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Commitment to ethical publishing

Integrity and transparency are at the forefront of everything we do – our mission is to bring the highest quality research to the widest possible audience. All supplements with Oxford Journals are peer-reviewed, and clear conflict of interest statements and declarations of sponsorship are required.

1. How much does a supplement cost?

The price of a supplement depends on a number of factors, such as the online circulation of the journal, the print run, the number of pages of the supplement and the impact factor of the journal. For a quote, please phone or email the Supplements Development Manager, Caroline Bracken, for additional information.

2. What do I need to do if I am interested in publishing a supplement?

Sponsors should submit a 1-2 page summary of the proposed contents of the supplement to Caroline Bracken. The proposal will be forwarded to the Editor of the journal.

3. What do I need to include in my supplement summary proposal?

Important points to include are:

- Proposed title
- Subjects covered
- The authors who will be writing the articles
- Proposed guest editor
- Number of Manuscripts
- Sponsor Company
- Any deadlines relevant to the sponsors

4. How long will it take for the supplement proposal to be assessed?

The approval of the proposal is likely to take up to 7 days.

5. How long will the peer review process take?

This varies by journal, please contact Caroline Bracken for details of the journal you are interested in publishing in.

6. What is the process for proofreading?

After reviewing any author amendments, the Editor will send the manuscripts to OUP. At this stage they will be typeset and proofed. Proofs will subsequently be sent to the authors by OUP; authors will need to proof-read all contributions.

7. As the sponsor, what charges am I responsible for?

The sponsors are responsible for all publishing and distribution charges for the supplement. These are payable to Oxford University Press. The sponsor may also be required to pay editorial charges. This charge is dependent on the editorial office, and would be made for the cost of editorial work. If charged, it will

depend on the projected size of the supplement and the work required assessing the submissions. This sum is separate from the publisher's charges and is payable via the editorial office. OUP will put you in touch with the Editorial Office for those journals where additional costs are charged.

8. How long will it take for my supplement to be published?

Oxford University Press aim to publish a supplement within 8-10 weeks of receipt of the final peer-reviewed copy.

9. Who should I contact for further information?

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