

# General Guidelines for Submissions of Student Research Papers to KSAALT Student Research Journal

#### **Basic Guidelines:**

Format and Referencing: APA

Paper size: A4; Font: Times New Roman; Font Size: 12

Field: ESL/EFL

Length: 5,000 – 10,000 words (Postgraduates) 4,000 – 8,000 words (Undergraduates)

Title of Research: No more than 10 words

#### Contents:

- 1) Abstract no more than 150 words
- 2) Key words (5 10)
- 3) Introduction
- 4) Literature Review
- 5) Methodology
- 6) Findings & Discussion (Figures and tables should be submitted in a separate file only if they are of high quality (color or black and white, single line-spacing).
- 7) Recommendations
- 8) Teaching Implications (optional)
- 9) Conclusion
- 10) References/Bibliography

# **Review Criteria**:

- 1) Contribution to the field of ESL/EFL and its teaching profession.
- 2) Work must be original and previously unpublished.
- 3) Collaboration work between students is acceptable.

## **Student Research Review Board:**

- 1) INTERNAL KSAALT Publications Committee
- 2) EXTERNAL ESL/EFL Reviewers

### **NOTES**:

- 1) KSAALT Student Research Journal is published once a year electronically.
- 2) Students' supervisors automatically become the co-author of their students' publications. Therefore, the supervisors need to provide mentoring to their research students in writing up for publication.
- 3) It is the contributors' responsibility to seek their supervisors' agreement to provide supervision in getting their research papers published.
- 4) Both Guidelines and Application Form for submission are available from our official website (www.ksaalt.org) and Chief Editor (ksaaltpubmatters@hotmail.com).
- 5) Guidance will also be provided by the KSAALT Publications Committee before submitting the articles for external review.