

# Guidelines for Authors

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Basic requirements for the acceptance of the article are:

## 1. Manuscript style:

The manuscript must be written in Times New Roman font, 12 pt, with single-line spacing, A4 paper, left margin 2 cm, right margin 2 cm, top and bottom margins 2.5 cm, respectively. The manuscript must be submitted as Microsoft Office Word file. The length of the article is limited to 12 pages. Manuscripts that do not meet these requirements are rejected before being presented to reviewers.

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- b) the working steps that have been carried out and the principal results and observations,
- c) a concluding section that also indicates the importance of the work and
- d) references.

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LORCA, I.L. (1986): Molecular Dynamics Applications. Revista de Ingenieria INNOVA, Vol. 130, pp. 125-131.

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