CALL FOR REGIONAL ISSUE PROPOSALS

The Journal of Social Policy & Administration invite proposals for a regional issue to be published as issue no.6 in 2023. Please send a proposal to Professor Bent Greve (editor-in-chief) (bgr@ruc.dk) and Professor Lyle Scruggs (associate editor) (Lyle Scruggs (lyle.a.scruggs@gmail.com) at the latest on the 1st November, 2021. The proposals will be judged according to the following criteria:

- 1) the scope and novelty of the proposal;
- 2) the coherence between the papers
- 3) editorial experience

The proposal shall include a brief abstract of all proposed papers, making clear their question and method. Furthermore, who is expected to contribute to the issue. The regional issue shall deal with an issue related to social policy & administration for countries or a group of countries outside Europe. For previous regional issue see the journals homepage <u>Social Policy & Administration</u> - <u>Wiley Online Library</u>.

The editors of the journal will decide, if any, of the proposals should be accepted before the end of November.

The final version of papers included in the special issue, to be published in 2023, will have to be submitted no later than 1st of November, 2022 in order to ensure time for the review and re-writing process.

The person/s who submit a successful proposal will act as guest editor/s for the special issue. Guest editors will ensure that papers are of high quality, that the issue contains a strong and coherent collection of papers, that they are submitted on time and that appropriate revisions are carried out. The refereeing process remains in the hands of the Social Policy & Administration editors. They will submit the papers for peer-review and ensure that the overall collection and the individual papers meet the normal quality standards of the journal. Papers will only be accepted if there is a positive peer review.