

IJAD Offer and Change of Procedures for Submission of Articles

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We are also delighted to tell you that *IJAD* is now ready to begin accepting new submissions via our new electronic submission and review system, ScholarOne Manuscripts (formerly Manuscript Central).

ScholarOne Manuscripts is an Internet-based application that facilitates online submission and peer review. The system is entirely web-based meaning it can be accessed via any web browser, on any internet-ready PC, anywhere in the world without the hassle of downloading software.

From 7 January 2011 all new submissions are being undertaken using the ScholarOne Manuscripts system which brings with it a number of significant advantages: making it even easier to submit your paper and track its progress through peer review. ScholarOne Manuscripts eliminates postal delays and streamlines the peer review process, making it more transparent and a great deal easier for authors.

Electronic systems can seem impersonal, but the *International Journal for Academic Development* has tried to build good relationships with our editorial advisors, authors and reviewers and we intend to remain a friendly, approachable journal.

The contribution of our authors and reviewers has helped *IJAD* develop as a leading international journal on academic development. We offer our sincere thanks, and look forward to your continued support of the journal, and to receiving your papers and reviews.

Best wishes

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