**PUBLICATIONS FORMATTING STANDARD FOR THE "MEDIA LINGUISTICS" INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC JOURNAL**

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**1. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

* **Materials are received by e-mail in *.rtf* files**. The file’s name should consist of the author’s family name and the total number of characters in the text. For example: *Johnson\_22900.rtf*.
* The maximum volume of articles accepted for publication is 40,000 characters, including spaces. **The desired volume is 30,000 characters**.
* The following **sections** must necessarily be present in the text: (a) the statement of the problem, (b) the history of the issue; (c) a description of the research methodology, (d) analysis of the material, (e) research results; (e) conclusions (at least 2 paragraphs).
* There should be at least 15 sources in the references section.
* Articles can be accepted and and reviewed only if they (a) conform to the theme of the journal; (b) are designed in accordance with the current requirements (please check the website for updates). Making decision about the publication, the editorial Board takes into account the opinion of the reviewer. The necessary conditions for the publication of the article are:
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* the theoretical and practical significance of the presented results;
* high scientific level of publication;
* novelty of the concept,
* originality of the approach;
* structural and compositional completeness of the text.

**2. GENERAL FORMATTING REQUIREMENTS (APPLY TO THE WHOLE TEXT, INCLUDING THE HEADER COMPLEX AND THE REFERENCES)**  
  
• Margins: left margin = 3 cm, right = 2 cm, upper = 2 cm, bottom = 2 cm.  
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• Indent: 1,25 pt.  
• Line spacing: 1.5 pt.  
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**3. HEADER COMPLEX (INDEXES, INFORMATION ABOUT THE AUTHORS, TITLES, ABSTRACTS, KEY WORDS)**  
  
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• Next, **passing the line, you must specify**:

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• Please do not use a **hyphen** ( - ) where there should be a **dash**. Dash should be not long ( —— ), but short: – .­­

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• Always use **non-breaking spaces** wherever necessary.  
  
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***Title of the paper in Rossian***

*В статье рассматриваются… An abstract in Russian (200-250 characters).*

*Ключевые слова: ключевое слово, ключевое слово, ключевое слово.* *No more than 5 key words.*

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***Title of the paper in English***

*The article is dedicated to… An abstract in English (200-250 characters).*

*Key words: key word, key word, key word. No more than 5 key words.*

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