

Journal of Conflict, Peace and Development Studies (JoCPDS) Call for Papers 2024



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Tribhuvan University has established the Department of Conflict, Peace and Development Studies (CPDS) within the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in 2007. Currently, the department offers a Master's program and an MPhil-PhD program, both of which leverage insights and strengths from a wide range of disciplines in social sciences and humanities. These programs aim to provide a holistic understanding of complex phenomena of conflict, peace and development studies.

Journal is one of the most important sources of producing and disseminating the knowledge of concerned subject. This is an identity marker of academia and the academics. The journal will be an impetus for carrying recent theoretical, conceptual, methodological and new paradigms of conflict and peace studies. The **Journal of Conflict, Peace and Development Studies (JoCPDS)**, a multi-, inter-, and trans-disciplinary annual peer-reviewed (double-blind) publication from the Department of Conflict, Peace and Development Studies at Tribhuvan University, invites submissions for its upcoming issue. The journal focuses on original research related to conflict, peace, and development issues in Nepal, South Asia Region, and globally.

JoCPDS welcomes contribution from academics, researchers, scholars and practitioners worldwide. The journal's focus encompasses a wide range of topics:

- Philosophy, theories and practices of conflict resolution and peacebuilding;
- Diplomacy and UN Peacekeeping;
- The role of UN, regional and national and local organizations in conflict transformation and peacebuilding;
- Traditional dispute resolution;
- Digital governance;
- Migrants and refugees;
- Small arms proliferation and weapons of mass destruction (WMD);
- Climate change;
- Sustainable rural development;
- Border and territorial disputes;
- Violence and transitional justice;

- Socio-cultural dimensions of Nepal;
- Gender and armed conflict;
- Democratic transition and human rights;
- Disarmament and peace education;
- State building and federal debate;
- National interest and national security;
- Geopolitics and international relations;
- Sustainable tourism development;
- Humanitarian assistance;
- Research methodology (not limited to).

The journal operates a peer review (double-blind) process. The journal is currently accepting Research Articles (6000-8000 words), Research Note (3000-4000 words) and Book Review (2000-2500 words) for its upcoming issue. The journal follows APA 7th edition style. The deadline for manuscript(s) submission is **16th August, 2024**. Articles and reviews in the journal represent neither the views of the concerned publishers nor those of editorial board. Responsibilities for opinion expressed and for the accuracy of the facts published in the articles or reviews are solely with the individual authors. The editorial board will give the final decision whether the article should be published or not. Submit your manuscripts in MS Word at journal@dcpds.tu.edu.np.

While submitting your research article or research note, please ensure that your article is properly written with academic standards and includes the following sections:

- Title of Article
- Author's Name and Association
- Abstract (200 - 250 words)
- Keywords (5 key terms)
- Introduction
- Review of Literature
- Research Methodology
- Findings and Analysis
- Conclusion
- Acknowledgement
- References