## JHET Editors' Report

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## General Announcements

- Communication problems with CUP persist, but not with the production team (no late issues). Contract extended till Dec. 31 2023
- 2nd JHET Online Writing Workshop in progress: 6 sessions throughout the year ( 3 in the Spring, 3 in the Fall)
- Meet the JHET Authors: video series now with 10 videos edited by us
- New Virtual Issues:
- Sequel on Say’s Law (\#2)
- Race and Eugenics in the History of Economics (\#3)
- Roy Grieve and Terry Peach on Adam Smith's labor theory of value (\#4)


## General Announcements

- JHET Interviews:
- Published/in print: Denis O’Brien (by John Creedy; Dec. 2019), Neil de Marchi (by Margaret Schabas; Sept. 2020), Robert F. Herbert (by Manuela Mosca; March 2021); Karen Vaughn (by Bruce Caldwell; Sept. 2021)
- Already conducted: Roy Weintraub (by Yann Giraud); Geoff Harcourt (by Tiago Mata); Anthony Waterman (by Ross Emmett); Margaret Schabas (by Harro Maas)
- JHET Book Advisory Board is getting shaped and will likely have some 20 members


## New Submissions

|  | Up to June 1st |  | Up to December |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | RA \& Letters | BReviews | RA \& Letters | BReviews |
| 2016 | 31 | 27 | 79 | 39 |
| 2017 | 37 | 15 | 93 | 28 |
| 2018 | 44 | 13 | 98 | 24 |
| 2019 | 38 | 10 | 118 | 20 |
| 2020 | 45 | 4 | 100 | 16 |
| 2021 | 51 | 15 |  |  |

RA = research articles; BR = book reviews

## Gender Breakdown: New Submissions

|  | Up to December |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | RA \& Letters |  | BReviews |  |
| 2018 | Male | Female | Male |  |
|  | $\mathbf{8 0 \%}$ | Female |  |  |
| 2019 | $75 \%$ | $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ | $92 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| 2020 | $68 \%$ | $\mathbf{2 5 \%}$ | $90 \%$ | $10 \%$ |

We discussed with CUP on having a demographic questionnaire to ask submitting authors to respond (voluntary; anonymous), so that we might have more reliable data. We're still waiting for its implementation.

## Gender Breakdown: Accepted Papers

|  | Up to December |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | RA \& Letters |  |
| 2018 | Male | Female |
| 2019 | $74 \%$ | $26 \%$ |
| 2020 | $75 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
|  | $65 \%$ | $35 \%$ |


| Country/Region | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7} \mathbf{2 0 1 8} \mathbf{2 0 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0} \mathbf{2 0 2 1}$ |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | $*$ |
| Australia | 6 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Brazil | 6 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 4 |
| Canada | 4 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 2 |
| Chile | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| China | 11 | 12 | 16 | 11 | 11 |
| France | 4 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 2 |
| Germany | 0 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| India | 16 | 16 | 18 | 11 | 6 |
| Italy | 1 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 1 |
| Japan | 4 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Spain | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | - |
| Switzerland | 6 | 10 | 20 | 16 | 6 |
| UK and Northern Ireland | 33 | 27 | 29 | 19 | 9 |
| United States |  |  |  |  |  |

New Submissions: selected countries (RA\&BR)
$\left.\begin{array}{lccccc}\text { Country/Region } & 2017 & 2018 & 2019 & 2020 & 2021 \\ *\end{array}\right]$

## Acceptance Ratio: Research Articles (new and revised submissions)

|  | Acceptance | Desk Rejection |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2017 | 25.6 | 23.4 |
| 2018 | 21.8 | 12.8 |
| 2019 | 28.7 | 15.5 |
| 2020 | 31.6 | 16.7 |
| $2021^{*}$ | 26.1 | 32.6 |

- Queue:
- Around 1 to $1 \frac{1}{2}$ years after final acceptance (but we make the papers immediately available in our SocArXiv typescripts series).


