



Call for Special Issue Guest Editors

Journal of Femininities

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The *Journal of Femininities* is currently accepting submissions for special issue proposals. Founded in 2023, the *Journal of Femininities* is the first academic journal devoted to the study of Femininities and offers a unique outlet for scholarship on femininity. The *Journal of Femininities* cultivates and unifies the field of femininity by publishing content that advances theories and methods in the study of femininity. Articles published in the *Journal of Femininities* contribute to a deeper, more complex understanding of femininity. See our [Aim and Scope](#) for further details.

Special issues are vital to the *Journal of Femininities*, as they reflect the journal's breadth and scope. The *Journal of Femininities* publishes research articles, literature reviews, theoretical interventions, essays, commentaries and case studies in various interdisciplinary fields (e.g., sociology, psychology, gender studies, business, public health, education, political science, media studies, legal studies, family science, etc.). The journal is particularly supportive of interdisciplinary, multidisciplinary, and transdisciplinary work from feminist perspectives. We welcome proposals from all disciplines.

Applicants proposing to guest-edit a special issue must hold a PhD (or be near completion). Prior editorial or publishing experience is an asset.

Special Issue Guest Editors manage all aspects of the special issue from producing the Call for Papers (CFP) to coordinating the peer-review and publication processes.

The *Journal of Femininities* uses a two-step approach to assess proposals for editing a special issue

1. Prospective guest editors submit a proposed Call for Papers (CFP) to fem@uwaterloo.ca. You can find examples of CFPs on the *Journal of Femininities* Instagram or [here](#).
2. If the proposed CFP is approved, prospective guest editors may amend their CFP to state: **“This special issue is under consideration for publication in the *Journal of Femininities*.”** Guest editors can then begin advertising their CFP and soliciting abstracts for consideration. Guest editors are responsible for accepting or rejecting



proposed abstracts. When a full slate of proposed abstracts has been accepted by the guest editor, they may then resubmit a full special issue proposal (including all abstracts) for consideration. Upon receiving approval from the Editors of the Journal of Femininities, guest editors may invite authors to submit full manuscripts based on their previously accepted abstracts.

The Journal of Femininities is happy to help with social media advertising. Please send media packages to fem@uwaterloo.ca (see examples [here](#)).

Please ensure all email proposals regarding submission for the guest editor position are sent to fem@uwaterloo.ca with “Proposed Special Issue” as the subject line.