

# Selecting Peer Reviewed Journals And Research and Publishing ETHICS

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# **OUT LINE**

Selecting the proper Journal Research and Publishing Ethics





# Questions to answer before you write

# Think about WHY you want to publish your work.

- Is it new and interesting?
- Is it a current hot topic?
- Have you provided solutions to some difficult problems?
- Are you ready to publish at this point?



If all answers are yes

then start preparations for your manuscript



# What type of manuscript?

- Full articles / Original articles:
   the most important papers, significant completed pieces of research.
- Letters / Rapid Communications/ Short communications: quick and early communication of significant and original advances. Much shorter than full articles (check limitations).
- Review papers / perspectives: summarize recent developments on a specific topic. Highlight important previously reported points.

**Self-evaluate your work.** Is it sufficient for a full article? Or are your results so thrilling that they should be shown as soon as possible?

Ask your supervisor and your colleagues for advice on manuscript type.



# Identify the right audience for your paper

- Identify the audience
   Colleagues in Wood Sci. and Tech.
- Verify their interest in the topic
   Wood Finishing/Wood Chemistry..?



Determine the range of interest (local /international)
 "Wettability and bonding quality of exterior coatings on jabon and sengon wood surfaces"



# 1. Select the proper journal for submission

Search a Journal by Journal Finder.

- Ask yourself the following questions:
  - Is the journal peer-reviewed?
  - Is the journal relevant?
  - Is the journal a prestigious journal?
  - Is the journal discoverable?
  - Is the journal open access?



# 1.1 Journal Finders

Scholarly Peer review is the process of subjecting an author's scholarly work, research, or ideas to the scrutiny of others who are experts in the same field, before a paper describing this work is published in a journal, conference proceedings or as a book.

# Some Journal Finders:

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# Elsevier Journal finder (Scopus)

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Impact factor

148 days First decision (average)

67% Acceptance rate



### Wood Science and Technology



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Acceptance rate



### European Journal of Wood and Wood Products



1.082 Impact factor 62 days

First decision (average)

42%

Acceptance rate



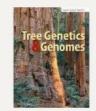
### Tree Genetics & Genomes



1.624 Impact factor 51 days

First decision (average)

44% Acceptance rate







# 1.2 Is the journal peer-reviewed?

# Ulrichsweb Global Serial Directory (300,000 journal, 900 subject)

# Open Ulrich's.

- I. Open Ulrich's web
- 2. Type the JOURNAL TITLE into the search box, and click the green search button.
- 3. In the search results, look for a referee jersey icon to indicate that a **journal** is refereed, which is a synonym for **peer-reviewed**.
- 4. Or you can click on a **journal** to see the full record.



# 1.3 Is the journal relevant?

https://www.springer.com/life+sciences/forestry/journal/13196



## Aims and Scope

The Journal aims to cover research on all aspects of Wood Science and allied fields relating to resource utilization of wood. In essence it relates to all aspects of utilization including processing, sales and marketing of wood, its products and other lignocellulosic materials both from forestry and agricultural origin.

# 1.4 Is the Journal a prestigious journal?

# Check Journal Impact

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The **impact factor (IF)** is used to measure the importance or rank of a journal by calculating the times it's articles are cited.

Calculation of 2017 IF of a journal:

- A = the number of times articles published in 2015 and 2016 were cited by indexed journals during 2017 (example : 500 times)
- B = the total number of "citable items" published in 2015 and 2016. (2015 = 120 articles, 2016 = 120 articles)

# 2017 impact factor = A/B = 500/240 = 2.08



# 2. SCImago Journal Rank (SJR)

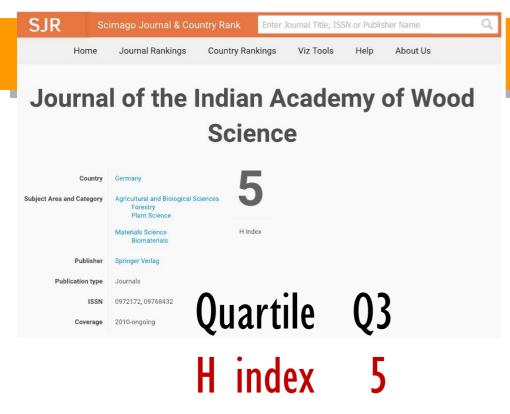




### WHAT IS SCIMAGOJR FOR?









h index of 20 is good, 40 is outstanding, and 60 is truly exceptional.

