

# Web of Science content Evalation and selection criteria.

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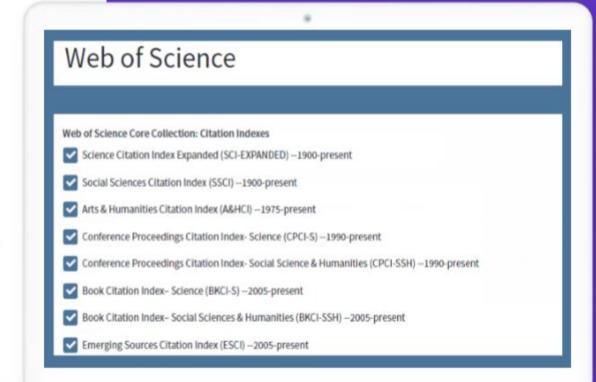
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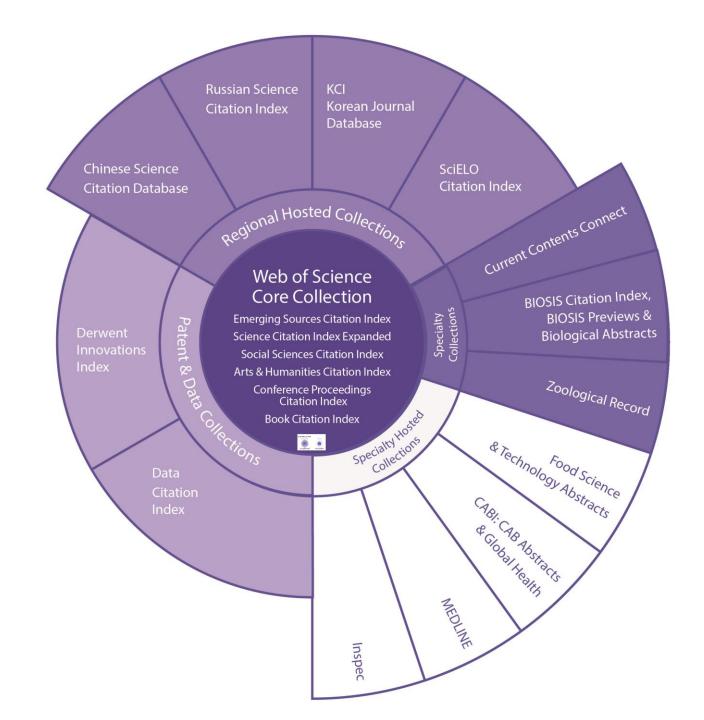


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# **The Journal Selection Process**

- Our editorial decisions are conducted by our expert in-house editors
- ➤ They have no affiliations to publishing houses or research institutes
- ➤ No potential bias or conflict of interest
- > Each editor is focused on specific subject categories
- Deep nuanced knowledge of the journals in their field
- ➤ Our rigorous process for the Web of Science Core Collection contrasts with that for other databases that rely on algorithmic approaches and/or delegating aspects of editorial decisionmaking to the research community.



Curated with care by an expert team of in-house *Web of Science* Editors

- ➤ We use a single set of 28 criteria to evaluate journals:
  - -- 24 *quality criteria* designed to select for editorial rigour and best practice at the journal level
  - -- 4 *impact criteria* designed to select the most influential journals in their respective fields using citation activity as a primary indicator of impact
- ➤ Journals that meet the quality criteria enter ESCI in the Web of Science Core Collection
- > Journals that meet the additional impact criteria enter SCIE, SSCI or AHCI depending on their subject area
- ➤ These are dynamic collections subject to continuous curation to ensure journals are in the appropriate collection
- ESCI journals that gain impact move to SCIE, SSCI or AHCI
- SCIE, SSCI and AHCI journals that decrease in impact move to ESCI
- ➤ Any journal that fails to meet all 24 quality criteria will be removed from the Web of Science Core Collection



