

Guide for Authors

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On this basis, create a text spanning 8,000 to a maximum of 15,000 characters, including spaces, corresponding to about four journal pages. Ensure adherence to our style sheet, available at www.whu.edu/cmr.

Begin your article in an engaging manner, e.g., by using a question, a real-world example, or another captivating stylistic device. The article should be clear and readable, using an active voice. Please avoid using nested sentences and excessive substantiations or abbreviations.

Submit your short proposal or your complete manuscript to cmr@whu.edu. Our editorial team will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

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Review and publication

Our editorial team will peer review your article and provide linguistic revisions. This process may take some time. If questions remain or major revisions are necessary, we will return the edited version to you to review or add inputs. Once approved, we will submit your contribution for typesetting.

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We look forward to receiving your contribution!