The advantage of the **h-index** is that it combines productivity (i.e., number of papers produced) and impact (number of citations) in a single number.

# The Importance of the Rank in DIKTI

1. Jurnal International Bereputasi:

Scopus indexed SJR with Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4 Web of Science with an IF

Special Term/Requirement for Prof submission

2. Jurnal Internasional
Scopus indexed but without SJR
Web of Science without IF



# 1.5 Is the Journal discoverable?

A journal is more likely to be discovered if it is indexed by a major journal database providing easy access to content to researchers.

# To make our article more discoverable:

- I. Provide keywords when submit article the Journal
- 2. Register to Google Scholar and or Scopus
- 3. Use personal webpage
- 4. Use your ORCiD identifier



# 1.6 Is the Journal open access?

Good starting place to search for open access journal

- I. The <u>Directory of Open Access Journals</u> (DOAJ) <a href="https://doaj.org/">https://doaj.org/</a>
- 2. The <u>Directory of Open Access Scholarly</u> (ROAD) <a href="http://road.issn.org/">http://road.issn.org/</a>
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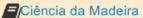
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Brazilian Journal of Wood Science

ISSN: 2177-6830 (Online)

https://periodicos.ufpel.edu.br/ojs2/index.php/cienciadamadeira

Blind peer review

Subject: Agriculture: Forestry

Date added to DOAJ: 21 Mar 2011

Record Last Updated: 19 Jul 2017

### Pro Ligno

ISSN: 1841-4737 (Print); 2069-7430 (Online)

http://www.proligno.ro/en/index.htm

Open peer review

Subject: Agriculture: Forestry

Date added to DOAJ: 20 Apr 2011

Record Last Updated: 23 Jan 2017

### Jurnal Ilmu Kehutanan

Journal of Forest Science

ISSN: 0126-4451 (Print); 2477-3751 (Online)

http://jurnal.ugm.ac.id/jikfkt/index

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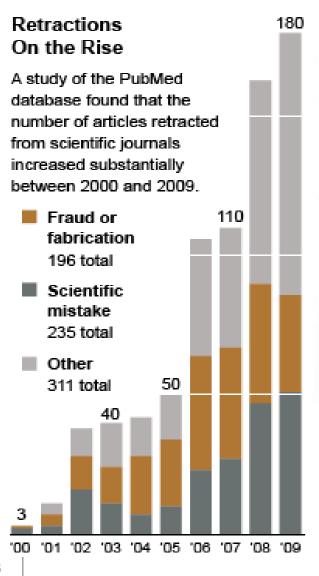


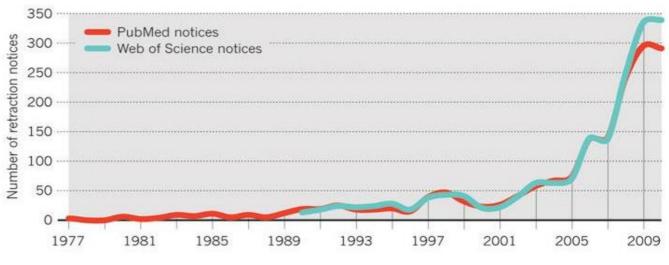


# ETHICS in Research and Publishing



# **Progress in Retractions**







Ricahrd Van Noorden, Nature (2011)

Carl Zimmer, NYTimes (2012)



# 2.2 Research Misconduct

A common definition by:

US-Public Health Service, Office of Research Integrity) and accepted by many international agencies/institutions:

Research misconduct includes, fabrication, falsification or plagiarism, in proposing, performing or reviewing research or in reporting research results.

