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**Call for articles and commentaries:**

**Journalism education  
IN ASIA-PACIFIC**

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The Fourth World Journalism Congress (WJEC) conference is being held at Auckland University of Technology, Auckland, New Zealand, July 14-16, along with a JERAA/Pacific Media Centre/Media Educators Pacific day-long preconference on July 13. Papers are being sought for a special themed edition of PJR based on these and related issues, with a special focus on the Asia-Pacific region, including but not restricted to:

- Journalism education and informed citizenry
- Journalism education in Asia
- Journalism education in South Pacific
- Asia-Pacific journalism models/case studies
- Political economy of media education
- Journalism education freedom and independence
- Independent student media case studies
- Research trends in journalism
- 21st century ethical issues in journalism
- Innovation in journalism education

- Interdisciplinary teaching in journalism
- Journalism and audience
- Teaching journalism for mobile (multiple) platforms
- Teaching fact checking and verification in digital age
- Teaching transmedia storytelling
- Teaching social media as information gathering tool
- Quality control for/in journalism education
- Teaching reflexivity
- Internships: issues and challenges
- Encouraging community engagement
- Teaching hospitals
- Mobile/social/user generated media and journalism
- Teaching alternative forms of journalism
- De-westernizing journalism education

The above list is a guideline and other related topics will also be considered. Papers not presented at the WJEC conference or pre-conference can also be submitted. The journal has an unthemed section and other papers related to journalism studies, and journalism education, theory and practice will also be considered. *Pacific Journalism Review* is the only journalism journal from Australasia indexed by SCOPUS.

The double blind peer-reviewed journal has five main sections: Research articles, Commentaries, Frontline (journalism-as-research), Forum and Reviews.

The APA-based style guide is at: [www.pjreview.info/style-guide](http://www.pjreview.info/style-guide)

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*Articles:* up to 6000 words

*Commentaries*: up to 1500 to 3000 words

*Frontline (journalism-as-research)*: up to 7000 words

Example: <http://tinyurl.com/pyf5zkt>

*Forum contributions*: up to 800 words.

*Reviews*: up to 1500 words (*Noted* short reviews: 300 words). *Must be commissioned by the Reviews Editor.*

Submissions deadline: August 20, 2016

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