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# Call for Papers

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*engaging cultures & voices* is a blind, peer-reviewed journal devoted to all elements of teaching and learning the English language arts through using all types of media—from television and film, to popular music and advertising; from blogs and video games, to newspapers and magazines. We especially encourage articles from the field of TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages or English Language Learning), but we are by no means restricted to that area.

We seek unpublished texts on the following areas:

- 1) Research reports, qualitative and quantitative, focused on any dimension of the teaching and learning of English language arts.
- 2) Teaching practices that are effective, innovative, and experimental, that apply to classrooms, as well as work-place and other public sites.
- 3) Social, political, and economic issues that affect the teaching and learning of English language arts.

As well, contributors may address any mode of teaching and learning English, such as fluency and critical thinking in writing, reading, speaking, listening, and viewing. Prospective authors may focus on the teaching and learning of fiction, creative nonfiction, expository and transactional texts, graphic novels, poetry, drama, and short stories. Topics can include audience awareness, rhetorical flexibility, reading comprehension, language conventions, pronunciation, teacher-student and student-student conferences, revision of writing, generating ideas for writing, uses small groups, think-aloud practices, etc.

*ecv*, published twice per year (Fall and Spring), is an international and multidisciplinary online publication. The editors seek all forms and genres, including but not limited to, print articles, “PowerPoint essays,” research reports, poetry, reviews, analyses of educational practices and policies, dialogues, editorials, video essays, commentaries, and cartoons.

## Submission Guidelines

### ◆ Requirements for Paper Submission (research papers, reports, reviews, analyses of educational practices and policies, dialogues, editorials, etc.):

- Do not include any information within your piece which identifies you.
- Your paper should be saved in a Microsoft Word-compatible format and sent as an attachment. Text should be formatted for 8.5 x 11 inch paper, double-spaced at 12 points, with one inch margins and left justified. We generally follow American Psychological Association (APA) guidelines. Your paper submission should contain the following: (1) Title (2) Abstract (3) Keywords (4) Body of paper and (5) References.
- Include a statement guaranteeing that your submission has not been published elsewhere.
- Print submissions should be no more than 30,000 words in length, including references and appendices.
- In a separate Word-compatible file titled, "Personal Info," include a biographical paragraph for each author, of no more than 50 words per author. Also include your current postal address and telephone number in this file.
- Please submit your paper and multimedia work via email and attachments to [foxr@missouri.edu](mailto:foxr@missouri.edu).

### ◆ Requirements for Multimedia Submissions (PowerPoint essays, video essays, poetry videos, etc.):

- Do not include any information within your work that identifies you.
- Include one statement guaranteeing that the submission has not been published in other online multimedia publications, or in any other form.
- In a separate Word-compatible file titled, "Personal Info," include a biographical paragraph for each author, of no more than 50 words per author. Also include your current postal address and telephone number in this file.
- You should also submit a written abstract or outline for your works. This allows the editors to review the content to ensure what topic you are addressing and you are not including personal information.
- Multimedia works should not be larger than 25 mb.
- The following video formats are accepted: AVI, .MOV, .MPEG, .WMV, .RM
- Please submit your paper and multimedia work via email and attachments to [foxr@missouri.edu](mailto:foxr@missouri.edu)