## Submissions

Prior 12 Months
Avg. days from submission to first decision ..... 49
Avg. Reviewer turnaround time (days) - Original ..... 44.5
Avg. Reviewer turnaround time (days) - Resubmission ..... 0.0
Avg. Reviewer turnaround time (days) - Revision ..... 38
Avg. Time to Assign Reviewer (days) - Original ..... 9.8
Avg. Time to Assign Reviewer (days) - Resubmission ..... 0.0
Avg. Time to Assign Reviewer (days) - Revision ..... 11.4
Avg. days from submission to final decision (days) ..... 44.6

Information for all manuscript types

## Special Issues / Symposia

- Symposium: Keynes's Treatise on Probability at 100
- Organized by Bradley Bateman, with three papers: one by himself, one by Jeff Biddle, and one by Sylvie Rivot


## 2nd Writing Workshops with Paul Dudenhefer:

|  | Applications | Accepted |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Session 1 | 80 | 68 |
| Session 2 | 43 | 41 |
| Session 3 | 34 | 34 |
| Session 4 |  |  |
| Session 5 |  |  |
| Session 6 |  |  |

## Writing Workshops: Session 1

Are you an Early Career Scholar (graduate student or with a PhD obtained in the last 5 years)
80 responses


Pre 18th century
18th century
19th century
20th century
I'm not a historian of economic thought, but work on related areas (methodology, philosophy of economics, history of science, etc.)
I'm not a historian of economic thought and don't work on related areas

## Writing Workshops: Session 1

| Nationalities | Applications |
| :---: | :---: |
| Portugal | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Puerto Rico | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Russia | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Serbia | 1 |
| Slovakia | 2 |
| South Africa | 2 |
| Spain | 2 |
| Switzerland | 1 |
| Turkey | 4 |
| UK | - |
| USA | 2 |


| Nationalities | Applications |
| :---: | :---: |
| Afghanistan | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Argentina | 1 |
| Brazil | 24 |
| China | 1 |
| Colombia | 5 |
| France | 3 |
| Germany | 3 |
| India | 6 |
| Israel | 1 |
| Italy | 3 |
| Japan | 5 |
| Lesotho | 2 |
| Mexico | 1 |
| New Zealand | 1 |
| Nigeria | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Peru | 2 |
| Poland | $\mathbf{1}$ |

## Writina Workshops: Session 2 Are you an Early Career Scholar (graduate student or with a PhD obtained in the last 5 years)

43 responses


Pre 18th century
18th century
19th century
20th century
I'm not a historian of economic thought, but work on related areas (methodology, philosophy of economics, history of science, etc.)

- I'm not a historian of economic thought and don't work on related areas


## Writing Workshops: Session 2

| Nationalities | Applications |
| :---: | :---: |
| Portugal | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Russia | - |
| Slovakia | 2 |
| South Africa | - |
| Spain | 2 |
| Switzerland | 1 |
| Thailand | 1 |
| Turkey | 1 |
| UK | - |
| USA | 2 |


| Nationalities | Applications |
| :---: | :---: |
| Belgium | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Brazil | $\mathbf{8}$ |
| Bulgaria | 1 |
| Canada | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| China | 1 |
| Colombia | 4 |
| France | 6 |
| Germany | 1 |
| India | 4 |
| Ireland | 1 |
| Israel | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Italy | 1 |
| Japan | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Mexico | - |
| New Zealand | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Peru | - |
| Poland | - |

## Writing Workshops: Session 3

Are you an Early Career Scholar (graduate student or with a PhD obtained in the last 5 years)
34 responses


Pre 18th century18th century
19th century
20th century
I'm not a historian of economic thought, but work on related areas (methodology, philosophy of economics, history of science, etc.)
I'm not a historian of economic thought and don't work on related areas

## Writing Workshops: Session 3

| Nationalities | Applications |
| :---: | :---: |
| Portugal | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Russia | 2 |
| Slovakia | 2 |
| South Africa | - |
| Spain | 2 |
| Switzerland | 1 |
| Taiwan | 1 |
| Turkey | 1 |
| UK | - |
| USA | 1 |
| Vietnam | 1 |


| Nationalities | Applications |
| :---: | :---: |
| Belgium | 1 |
| Brazil | 3 |
| Canada | - |
| China | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Colombia | 4 |
| France | 5 |
| Germany | - |
| Greece | 1 |
| India | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Ireland | - |
| Israel | 1 |
| Italy | 1 |
| Japan | 1 |
| Mexico | 1 |
| New Zealand | 1 |
| Peru | - |
| Poland | - |

