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- Project Management
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- Business Ethics
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- **PERIODICITY**

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Reviewers are chosen on the basis of their expertise in the topic area and/or methodology used in the paper. Should any revision be required, our instructions to authors are designed to move authors towards a successfully published article.

## • RESEARCH COMPONENTS

The article should include the following components:

- An introduction
- A review of the relevant literature
- An outline of the research methodology/ research design
- Research findings
- A discussion of the results
- A conclusion and policy recommendations/ recommendations to managers

**An emphasis should be placed on the discussion of the findings, the conclusion and policy recommendations/ recommendations to managers.**

## • AJMI STYLE GUIDE

All of the following requirements need to be met before an article can be sent to reviewers. If the formatting of a submitted paper does not match these requirements, **the paper will be returned without review for correction and re-submission.**

### *1. Format*

- Must be a Word-compatible document (not a .pdf) and use the American Psychological Association (APA) Referencing Style as shown below (see sub-sections 6 and 7).

### *2. Title Page*

- Uploaded separately from the abstract and body.
- Manuscript title (not in all capital letters).
- Title, name, affiliation and email address of all authors.
- Indicate clearly who is the corresponding author for journal communication.

### *3. Abstract*

- Not more than 250 words.
- Should not include any information that would identify the author(s).
- Bold, Times New Roman, 12 point, no indentation.

### *4. Keywords*

- Three to six keywords are required at the time of submission.

### *5. Body of the Paper*

- A4 page size.
- Margin of 1" (2.5cm) on all four sides.
- Title of Article: Times New Roman font, 20 point.
- Section Heading: First letter of each word in capitals, bold 12 point font.
- Body Text: Times New Roman font, 12 point, single space between sentences.

## 6. In-Text Citations

- All in-text citations included throughout the article must have a corresponding full reference at the end of the manuscript body.
- Only direct quotes need a page number (not paraphrases).
- Direct Quotes
  - *One Author*  
Author's Last name (Year) stated that "direct quote" (page number).  
Isenberg (2007) stated that "international dispersion is on the rise" (p. 56). **Or**  
"Direct quote" (Last name, Year, page number)  
"International dispersion is on the rise" (Isenberg, 2007, p. 56).
  - *Two Authors*  
First author's Last name and second author's Last name (Year, page number) mentioned that "direct quote" (page number).  
Isenberg and Kerr (2007) mentioned that "international dispersion is on the rise" (p. 56). **Or**  
"Direct quote" (first author's Last name & second author's Last name, Year, page number).  
"International dispersion is on the rise" (Isenberg & Kerr, 2007, p. 56).
- Block Quotes  
If a quote runs on for more than 40 words:
  - Start the direct quotation on a new line
  - Indent the text roughly half an inch from the left margin
  - Remove any quotation marks

*Example:*  
As Krugman (2019) stated:  
 Maybe the larger point here is that there tends to be a certain amount of mysticism about trade policy, because the fact that it's global and touches on one of the most famous insights in economics, the theory of comparative advantage, gives it an amount of mind space somewhat disproportionate to its actual economic importance. (p. 3).
- Parenthetical Citing
  - *One Author*  
Author's Last name (Year) in-text parenthetical citation (paraphrase).  
Isenberg (2007) argues that cross-border migration is increasing. **Or**  
Paraphrase (Last name, Year)  
Cross-border migration is increasing (Isenberg, 2007).
  - *Two Authors*  
First author's Last name and second author's Last name (Year) paraphrase.  
Kerr and Isenberg (2007) argued that cross-border migration is increasing.  
**Or**  
Paraphrase (first author's Last name & second author's Last name, Year).  
Cross-border migration is on the rise (Isenberg & Kerr, 2007).
  - *Three to Five Authors*  
All authors' Last names (Year) paraphrase.  
Kerr, Issenberg, and Steward (2007) argued that cross-border migration is increasing.

**Or**

Paraphrase (all authors' Last names, Year).

Cross-border migration is increasing (Isenberg, Kerr, & Steward, 2007).

For all subsequent in-text paraphrases, first author's Last name followed by "et al." and the publication year.

Isenberg et al. (2007) found that the event resulted in thousands of people flocking to the border.

**Or**

The event resulted in thousands of people flocking to the border (Isenberg et al., 2007).

