The Yokohama Journal of Social Sciences, Vol. 26 Call for Papers: First Notice

The Association of Yokohama International Social Science Studies hereby accepts papers for *The Yokohama Journal of Social Sciences*, Vol. 26, which is slated for publication in summer 2021.

Normal members who intend to contribute to the journal should complete and submit the Manuscript Registration Form to Secretariat of the Association of International Social Science Studies (at the Library of International Social Science Studies).

- a) Word Limit: 12,000 words (English)
 - The editorial committee publishes manuscripts that exceed the word limit in parts. Manuscripts should be submitted in complete form even if they exceed the word limit and are intended for publication in parts.
- b) There are no restrictions on content or language.
- c) One manuscript can be submitted during each application period.
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- e) For more details, please refer to the document "Instructions for Authors."
- f) Application Deadline: 3:00 PM, December 18 (Friday), 2020 Manuscript Submission Acceptance Deadline:

3:00 PM, March 29 (Monday), 2021

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Yokohama Journal of Social Sciences Instructions for Authors

1. Eligibility to Submit Manuscripts

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- b) Researchers who are engaged in studies on international development, economics, business administration, studies in law and politics, and other related fields.

2. Manuscript Format

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One manuscript should be handed in during each application period.

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- b) The Editorial Committee, based on the evaluations by referees, makes decisions on the acceptance/rejection of manuscripts, and informs the author of the results.
- c) Longer manuscripts that are intended for publication in parts are examined in complete form.
- d) Accepted manuscripts are to be published in order, but not necessarily published immediately.
- e) Accepted manuscripts shall not be returned no matter what the consequences are.

4. Submission of Manuscripts

A hard copy and electronic files of manuscript should be submitted to the following address;

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