# **Editorial Workflow**

Improving speed and transparency through an updated journal evaluation process

Online Submission Form	In-house Web of Science Editors							
Initial Triage Editorial Triage Editorial Evaluation								
	Quality criteria		Impact criteria					
<ul> <li>✓ ISSN</li> <li>✓ Journal Title</li> <li>✓ Journal Publisher</li> <li>✓ URL (online journals)</li> <li>✓ Content Access</li> <li>✓ Presence of Peer Review Policy</li> <li>✓ Contact Details</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ Scholarly content</li> <li>✓ Article Titles and Article Abstracts in English</li> <li>✓ Bibliographic Information in Roman Script</li> <li>✓ Clarity of language</li> <li>✓ Timeliness and/or Publication Volume</li> <li>✓ Website Functionality/Journal format</li> <li>✓ Presence of Ethics Statements</li> <li>✓ Editorial Affiliation Details</li> <li>✓ Author Affiliation Details</li> </ul>	✓ Editorial Board Composition ✓ Validity of Statements ✓ Peer Review ✓ Content Relevance ✓ Grant Support Details ✓ Adherence to Community Standards ✓ Author Distribution ✓ Appropriate Citations to the Literature	<ul> <li>✓ Comparative Citation         Analysis     </li> <li>✓ Author Citation         Analysis     </li> <li>✓ EBM Citation Analysis</li> <li>✓ Content Significance</li> </ul>					
Successful outcomes								
Starts editorial triage	Starts editorial evaluation	Enters ESCI and is evaluated for impact	Enters SCIE/SSCI/AHCI					
Unsuccessful outcon	nes 🗀							
Submission cannot be completed  Re-submission welcome as soon as issues have been resolved	Failed editorial triage     Re-submission welcome as soon as issues have been resolved	Failed editorial quality evaluation     Re-submission subject to embargo of at least two years	<ul> <li>Failed editorial impact evaluation</li> <li>Entry/continued coverage in ESCI</li> <li>Re-submission subject to embargo of two years</li> </ul>					



# **Initial Triage**

Initial triage is performed using information provided by the publisher.

The principal purpose of this triage step is:

- To ensure unambiguous identification of the journal submitted for evaluation
- To ensure we have full text access to content.
- To have knowledge of the journal's peer review policy
- To know who to contact if we have any queries or concerns

If the necessary information is not provided, the *Web of Science* Editors cannot proceed with the evaluation.

There is no embargo period for re-submission if a journal does not pass initial triage.



# Journals must meet a set of Minimum Criteria at the time of Submission

# **INITIAL TRIAGE**

## Minimum criteria

required
at the time of submission
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# Submission cannot be completed

Re-submission welcome as soon as issues have been resolved



# **Unsuccessful Outcome**



- **✓** ISSN
- **✓** JOURNAL TITLE
- ✓ JOURNAL PUBLISHER
- ✓ URL (online journals)
- ✓ Content Access
- ✓ Presence of Peer Review Policy
- ✓ Contact Details



Successful Outcome

**Starts editorial triage** 



# **Editorial Triage**

In this step, the Web of Science Editors review the journal to determine whether a full editorial evaluation is merited.

Journal characteristics subject to evaluation include:

- > Whether the journal contains a substantial amount of scholarly content
- ➤ Whether English language/Roman script requirements are met
- ➤ Whether articles are written in a clear, comprehensible way
- ➤ Whether journals publish a volume of content that demonstrates interest to the intended research community
- ➤ The presence of editorial and author affiliation details to allow their correct identification

There is no embargo period for re-submission if a journal does not pass editorial triage.



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### ABSTRACT (DEUTSCH)

In diesem Artikel werde ich Erich Auerbachs Konzept von Erinnerung als Darstellungsmethode für die Erforschung der Schilderung der Wirklichkeit in der

# ABDULGANI GULSENI'S CHORAL MUEZZIN PERFORMANCE COMPOSITION "MAHFEL SURMESI"

# ABSTRACT

One of the important forms of Mosque Music that Mahfel Surmesi is this form is directly related to Choral muezzin performance form which is composed of muezzins. The distinct between them is to be dissimilar composition and method. The unique of this form belongs to Abdulgani Gulseni who was the imam/head of the Gulseni Sufi path and lived from to the end of the century XVIII. to the beginning of, and . The composition which consists of five parts, even though it was performed by muezzins in Eyup Sultan Mosque until the beginning of the century XX., has not been performed by muezzins since 1930's. This composition was written by Suphi Ezgi -to not forget and to protect its original form- in the years of 1930s, as muezzins recite inaccurately it. But this note written by Ezgi includes some Quran recite faults in terms of prosody, because this composition cosisting of verses and prayers of the Quran related to Quran recite rules. Mahfel Surmesi which is an unique example of Religious Music Culture has been optimizes to performing in the sense that it will contribute to the ability to be performed again in today's muezzin. This composition has been based on Quran recite rules and it was noted the origin of the composition.

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his friend Walter Benjamin "visualization" of memory, one recognizes an interesting analogy between Benjamin and Auerbach's concepts of memory.

Keywords: Erich Auerbach, memory, mimesis, depiction of reality, modern novel

# Editorial Evaluation (Quality)

In this step, the *Web of Science* Editors are checking for alignment between the journal's title, stated scope, the composition of its editorial board and its published content. They are also looking for evidence of editorial rigour and adherence to community standards.

