

ZEITSCHRIFT FÜR KANADA-STUDIEN ZKS
Style Sheet for English Articles, Essays (Forum) and Reviews (updated 2024)

1. Articles

Submissions are accepted throughout the year. In order to be considered for inclusion in the following year's issue, contributions must be submitted by **June 30, of the current year.**

1.1. Modalities of Submission

- Articles are submitted as word files directly to the chief editor of the journal (maria.loeschnigg@uni-graz.at).
- All submitted articles undergo a double-blind peer review process.

1.2. Formalities and Format

- Font: Times New Roman, full justification; font size: 12 pt.; line spacing: 1,5
- Bibliography: Format: 10 pt.; single-spaced; hanging indent
- Length of an article: 40-50,000 characters (including spaces)
- References to the location of figures, illustrations, tables and maps should be indicated in the text file; figures and maps (in print quality) need to be submitted as separate files and are numbered consecutively in the text using Arabic numerals

Abstracts

- Abstracts in English and French have to precede the text; length: max. 150-200 words respectively; italicized

Format

- **References** always follow the quotation directly
- **Quotations within quotations** (e.g. direct speech) are indicated by single quotation marks
- **Accentuations:** words and expressions with intended emphasis appear in italics
- **Atypical expressions** are indicated by single quotation marks conforming with the language of the article
- **Foreign-language terms** appear in italics unless they are not perceived as such in the respective language
- **Footnotes** follow punctuation marks
- **Distinct quotations** (exceeding three lines of text) are indented and appear without quotation marks
- **Omissions** within quotations are indicated by “[...]”
- **Errors** in the original source are reproduced true to the original and signalled with [sic]

Examples for Format:

Two books of the same author: ... (Hoerder 2000, 2005).

Two authors mentioned in the same source: ... (Kolboom 2006; Schafroth 2000).

With page indication: ... Hoerder (2000, 111-136), Mathis/Mertz-Baumgartner (1995, 13-15).
... although they are a minority on a national level.”⁵⁵

... Nunavut, “our country”.

... the different premises of the terms ‘nation’ and ‘peoples’.

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1.3 Works Cited

Examples for Bibliography:

- Rosenthal, Caroline, 2011, *New York and Toronto Novels after Postmodernism: Explorations of the Urban*, Rochester, New York: Camden House.
- Bauder-Begereow, Irina/Stefanie Schäfer (eds.), 2011, *Learning 9/11: Teaching for Key Competences in Literary and Cultural Studies*, Heidelberg: Winter.
- Castricano, Jodey, 2006, "Learning to talk with ghosts: Canadian Gothic and the poetics of haunting in Eden Robinson's *Monkey Beach*", *University of Toronto Quarterly* 75.2, 801–813.
- Gervais, Marie-Marthe, 1993, "Gender and Language in French", in: Carol Saunders (ed.), *French Today: Language in its Social Context*, Cambridge University Press, 121–183.
- Rosenthal, Caroline, 1999, "'Alice Hoyle: 1,000 interlocking pieces': Processes of Identity (De)construction in Audrey Thomas's *Intertidal Life*", *Zeitschrift für Kanada-Studien* 35.1, 186–195.

Internet sources: when citing electronic journals, the source is given after the name of the journal; when citing texts from the homepage of an organization or institution, the internet address is given after the title; the exact date of access must be mentioned.

- Mavor, Liz, 2004, Interview with Richard Van Camp, in: Richard van Camp, www.richardvancamp.org/LMavor.html (accessed 21 January 2012).
- Picard, Jean-Claude, 2003, "La loi 101 a 25 ans", in: *L'Actualité*, 28.17, 1. November, ww.vigile.net/ds-langue/-23k/4 (accessed 10 January 2012).

2. Forum – essays on topical Canada-related issues

- Length: max. 20,000 characters (including spaces)
- Deadline: 1 September of the current year
- Submission: directly to Andrea Strutz: andrea.strutz@uni-graz.at
- Format: see 1.2. above!

3. Reviews

- Length: 5-6,000 characters including spaces
- Deadline: 1 September of the current year
- Submission: directly to Alex Demeulenaere: alex.demeulenaere@univ-lorraine.fr
- Reviews should not contain footnotes
- The total number of pages, ISBN-number and the original price of the reviewed book are given in consistent order in the heading section of the review

Example for a Heading Section of a Review:

Julia Pfahl, *Zwischen den Kulturen – zwischen den Künsten. Media-hybride Theaterinszenierungen in Québec*, Bielefeld: transcript, 2008 (387 S., ISBN 978-3-89942-909-1; kt., xxxx)

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