

CALL FOR PAPERS

PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITY FOR UNIVERSITY STUDENTS OF ANY ACADEMIC YEAR, CLINICIANS AND RESEARCHERS IN CLINICAL AND APPLIED NEUROPSYCHOLOGY

Call for proposal

Neuropsychologie Clinique et Appliquée / Applied and Clinical Neuropsychology (NCACN) is looking for new articles for its third issue.

WHO can submit?

University students of any academic year and any university, clinicians from any clinical domain, and researchers from any international research environment.

WHAT to submit?

An empirical or theoretical article about clinical or applied neuropsychology.

The article can be written in French or in English.

WHEN to submit?

Please send us a 150-word **ABSTRACT** by **October 20th, 2018**. You will then have to submit the **WHOLE MANUSCRIPT** by **November 20th, 2018** at the latest.

WHERE to submit?

By e-mail at: ncacn.umontreal@gmail.com

HOW to submit?

Abstract: Send us your 150-word abstract at the abovementioned e-mail address.

Manuscript: Along with the manuscript, include a letter to the editor-in-chief. In this letter, the author must confirm that there is no conflict of interest and that the article was not already published or submitted for publication to another scientific journal.

The first page of the manuscript must include the title of the article, the list of authors and their affiliations as well as an abbreviated title containing a maximum of 45 characters. The second page must include a 150 words summary of the article, in French or in English. The author must include 5 key-words related to the themes discussed in the article. The text must contain a maximum of 7 500 words and it must observe the APA style.



Mission

Neuropsychologie Clinique et Appliquée / Applied and Clinical Neuropsychology (NCACN) is an international scientific journal aspiring to publish annually in September. NCACN's mission is to allow clinicians, researchers, and university students from any academic year in the clinical and applied neuropsychology field to promote and publish their original ideas and research results. Furthermore, the journal aims to encourage exchanges and connect students, clinicians, and researchers of the field. The journal also offers the opportunity for undergraduate students to experiment with the complete scientific process, from the writing of a scientific article to its distribution by going through peer review.

NCACN publishes theoretical and empirical articles in the area of clinical and applied neuropsychology. <u>Students from any academic year</u>, clinicians, and researchers who would like to elaborate on a neuropsychological theme are invited to submit their manuscript. The articles may take different forms such as:

- Systematic and critical recension of empirical studies of a relevant field, with or without metaanalysis;
- Systematic and critical recension of a relevant theoretical field;
- Critical analysis of a concept, a practice, or a practical recommendation of a diagnostic category;
- Experimental or quasi-experimental single-case study;
- Theoretical-empirical-clinical study of one or several cases (classical case study);
- Report concerning the accessibility and the applications of clinical neuropsychology according to social context, health policy;
- Introduction of an up-to-date critical supporting document in order to revise or suggest a
 practical guide in a specific field regarding assessment, consultation, intervention, training,
 supervision, transfer of knowledge;
- Empirical study regarding clinical and applied neuropsychology.

Review process

Upon reception, the editor-in-chief (an undergraduate student) and the senior associate editors make a first selection of the manuscripts, to preserve those that correspond to NCACN's mission. Then, the peer review process begins, and the manuscript is sent to two undergraduate students, a graduate student, and a clinician or a researcher in the specific field of expertise. An anonymous assessment letter written by each reviewer (the students) will summarize their comments and will be sent to the member of the editorial team responsible for the manuscript follow-up.

The associate editor responsible for the manuscript and the senior associate editor will then summarize the reviewers' letters. This summary highlights the main critiques and renders the decision concerning the publication of the article. The article may be accepted, accepted upon minor or major corrections, rejected with the encouragement of further submission, or rejected. This decision is without appeal. The author then applies the corrections suggested by the editorial committee. The reviewing process and the corrections continue until the manuscript satisfies the publication requirements.

Instruction for manuscript submission

Authors are invited to submit their manuscript, in French or in English. In a letter addressed to the editor-in-chief, the author must confirm that there is no conflict of interest and that the article was not already published or submitted for publication to another scientific journal.

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