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Metrics 2023

SCOPUS metrics

SJR (Scopus) 2023 = TBA

SJR quartile (Scopus) 2023 = TBA

Citescore (Scopus) 2023 = 0.6

Acceptance rate

Acceptance rate = 11%

Desk rejection rate = 77%

Post-review rejection rate = 32% (i.e. 68% of submissions sent to external reviewers are published)

Length of publication process

- **From submission to initial decision** (average): **7.4 days**
- **From submission to online (ahead of print) publication** (average – articles in Vol. 17, No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 considered): **7.6 months**
- **From submission to publication in printed issue** (average – articles in Vol. 17, No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 considered): **9.5 months**

Special issue

CONSTRUCTING CRISES IN EUROPE: MULTIFACETED SECURITISATION IN TIMES OF EXCEPTION

- **Guest editors: Andrey Makarychev (University of Tartu) & Thomas Diez (University of Tübingen)**
- Published in [June 2023, vol. 17, no. 2](#)

Introduction: Political Logics and Academic Rationalities of Securitisation and International Crises

Andrey Makarychev (University of Tartu)

Thomas Diez (University of Tübingen)

Progressive and Regressive Securitisation: Covid, Russian Aggression and the Ethics of Security

Thomas Diez (University of Tübingen)

Conflictual Rebordering: The Russia Policies of Finland and Estonia

Andrey Makarychev (University of Tartu)

Tatiana Romashko (University of Jyväskylä)

Ukraine at War: Resilience and Normative Agency

Yulia Kurnyshova (University of Bremen)

Constructing Nazis on Political Demand: Agenda-Setting and Framing in Russian State-Controlled TV Coverage of the Euromaidan, Annexation of Crimea and the War in Donbas
Alona Shestopalova (University of Hamburg)

Small Powers, Geopolitical Crisis and Hypersecuritisation: Latvia and the Effects of Russia's Second War in Ukraine
Māris Andžāns (Rīga Stradiņš University)

Agents of Social Change: Cultural Work, Institutions, and the (De)securitisation of Minorities
Alina Jašina-Schäfer (Johannes Gutenberg University of Mainz & Federal Institute for Culture and History of the Germans in Eastern Europe)

Thematic section

DECOLONISING CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE

- Published in [December 2023, vol. 17, no. 4](#)

Western Orientalism Targeting Eastern Europe: An Emerging Research Programme
Mart Kuldkepp (University College London)

'A Decolonising Moment of Sorts': The Baltic States' Vicarious Identification with Ukraine and Related Domestic and Foreign Policy Developments
Dovilė Budrytė (Georgia Gwinnett College & Vilnius University)

CEJISS at academic conferences

Together with the Czech Journal of International Relations, CEJISS organized the **section titled 'International Relations in/of Central and Eastern Europe'** which was held at the **ECPR 2023 annual conference in Prague**, 4-8 September 2023.

Manuscripts published in 2023

Authors of Research Articles (papers published in 2023 in print issues considered; summarised per institution)

Institution	No. of authors
Georgia Gwinnett College, USA	1
International University of Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina	1
Johannes Gutenberg University of Mainz, Germany	1
Karazin Kharkiv National University, Ukraine	1
Metropolitan University Prague, Czechia	1

Rīga Stradiņš University, Latvia	1
Stanford University, USA	1
University College London, United Kingdom	1
University of Bremen, Germany	1
University of Ghana, Ghana	1
University of Hamburg, Germany	1
University of Jyväskylä, Finland	1
University of Manchester, United Kingdom	1
University of Minho, Portugal	1
University of Tartu, Estonia	1
University of Tehran, Iran	1
University of Tübingen, Germany	1
Vilnius University, Lithuania	1
Others/independent/non-academic positions	3

Summary per country (no. of authors per country)

Germany – 4
 United Kingdom – 2
 USA – 2
 Bosnia and Herzegovina – 1
 Czechia – 1
 Estonia – 1
 Finland – 1
 Ghana – 1
 Iran – 1
 Latvia – 1
 Lithuania – 1
 Portugal – 1
 Ukraine – 1

Reviewers in 2023

CEJISS wants to thank all the external reviewers who evaluated manuscripts in 2023. CEJISS is particularly grateful to those who were willing to review more manuscripts.

