



CALL FOR PAPERS THE NICOMACHEAN

PUBLISHING OPPORTUNITY FOR POLICY STUDENTS

“**The Nicomachean**”, the online blog of the Students for Ethical Governance and Policymaking (SEGP), is seeking articles for publication. The SEGP is a student club at the Monterey Institute of International Studies that seeks to involve ethical considerations in modern policymaking. Dealing with topics that range from security to ecology to development, the SEGP strives to critically analyze the ethics of the decision making process. This is done in an effort to improve the work that policy professionals provide to those they serve. We invite Bachelor’s Degree, Master’s Degree, and PhD students and recent graduates who have studied issues of political science, philosophy, history, international relations, development, economics, business, international security, gender relations, and ecology or related disciplines to submit articles to this new online journal.

ESSAYS WE SEEK

The SEGP seeks **TWO** types of articles for the Nicomachean:

1. The first are **Short Essays**, essays that do not exceed **2,500 WORDS**. These essays provide either 1) a short argument pertaining to the evaluation of a particular policy and its ethical merits, 2) a critical review of a work that deals with ethics in public policy or 3) a brief exposition to ethical studies/theory as pertaining to public policy.
2. The second are **Long Essays**, essays that do not exceed **10,000 WORDS**. These essays are much more open-ended and can cover the three topics mentioned above for the Short Essays along with more theoretical or research oriented matter.

REGULATIONS FOR ARTICLE SUBMISSIONS

Articles chosen to be published will be original papers not already considered for publication elsewhere. Successful papers will be submitted using Chicago 15th Edition citation style, single spaced, 12-point Times New Roman, 1-inch margins, page numbers, and endnotes. They will provide a reference list in Chicago 15th Edition format at the end of the paper in a separate “Works Cited” section. Any tables or figures cited in the paper may be left in the body of the essay and will not be counted toward essay length limits. Endnotes are not included in the word count.

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