

Submission Guide

Sociological Insight is a fully refereed journal that publishes social scientific articles. Accepted articles may be based on empirical or theoretical research and may employ either or both quantitative and qualitative methods.

There are three main criteria for accepted manuscripts:

1. The subject matter must be approached critically and from an objective modus operandi.
2. The manuscript must be professionally written and with a logical organization of ideas. The author must precisely define the paper's subject matter (i.e., the research question/problem and how this research question will be approached). In addition, well-structured sentences and adequate grammar are expected.
3. The manuscript must have sociological relevance. Sociology is a broad field that touches on many academic areas: crime, culture, deviance, development, economic sociology, education, family, gender, health, history, immigration, methods, nationalism, political sociology, race and ethnic relations, rural sociology, demography, social networks, social organizations, social policy, social psychology, social stratification, religion, theory, and urban sociology.

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Style Guidelines

Manuscripts must meet the following requirements:

1. Submit one electronic version of your manuscript to utsocinsight@gmail.com. Name your Word file with your last name, your university, and the title of your paper (e.g., Smith_Case Western University_Political Voting Patters Among Hispanic Americans.doc). Articles and research notes may be co-authored.
2. The document must be submitted in a Microsoft Word format, double spaced, and in 12-point Times New Roman font. Manuscripts must follow the American Sociological Association's citation format. In-text citations must agree exactly with the list of references.
3. Manuscripts should be between 4,000 and 7,000 words **including** footnotes, endnotes, and references. The abstract should not exceed 200 words.
4. Indicate the place of all tables and figures within the article (e.g., Table 1 HERE) but append all tables to the end of the article.
5. Margins must be 1 to 1.25 inches on all four sides. Percentages should be written out.