Reviewers (a summary per country of their institutional affiliation)

Czechia – 10
 Germany – 6
 United Kingdom – 6
 Denmark – 4
 Poland – 4
 USA – 3
 Estonia – 2

Netherlands – 2

Sweden – 2

Others – 17

List of Reviewers

- Bahenský, Vojtěch – Charles University, Czech Republic
- Bahl, Eva – University of Göttingen, Germany
- Beneš, Vít – Metropolitan University Prague, Czech Republic
- Braun, Mats – Metropolitan University Prague, Czech Republic
- Bureš, Oldřich – Metropolitan University Prague, Czech Republic
- Dandashly, Assem – Maastricht University, Netherlands
- Davoliūtė, Violeta – Vilnius University, Lithuania
- Doboš, Bohumil – Charles University, Czech Republic
- Duann Ren-feng – National Taitung University, Taiwan
- Erkomaishvili, David – Charles University of Prague, Czech Republic
- Floyd, Rita – University of Birmingham, United Kingdom
- Gaiser, Laris – Catholic Institute, Slovenia
- Godzimirski, Jakub M. – Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, Norway
- Gøtzsche-Astrup, Oluf – Aarhus University, Denmark
- Hushcha, Marylia – International Institute for Peace, Austria
- Hynek, Nik – Metropolitan University Prague, Czech Republic
- Chang, Jun Yan – S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore
- Chang, Marja – Malmö University, Sweden
- James, Harold – Princeton University, USA
- Joseph, Jonathan – University of Bristol, United Kingdom
- Kołodziejczyk, Dorota – University of Wrocław, Poland
- Kovář, Jan – Institute of International Relations Prague, Czech Republic
- Kunertova, Dominika – ETH Zurich, Switzerland
- Kurnyshova, Yuliia – University of Copenhagen, Denmark
- Kushnir, Ostap – Lazarski University, Poland
- Kušić, Katarina – University of Bremen, Germany
- Lele, Ajay – Manohar Parrikar Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, India
- Levy, Ido – American University, USA
- Linsenmaier, Thomas – University of Tartu, Estonia
- Mahon (Yuchshenko), Anastasiya – Independent researcher
- Mälksoo, Maria – University of Copenhagen, Denmark
- Matveieva, Olga – University of Tartu, Estonia
- Mustasilta, Katariina – Finnish Institute of International Affairs, Finland
- Nel, Michelle – Stellenbosch University, South Africa
- Ostermann, Falk – Kiel University, Germany
- Parížek, Michal – Charles University, Czech Republic
- Proedrou, Filippou – University of South Wales, United Kingdom
- Quyet Huu Nguyen – Vinh University, Vietnam
- Rauta, Vladimir – University of Reading, United Kingdom
- Rostoks, Toms – Latvian National Defence Academy, Latvia

- Ryzhova, Anna – University of Passau, Germany
- Saddiki, Said – Sidi Mohamed Ben Abdellah University, Morocco
- Stockbruegger, Jan – University of Copenhagen, Denmark
- Stubbs, Richard – McMaster University, Canada
- Styszyński, Marcin – Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań, Poland
- Szép, Viktor – University of Groningen, Netherlands
- Tesař, Jakub – Charles University, Czech Republic
- Verjee, Aly – University of Gothenburg, Sweden
- Waszkiewicz, Grzegorz – Military University of Technology, Poland
- Winger, Gregory H. – University of Cincinnati, USA
- Wishnick, Elizabeth – Montclair State University, USA
- Wright, Nicholas – University of Surrey, United Kingdom
- Wright, Katharine – A. M. Newcastle University, United Kingdom
- Yermekbayev, Adilbek – Al-Farabi Kazakh National University, Kazakhstan
- Zala, Benjamin – Australian National University, Australia
- Zhukova, Maria – University of Konstanz, Germany