Journal characteristics subject to evaluation include:

- Whether the published content is consistent with the journal's title and stated scope
- Whether the size and expertise of the editorial board is appropriate to the volume and breadth of published content
- ➤ Whether there is evidence of robust peer review
- Whether authors demonstrate characteristics that validate their participation in the relevant scholarly community
- Whether the surrounding literature is cited appropriately

If a journal does not pass this step, re-submission is subject to an embargo period of at least two years.



schizophrenia

was a significant negative correlation between plasma leptin levels and the PANSS depressed factor subscore in patients with schizophrenia. Previous studies observed decreased plasma leptin levels in patients with or without comorbid major depression compared with controls. 31 32 Furthermore, studies found that the negative relationship between leptin levels and the severity of depressive symptoms was independent of body weight or BMI. 28 33 34 In consistency with these findings, our study also found a link between leptin levels and depressive symptoms in patients with schizophrenia after controlling for BMI.

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## Limitations

Several limitations of this study should be noted. First, due to the nature of cross-sectional studies, the patients' baseline information was unknown (eg, plasma leptin levels, psychopathological symptoms and previous medication use) and therefore the results obtained in this study may be confounded. Second, as the sample size is small and leptin level is fluctuated, our findings should be accordingly considered as preliminary exploration. Last, it is worth mentioning that the depressed factor used in the present study is derived from the five-factor model of PANSS scale, which is used for symptomatology. A specific depression scale such as Hamilton Depression Rating https://mil Scale may have been a better choice. Therefore, in order to get a conclusive and not just suggestive result, the relationship between leptin and depressive symptomology in schizophrenia deserves further investigation using a specific depression scale in a large-scale longitudinal study, or even a randomised, double-blind and parallel controlled clinical trial.

toms in schizophrenia, while previous studies focused mainly on major depressive disorder. If our results could be confirmed in further large-scale longitudinal studies, plasma leptin level would probably serve as a promising predictor for depressive symptoms in schizophrenia.

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### **Data sharing statement**

No additional data are available.

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**Implications** 

REFERENCES

# Editorial Evaluation (Impact)

The criteria in this step are designed to select for the most impactful journals in a given field of research, using citation activity as a primary indicator of impact

Citation analysis is conducted at:

- > Journal level
- Author level
- Editorial Board level

There is an additional factor that is taken into consideration:

- The content in the journal should be of interest, importance and value to its intended readership and to *Web of Science* subscribers
- Content significance may be evidenced as a unique specialization, a novel perspective, regional focus or unusual content that enriches the breadth of *Web of Science* coverage. These attributes are not exclusively reflected in journal-level citation activity.

If a journal does not pass this step, re-submission is subject to an embargo period of at least two years.



# All journals that meet Quality Criteria, are assessed on Impact and Citation Behavior

# **EVALUATION ON IMPACT CRITERIA**

Editorial assessment of publication impact



- ✓ Comparative Citation Analysis
- ✓ Author Citation Analysis
- **✓** EBM Citation Analysis
- √ Content Significance



Successful **Outcome** 

**Enters SCIE/SSCI/AHCI** 

### **Unsuccessful Outcome**

# **Failed editorial impact** evaluation

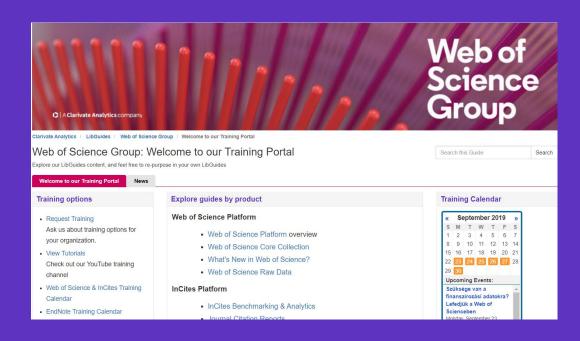
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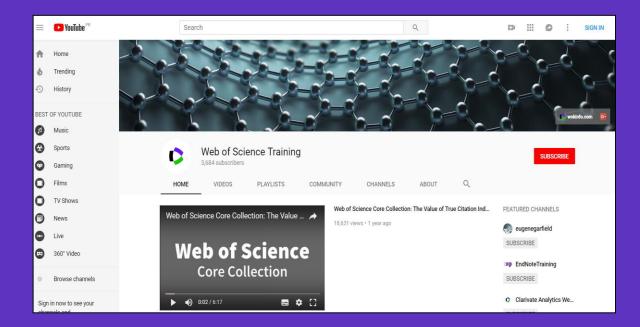


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