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Submission of Manuscripts

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General Instructions

Articles will be considered if they have not been previously published and are not under review elsewhere.

Instructions for Original and Review Articles

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The author should have made a substantial, direct, intellectual contribution to the manuscript, since authorship is a way of taking responsibility for, and receiving credit for, intellectual work.

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