

Building Professional Excellence- Part 1 Session 7: How to Write Right

Webinar Follow-up Question and Answer Session with Scott Hinkle and Traci Collins

Question from Keith Myers

Some journals now are promoting junior reviewers (doc students) to learn the editorial process. Is that something that TPC would be comfortable initiating?

Answer from Presenter

Yes, we do include a few outstanding graduate students as reviewers.

Question from Lashay Taylor

What are the typical or standard qualifications to become an editor?

Answer from Presenter

If you are referring to becoming part of the editorial board, some qualifications include excellent writing skills, publication history, and time commitment of reviewing one manuscript a month. Consider serving as a guest reviewer, which is a good way to break in and get some experience. If you are referring to guest editor of an issue, the qualities mentioned above apply as well as experience serving on an editorial board.

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