- (a) FABRICATION is making up data or results and recording or reporting them
- (b) FALSIFICATION is manipulating research materials, equipment or processes, or changing or omitting data or results that the research is not accurately presented in the research record
- (c) PLAGIARISM is the appropriation of another person's ideas, processes, results or words without giving appropriate credit
- (d) Duplication
- (e) Multiplication
- (f) Research misconduct DOES NOT include honest error or differences of opinion or necessarily



# An easy to remember scientific moral code:

do not lie (fabrication), cheat (falsification) or steal (plagiarism)



# Contributing factors

Is misconduct an individual problem or does the research environment contribute?

# Some factors could contribute:

- lack of appropriate training and mentorship about good scientific practice
- high pressure and high profile publications
- lack of institutional ethics
- large collaborations



# Common author misconduct situations

- Figure manipulation or falsification
- Data falsification
- Plagiarism (copying someone's words, ideas, procedures without attribution)
- Self-Plagiarism (Repeating ideas, text, tables or figures from own published work without citing the source)
- Duplicate/redundant publication (overlap with previous publications)
- Multisubmission
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### Coastal upwelling along the southwes

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Abstract. An index of El Niño Southern Oscillation (ENSO) in the Pacific during pre monsoon is shown to account for a significant part of the variability of coastal Sea Surface Temperature (SST) anomalies measured a few months later within the wind driven southwest coast of India coastal upwelling region 7° N-14° N. This teleconnection is thought to result from an atmospheric bridge between the Pacific and north Indian Oceans, leading to warm (cold) ENSO events being associated with relaxation (intensification) of the Indian trade winds and of the wind-induced coastal upwelling. This ENSO related modulation of the wind-driven coastal upwelling appears to contribute to the connection observed at the basin-scale between ENSO and SST in the Arabian Sea. The ability to use this teleconnection to give warning of large changes in the southwest coast of India coastal upwelling few months in advance is successfully tested using data from 1998 and 1999 ENSO events.



Progress in Oceanography 49 (2001) 245-255



### ENSO related modulation of coastal upwelling in the eastern Atlantic

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### Abstract

An index of ENSO in the Pacific during early boreal winter is shown to account for a significant part of the variability of coastal SST anomalies measured a few months later within the wind driven West African coastal upwelling region from 10°N to 26°N. This teleconnection is thought to result from an atmospheric bridge between the Pacific and Atlantic oceans, leading to warm (cold) ENSO events being associated with a relaxation (intensification) of the Atlantic trade winds and of the wind-induced coastal upwelling. This ENSO related modulation of the wind-driven coastal upwelling appears to contribute to the connection observed at the basin-scale between ENSO and SST in the north Atlantic. The ability to use this teleconnection to give warnings of large changes in the West African upwelling several months in advance is successfully tested using data from the 1998 and 1999 ENSO events. © 2001 Elsevier Science Ltd. All rights reserved.



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# **Prevent misconduct? Institutions level**

**Education** (Institutions should establish clear guidelines for responsible conduct in research, not only for students but all scientists in the institution).

Active mentoring (Senior investigators and mentors should not only talk to their trainees about the importance of good scientific practice)

**Create a zero tolerance environment (Clear and stringent penalties for violations of guidelines)** 

Create visible oversight committees at institutions for fair investigation (Findings of committees should be made public when possible)

Better mechanisms for linking/updating papers (retracted papers don't continue to be referenced and cited)

Carefully consider reward systems (may contribute to poor practices or focus on short term gains)

# **Prevent misconduct? Editorials level**

Editors/journals have an ethical obligation to respond to and address ethical allegations

Most journals have author and reviewer guidelines for appropriate ethical conduct. (Statements of copy right transfer)

## **Routine screening:**

Routine figure screening for image manipulation *CrossRef/CrossCheck*: systems for detecting plagiarism

# Random screening of "certain types of papers"

Science, The Lancet: policies for heavier screening of papers in competitive fields, "hot topics," "extraordinary claims"

Contribute to education and development of community standards: editorials, sponsorship of workshops to discuss issues related to scientific ethics.

# If there is evidence of misconduct/fraud:

- Prior to publication (during review): manuscript can be withdrawn from review
- <u>Post-publication</u>: Retraction, Errata/Correction.
- When to:
   Retract vs Correct
   Fraud vs Honest mistake.
- Author may be banned from submitting to the journal or other sanctions



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