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Notes for Authors

Submission

Authors should submit soft copies of their papers as e-mail attachments to the International Scientific Review Committee of ICSDNR through andoh@inra.unu.edu and copied to andoharris@gmail.com . The deadline for the submission of full papers is **31 October, 2011**.

Typescript

Papers will be anonymously refereed by acknowledged experts in the subject. Articles submitted should not exceed a maximum of 15 pages. The manuscript should be prepared in English using font 12 Times New Roman except for the title which should be font 14 bold Times New Roman. The paper set-up should be A4 (210mm x 297 mm) with a 35 mm margin on the left-hand side and all other margins 25 mm.

The paper should contain (in the listed order):

• Paper title (not exceeding 120 characters),

• Author's name (full first name and surname),

• Authors' affiliation should be concise and include full mailing address, telephone and fax numbers and email address if available. Use superscript 1, 2, 3, when including more than one author. The name and full postal address of the correspondence author should be clearly indicated. The authors' affiliation should be centered.

• Key words (4 – 8 key words should express the precise content of the article),

• An abstract not to exceed 400 words should be placed at the beginning of the paper and should be complete in itself, giving objectives, research methods, content and conclusions of the paper.

• Main text (with headings, eventually subheadings etc., for example, Introduction, Theoretical, Experimental, Materials, Results, Discussion),

• Conclusions,

• References (References Endnotes and other citations should follow the MLA style),

• Tables and figures should be inserted in the text at the appropriate points. Attention should be given not to leave too much free place. All tables and figures should be numbered (with Arabic numerals) consecutively and separately throughout the paper, and referred to by numbers in text. Photographs should be numbered as figures.

• Equations should be written in the Microsoft Equation editor included in Microsoft Office.

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Table 1. Styles used in the preparation of a paper

Style	Typeface	Size	Alignment	Paragraph Spacing
PAPER TITLE	**Times New Roman Bold**	**14 POINT**	**CENTRE**	
Authors name	**Times New Roman Bold**	**12 point**	**Centre**	
Authors affiliation	Times New Roman	10 point	Centre	
Authors address	Times New Roman	11 point	Centre	
Abstract (title)	**Times New Roman Bold**	**12 point**	**Left**	
Abstract (text)	Times Now Roman	10 point	Justified, inset by 1 cm both sides	
Key words (title)	**Times New Roman Bold**	**12 point**	**Left**	
Key words (text)	Times New Roman	10 point	Justified, inset by 1 cm both sides	
Headings	**Times New Roman bold**	**12 point**	**Left**	**2 line space after text, 1 line space before text**
Sub headings	**Times New Roman bold**	**12 point**	**Left**	**1 line space after heading**
Sub heading second level	Times New Roman Italics	12 point	**Left**	Line space after sub heading

Main text	Times New Roman	12 point	Justified, single column layout	Line space after
Figure caption (Figure x)	Times New Roman	10 point	Left (adjust to match position of picture)	1 line space after picture, 2 lines space before text (the figure caption should be placed below the figure)
Figure Caption (text)	Arial	10 point; descriptions included in the figures should not be smaller than 9 point (preferred are 9 or 10 point)	Left (adjust to match position and width of picture)	1 line space after picture, 2 lines space before text
Table caption (Table x) and headings of columns and rows	Arial Note: The lines below the heading raw and at right of the heading column should be bold	10 point	Left (adjust to match position of table)	2 line space after text, 1 line space before table (the table captation should be placed above the table)
Table caption text	Times New Roman	10 point	Left (adjust to match position and width of table)	2 line space after text, 1 line space before table
References (title)	**Times New Roman bold**	**12 point**	**Left**	**2 lines after**
References (text, numbered)	Times New Roman	10 point	Left	
Acknowledgement (title)	**Times New Roman Bold**	**12 point**	**Left**	
Acknowledgement (text)	Arial italic	10 point	Left	
tnotes (title)	**Times New Roman bold**	**10 point**	**Left**	
Footnotes (text, numbered)	Times New Roman	9 point	Left	