**7. Full References**

The following formatting rules apply:

- References appear at the end of the manuscript body in alphabetical order by the first word in the reference (usually the author's last name, sometimes the title).
- All references must have a corresponding in-text citation in the manuscript.
- If more than one work by an author is cited, list them by earliest publication date first.
- If the list contains more than one item published by the same author(s) in the same year, add lower case letters immediately after the year to distinguish them (e.g. 1983a).
- If there is no author, the title moves to the author position (filed under the first significant word of the title).
- Reference list entries should be indented half an inch or 12 mm (five to seven spaces) on the second and subsequent lines of the reference list for every entry - a hanging indent is the preferred style (i.e. entries should begin flush left, and the second and subsequent lines should be indented).
- Single-space all reference entries.

Follow APA Referencing Style format for each source type listed as shown below. For any source type not shown below, go to the APA website for references.

**• Book****- One Author**

Author, F. M. / Organization. (Year). *Topic Title*. City: Publisher.

Nagel, P. C. (1992). *The Lees of Virginia: Seven generations of an American family*. New York: Oxford University Press.

**- Two Authors**

Author, F. M., & Author, F. M. (Year). *Topic Title*. City: Publisher.

Nagel, P. C., & Sampson, T. (1995). *Seven generations of an American family*. New York: Oxford University Press.

**- Three Authors**

Author, F. M., Author, F. M., & Author, F. M. (Year). *Topic Title*. City: Publisher.

Nagel, P. C., Sampson, T., & Hubbard, A. J. (1992). *The Lees of Virginia: Seven generations of an American family*. New York: Oxford University Press.

**• Journal**

Author, F. M. (Year). Title of article. *Title of Journal*, vol. (issue), pp xxx-xxx.

Turner, R. A. (2007). Coaching and consulting in multicultural contexts. *Consulting Psychology Journal: Practice and Research*, 59(4), 241-243.

- Website  
Author, F. M./ Organization. (Year of Publication). Web page title. Retrieved (Date) from URL Address.  
Bogati, S. (2013, October 14). Hospitality Industry in Nepal. Retrieved November 3, 2018, from <http://hospitalityindustryinnepal.blogspot.com/>
- Newspaper  
Author, F. M. / Organization (Year, month, day published). Title of article. *Title of newspaper*, page.  
Parker, T. D. (2009, August 3). Getting rid of side stitches. *The Washington Post*, p. E1, E4.

### 8. Formatting Figures and Table

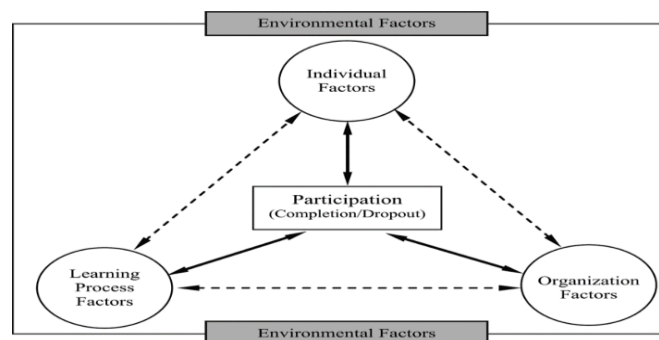
There are two different styles for graphics in APA format: **Figures** (charts, images, pictures) and **Tables**.

- Figures
  - The first graphic (chart, drawing, or image) will be labeled as Figure 1 and be the first one mentioned in the article.
  - Subsequent ones will follow in the appropriate numeral order in which they appear in the article.
  - Follow APA Referencing Style format for each source type listed as shown below. This means that both the Title and the Source are written below the Figure.



**Figure 1:** Name of Picture

**Source:** Author's Last name OR Organization's name (Year, Page number OR Online)  
Khoman (2017, p. 137)



**Figure 1:** Conceptual framework

**Source:** Author's Last name OR Organization's name (Year: Page number OR Online)  
Wang (2019: p. 45)

- Tables  
Tables are labelled separately to Figures and should follow the instructions below.
  - The first Table will be labeled as Table 1 and be the first Table mentioned in the article.
  - Subsequent ones will follow in the appropriate numeral order in which they appear in the article. This means that Tables are labelled separately to Figures.
  - The APA Referencing Style format for a Table differs to that of a Figure. A Table has the Title above the Table, and the Source will be listed below.

**Table 2:** Domestic Tourism in Ayutthaya and Sukhothai in 2004

Type of Data (2004)	Ayutthaya	Sukhothai
Visitor	3,023,933	1,915,975
Thai		1,107,958
Foreigners		

**Source:** Author's Last name OR Organization's name (Year: Page number OR Online)  
Tourism Authority of Thailand (2005: Online)

For any source type not shown above, go to the APA website for references.

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