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## **INFORMATION ON THE REVIEW PROCESS**

**Cutoff Date for Manuscript Submission for Volume 9 (May 2026):**

**15 December 2025**

**Timeline of the Review Process:**

Stage	Activity	Responsibility	Date/Time
1	Initial Screening of the Manuscript Received (format, scope, plagiarism/AI threshold check)	Editorial Board & Journal Management Committee of the CRI	January 1 – February 15, 2026
2	Desk Review including Decision	Editorial Board	February 16- March 15, 2026
3	Revision based on Desk Review	Authors	March 15-25, 2026
4	Peer Review (Double Blind Review)	Reviewers	March 26-April 25, 2026 (5 Days in average for each reviewer)
5	Communication of Review Reports to Authors	Journal Management Committee	Upon the receiving peer reviewer report
6	Revision by Authors	Authors	March 28 – April 31 (7 days for each author)
7	Re-evaluation of the Revised Manuscripts including Post-Review plagiarism/AI threshold check	Editorial Board & Journal Management Committee of the CRI	Upon the receiving revised manuscript
8	Final Decision on accepting or rejecting of the manuscript	Editorial Board	After re-evaluation of the Revised Manuscript
9	Copy-Editing	Journal Management Committee	April 21 – May 5, 2026
10	Author Approval of Copy-Editing	Authors	Upon completing copy-editing
11	Final Proof Verification	Authors	May 13-14, 2026

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**Figure 1**

*The Review Process for PAJ (Vol 9, May 2026): Manuscript Rejection Rate*

