

# PRINCIPLES OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

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*Principles of Social Science* invites Gulliver students to submit articles for publication in a scholarly journal in the Social Sciences. These include History, Political Science, Psychology, Religion, Sociology, Economics, International Relations, Anthropology, Law, Education, Business, and Contemporary Political and Social Issues. Articles will be evaluated on the quality of scholarship, originality, and readability. These articles should represent Gulliver's highest level of academic inquiry.

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### Submission Guidelines

*Principles of Social Science* seeks high-quality contributions written with precise, lucid, and elegant language. Authors are expected to conform to conventional sensitivities to gender, race, and religion. Articles submitted must exhibit analytical rigor and critical thinking. Articles should identify a problem, present a thesis, and work toward proving the thesis in a methodical and organized manner. In other words, articles should be aimed at 'making a point.' Students should not submit historical surveys.

Examples of article thesis/topics by subject:

#### History

The role of symbols in the French Revolution  
The effects of Japanese Imperialism on Chinese nationalism

#### Economics

Greek sovereign debt crisis  
The Roman Imperial Economy

#### Business

Telecommunications in Brazil  
Pay and work in the modern corporation

#### Political Science

Democracy in Putin's Russia  
Donor States and the United Nations

#### Sociology

Gender and Modern Islam  
AIDS and the Hispanic community

#### Law

Microsoft and anti-trust  
Jurisprudence in the Supreme Court

*Principles of Social Science* has an all-electronic process of receiving and refereeing articles. Observe the following guidelines to facilitate a straightforward and timely review of your work. We might ask you to rework and resubmit articles.

### Format

- double space everything
- 12 point Times New Roman font
- ms length must not exceed 15 pages
- an abstract of up to 150 words
- spell out all acronyms on first use
- do not capitalize text for emphasis
- one-inch margins (top, bottom, left, and right)
- number all pages
- Chicago Manual of Style format for bibliography and endnotes
- endnotes produced with Arabic numerals (1,2,3)
- title page with author's names as it should appear in print
- longer essays must have an introduction and conclusion

### Stylistic issues

- avoid the passive voice
- do not start sentences with "And" or "But"
- strive for clarity by avoiding implied meaning
- give agency to your subjects by avoiding weak verb form
- avoid redundant use of prepositional phrases
- avoid densely packaged sentence with difficult prose

On the first page of your submitted manuscript please provide a short biography. The bio should not exceed two lines.

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