Journal of Sport for Development (JSFD)
Editorial Board Membership

The Journal of Sport for Development (JSFD) is a peer-reviewed, open-access journal. JSFD’s mission is to advance, examine, and disseminate evidence and best practices for programs and interventions that use sport to promote development, health, and/or peace. JSFD is guided by leadership from the JSFD editors and editorial board.

Overview

Editorial board members are essential and valuable resources for JSFD, providing critical service as peer reviewers, journal ambassadors, and strategic advisors. Editorial board members report directly to the JSFD editors and managing editor.

Responsibilities

- Peer review two to five manuscripts per year (including major resubmissions).
- Accept all review requests from JSFD, unless there are extenuating circumstances or conflicts of interest that are clearly and promptly communicated. This includes subsequent reviews of manuscripts, so that authors have consistency across the review process.
- Respond promptly and by the suggested deadline for review requests.
- Provide high quality and robust reviews, with feedback for authors that follows the Reviewer Guidelines document.
- Provide advice and feedback to editors and JSFD leadership as needed, including recommendations for manuscript decisions, new reviewers, new editorial board members, and candidates for open JSFD positions.
- Promote awareness and visibility of JSFD in order to increase readership and manuscript submissions globally.
- Contribute to upholding and maintaining the ethics and integrity of JSFD, as outlined on this page.

Review Process and Term Logistics

Editorial board membership will be reviewed by JSFD leadership on an annual basis to ensure that members represent and/or contribute diverse subject area expertise, global representation, and commitment to the development of JSFD; and continuously meet or exceed the expectations and responsibilities of the role. Each membership term shall last three years, contingent upon meeting the responsibilities outlined herein, with the possibility of extending the term for an additional three years at the discretion of the JSFD Editors.

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