practice*. **29**(1), 14 – 24.

Such source is cited in the text as: (Nichols, Twing, Mueller & O'Malley 2010), or as (Nichols et al. 2010) – depending on the way it is stated in the reference list.

Books

In books, the title of the book is written in italics. The author of the manuscript also mentions the city and the publisher of the book.

Atkin, J.M., Black, P. & Coffey, J., 2001. *Classroom assessment and the national science education standards*. Washington: National Academies Press.

Merion, D.B., 1975. *Physics and physical world*. Moskva: Mir.

Edited Books

As shown in the example below, only the title of the cited book / collection is given in italics. The quoted pages are indicated after the city / publisher's name.

Carman, T., 2005. On the Inescapability of Phenomenology. In: D.W. Smith & A. L. Thomasson (Eds.). *Phenomenology and Philosophy of Mind*. Oxford: Clarendon Press. 67 – 89.

Proofs

Before publishing the authors will have the opportunity to check the proof of their paper. The proof should be corrected and returned to the Editor within a week. Major alterations to the text cannot be accepted.