

CAC PUBLICATION GUIDE

Thank you for your interest in submitting your CAC presentation for publication. Please be advised that acceptance of your paper at the conference does not constitute acceptance for journal publication. Your manuscript will be assigned to Editorial Consultants who will peer review your manuscript and make recommendations to the Editor regarding its suitability for publication. Please be advised that the review process will be rigorous as we are limited by contractual arrangements with the publisher to about 22 papers. Those papers accepted for publication will appear in a special issue of Aphasiology.

The principal criteria for acceptance for publication are topic relevance (e.g., neurogenic speech, language, and cognitive disorders, and normal aging), clinical and social relevance, importance of topic or research question, theoretical importance, scientific rigor, scholarship, and clarity of writing. Do not submit a substantially different paper, but do take advantage of the feedback you received at CAC, and if you have data on further participants, feel free to include it.

Deadlines

1. You are required to submit an "e-mail of intent to submit your paper" by June 25, 2010. E-mails of intent to submit should be sent to (b.armstrong@ecu.edu.au) and should indicate the title of the paper and authors. Papers will not be accepted without prior notification of intent to submit.
2. Your submission will be due July 23, 2010. Manuscripts received after this date will NOT be processed.
3. Final determinations regarding publication status will be made no later than December 6th, 2010.
4. When revisions are required, you will receive notification by early to mid September. The revised document should be re-submitted within 30 days of that notification.

Submission format

1. Submissions are restricted to 23 typed pages, including title page, abstract, text, figures, references, appendices, etc. Manuscripts that do not adhere to the page limit will not be reviewed for publication.
2. Manuscripts should be double-spaced, and follow the Aphasiology submission guidelines.

Where to submit

All submissions should be made online at the Aphasiology Manuscript Central site at:
<http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/paph>.

Once Manuscript Central has logged an author on to the site, all submissions and revisions should be made via the author's Author Centre. Users should ensure that they tick the 'paper for Special Issue' button.

If you have any inquiries regarding the above, please contact Beth Armstrong at b.armstrong@ecu.edu.au

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