

Instructions to Authors

Please ensure that the final version of your manuscript conforms to the requirements listed below:

- Please apply the following **parameters** to your manuscript file: **paper size** – A4; **line spacing**: single; **margins** – top and bottom: 3.3cm, left and right: 3.5cm; **font sizes**: main text – 12pt, footnotes, abstract, the list of references, the authors’ addresses – 11pt)
- Include an abstract of **no more than 100 words**.
- Classify your article according to the *Journal of Economic Literature (JEL)* classification code.
- Provide your name(s) and the full **address(es)** of your institutional affiliation(s) **at the end** of your article (please include your e-mail address(es)).
- Keep **footnotes** to a minimum (**do not exceed 7 lines per page**) and number them consecutively throughout the manuscript with superscript Arabic numerals. Acknowledgments and information on grants received can be given in a first footnote (indicated by an asterisk, not included in the consecutive numbering).
- Provide **titles for figures and tables**.
- **Math symbols**, even those within tables and figures, must be in italics.
- For a **derivative** of a function of one variable, say of $f(x)$, write $f'(x)$. For a partial derivative of a function, say of $f(x, y)$, with respect to x , write $\partial_x f(x, y)$. For a total derivative of a function, say of $f(g(x), x)$, write either $d_x f(g(x), x)$ or $d/dx \cdot f(g(x), x)$.
- Number **equations** only if you refer to that number.
- Ensure that references to publications appearing **in the text** are given as follows:
NORTH [1995a], [1995b] and DAVIS AND NORTH [1970] emphasize the role of institutions ...
For quotations, please add the page number:
”... the market itself has an even more shadowy role than the firm” (COASE [1988, p. 7]).
- List the **complete** references **alphabetically** as follows:

Periodicals (AUTHOR [year], “Title,” *Journal*, Volume, first page–last page.)

KLEIN, B. [1980], “Transaction Cost Determinants of ‘Unfair’ Contractual Arrangements,” *American Economic Review*, 70, 356–362.

Monographs (AUTHOR [year], *Title*, Publisher: City.)

NELSON, R. R., AND S. G. WINTER [1982], *An Evolutionary Theory of Economic Change*, 2nd ed., Harvard University Press: Cambridge, MA.

Contributions to collective works

(AUTHOR [year], “Title of the Article,” pp. first page–last page in: Editors, *Title of the Book*, Publisher: City.)

STIGLITZ, J. E. [1989], “Imperfect Information in the Product Market,” pp. 769–847 in: R. Schmalensee and R. D. Willig (eds.), *Handbook of Industrial Organization*, Vol. I, North-Holland: Amsterdam, London, New York, Tokyo.

Working papers (AUTHOR [year], “Title,” Kind of Paper, Department/Institution, University, City.)

WILLIAMSON, O. E. [1993], “Redistribution and Efficiency: The Remediableness Standard,” Working Paper, Center for the Study of Law and Society, University of California, Berkeley.