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Is the journal open access? Open access is planned for 2017.

What type of open access? At first planned to be delayed hybrid open access (the current issue and issues older than one year will be open access; a moving wall will restrict access to the past year's issues to subscribers and LASA members).

Do authors pay a fee for publication? No.

Where is the journal indexed? EBSCO; Proquest; Scopus; Thomson Reuters, including Academic Search Premier; America: History and Life; CSA Worldwide Political Science Abstracts; Historical Abstracts; Social Sciences Citation Index; Handbook of Latin American Studies; Hispanic American Periodical Index; and others

Frequency of publication: Moving to four regular issues per year plus occasional special issue

Articles published per year: 40–50, plus book review essays (8–15)

Minimum and maximum length of articles: 7,000 words (research notes)–10,000 words (articles)

Languages of submission: English, Spanish, Portuguese

Translation policy: LARR does not translate but publishes in the language of submission.

Peer review process: About 35-40% of articles submitted are sent for peer review by at least three readers; revised manuscripts are sent again to one external reviewer.

Approximate acceptance rate: 20%

Disciplines covered: Humanities and social sciences

Quantitative-qualitative balance: LARR treats all methodologies equally; it is not possible to provide a useful estimate of the balance because we are a multidisciplinary journal.

Editorial philosophy: To publish research that is of interest and accessible to a multidisciplinary readership; to give preference to work that draws attention to the broader implications of research for theory and method and for public policy

Use of photographs or graphics: Yes, grayscale

Are proposals for special guest-edited thematic issues considered? No, special issues are initiated by the editorial committee.

Other special features of the journal: Book reviews address a group of thematically related recent books rather than individual titles. These essays aim to familiarize readers with the topic, address the state of the field or discipline, and site the cluster of books in relation to current scholarship and methodologies and previous work on the subject.

Social media presence: Twitter: @LARRLASA; Facebook facebook.com/LatinAmericanResearchReview/

Planned future developments: LARR is planning a shift to online-only publication, beginning with the final issue of the 2016 volume, and to open access publication in 2017.