

Author Guidelines

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FP welcomes a variety of manuscripts to encourage students to explore theory, methods, themes and applications within anthropology. The editor(s) will primarily consider submissions that are able to demonstrate how anthropological knowledge furthers our understanding of people and their cultures, both past and present. Interdisciplinary and collaborative work is encouraged, as well as submissions that engage in new and creative anthropological perspectives. Submissions may include, but are not limited to, essays, commentaries, reviews, research articles or reports, ethnographic focused works, and practices in anthropology.

Submission

Submissions must be sent to the editor-in-chief via email with *Furthering Perspectives* SUBMISSION as the subject line. Figures, photographs, and digital art files should be discussed with the editor(s), as the resolution of some of these could raise concerns. A brief cover letter or abstract should be submitted along with the manuscript. Please ensure that your document is prepared for a double-blind review. Anonymize your manuscript and submit author details as a separate document.

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Submit to current editor-in-chief: Thomas Chittenden (tchitt@colostate.edu)

Manuscript Details

Please follow the **AAA style** and format for all manuscripts and submit in a file compatible with Microsoft Word. *Furthering Perspectives* does not currently have a strict length requirement, although it is recommended that **submissions do not exceed 5000 words**. If a submission exceeds this recommendation, it will be up to the editor(s) discretion whether it is considered for publication.

For those that are not familiar with AAA style please read this link, and/or consult with the editor-in-chief to familiarize yourselves with the citation style.

❖ <https://americananthro.org/publications/publishing-style-guide/>

Evaluation Process

Each submission will be initially screened by the editor(s) to determine if the manuscript has followed all guidelines and fits the aims and scope of the *FP* journal. If the submission is accepted for review, the manuscript will undergo a double-blind peer review by no less than two reviewers. Authors of accepted manuscripts may be asked to revise their submissions prior to publication. Authors will be notified of all decisions made via email.

Tips for Publication

- ❖ To increase the likelihood of publication, we urge authors to follow the guidelines for *Furthering Perspectives*. Please take care to submit documents that are properly prepared, whether they are initial submissions, revised, or finalized (no tracked changes). Be sure that all citations and references are accurate and follow the AAA style and format.
- ❖ For accepted submissions with revisions, the author may decide to accept or reject the recommended submissions. Be respectful to reviewers and fully explain your decision if you believe that it is critical to maintain the manuscript without a particular revision, understanding that this may result in a rejection of your submission.
- ❖ Be patient through the review process and respond promptly if you have been contacted to avoid delays or denial of submissions.
- ❖ Feel free to contact the editor-in-chief at any time through this process if you have any questions.