

# CALL FOR PAPERS

## Simons Center Announces a special edition of the *InterAgency Journal*:

### Weapons of Mass Destruction and the Interagency

The Simons Center for Interagency Cooperation announces a call for papers for a Spring 2015 special edition of the *InterAgency Journal*. This special edition will focus on the interagency challenge posed by weapons of mass destruction (WMD). The *InterAgency Journal* seeks thoughtful articles that provide insight and fresh thinking in advancing the knowledge, understanding, and practice of interagency coordination, cooperation, and collaboration.

Deadline for submissions is Friday, January 9, 2015.

- Submit an unclassified, original paper examining any aspect—broad or specific—of the topic. Papers should be between 3,500 and 5,000 words in length.
- Previously published papers, papers being consideration elsewhere for publication, or papers submitted to other competitions still pending announced decisions are ineligible.
- Manuscripts should be single spaced in Microsoft Word format using Times, 12-point font. All graphs, charts, and tables should be submitted as separate files in the format they were created.
- Submissions will receive blind peer review in accordance with standard professional academic journal practice. Submissions will be evaluated on the basis of originality, substance of argument, style, and contribution to advancing the understanding and practice of interagency cooperation regarding WMD.
- To facilitate review, include a cover sheet with full name, institutional affiliation, email, telephone, mailing address and an author biography not to exceed 50 words. Do not, however, include identifying information on any other page of the manuscript.
- Along with their manuscript, writers must agree to the Simons Center copyright transfer agreement, which is detailed online at [www.thesimonscenter.org/contribute-content](http://www.thesimonscenter.org/contribute-content).
- Manuscripts can be submitted on the Simons Center website at [www.thesimonscenter.org/contribute-content](http://www.thesimonscenter.org/contribute-content) or emailed to [editor@thesimonscenter.org](mailto:editor@thesimonscenter.org) with the subject line “WMD Special Edition” by January 9, 2015.

The guest editor for this special edition is Dr. John Mark Mattox, Senior Research Fellow at the National Defense University Center for the Study of Weapons of Mass Destruction and Director of the Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction Graduate Fellowship Program.

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