



## STRATEGIC REVIEW for SOUTHERN AFRICA

### **Announcement and Call for Papers**

The *Strategic Review for Southern Africa* is an internationally accredited and peer-reviewed periodical of the Department of Political Sciences at the University of Pretoria. The *Strategic Review* is listed as an accredited journal in South Africa and on the IBSS (international) list of Accredited Journals. All submissions are peer-reviewed by at least two members of the Editorial Committee and/or external Reviewers. Articles published in the *Strategic Review* qualify for a subsidy from the South African Department of Higher Education and Training. Since the journal's establishment in 1978 it has witnessed major social and political changes in Southern Africa, the wider continent of Africa and the world.

As of 2018 with volume 41, no. 2 the journal will be guided by a new editorial team. The team will, however, continue the founding mission to engage in strategic and political analysis of socio-political developments that impact Southern Africa. The changes to the journal are intended to facilitate more vigorous and enlightened debate among scholars, policy makers, practitioners, students and activists, in order to contribute to the wider global discourse on democracy, human rights and freedoms, security, governance, the rule of law, development, and social and ecological justice. The journal therefore seeks to establish an multi-disciplinary forum, where plural and open-minded interaction can transcend purely academic debate, so as to reach out to wider audiences and involve as many stakeholders as possible in the policy and civil society communities.

An engaged and engaging exchange will be stimulated by means of academic analyses, reports, debates, a review section and other briefings. Academic articles will, as in the past, be held to impeccable quality control and will be peer reviewed to uphold the journal's scholarly credentials.

The new editorial will continue to promote and consolidate the journal's role and relevance:

Siphamandla Zondi (Editor-in-chief)

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The journal has traditionally been published biannually in print, with issues during May/June and November/December of each year. This publication schedule will be maintained, but to enhance access the journal will henceforth also allow open access, through its posting on the web site of the Department for Political Sciences/University of Pretoria: <http://web.up.ac.za/default.asp?ipkCategoryID=1322>.

We invite manuscripts on subjects related to the wider scope of the journal. Submissions should be sent electronically to [strategic.reviewsa@up.ac.za](mailto:strategic.reviewsa@up.ac.za), for the attention of Siphamandla Zondi. For further enquiries and comments, feel free to contact Siphamandla Zondi.