

## Handout: Choosing the right journal for publishing your research article

(Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2022, 2-4pm)

In this workshop, we discussed the factors you should consider and

the factors you may want to consider when choosing the right

journal for publishing your research article.

Factors you should consider:





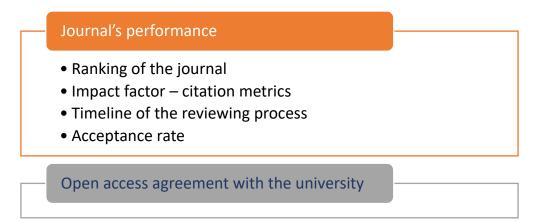


AIMS AND SCOPE OF THE JOURNAL

FOCUS OF THE JOURNAL AND YOUR ARTICLE

EDITOR/S AND EDITORIAL BOARD

Factors you may want to consider:



Please see below some potentially helpful links regarding the topic of this workshop:

1. Advice from publishing agencies

'What's the best journal for my paper?' New tool can help

(elsevier.com)

Find the right journal (springeropen.com)

Find Journal | Wiley

Choosing a journal - Author Services (taylorandfrancis.com)

Journal Author Gateway | SAGE Publications Inc

- 2. Careful consideration of the match between the focus of your article and the aim and purposes of the journal
- Some journals are discipline-focused for example, <u>Sociology:</u> <u>SAGE Journals (sagepub.com)</u>
- Others are topic-oriented and interdisciplinary for example,
  <u>Global Networks Wiley Online Library</u>
- Some journals are country/region focused for example, <u>Chinese Journal of Sociology: SAGE Journals (sagepub.com)</u>;
   <u>Asian Journal of Social Science - Journal - Elsevier</u>

It would be great if you could identify at least one journal in each of these categories for your work.

3. University of Southampton's open-access journal finder tool: <u>PublicJournalSeeker : University of Southampton (scifree.se)</u>