

## **SLR CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS (Volume 4, Issue 1)**

The Strathmore Law Review welcomes submissions for its upcoming fourth volume. The Strathmore Law Review is a student run, peer-reviewed academic journal aimed at bringing African scholarship to Africa. Submissions on any aspect of the Law in relation to Philosophy, Public Policy, Governance and Economics are welcomed from students currently enrolled in an undergraduate Bachelor of Laws programme or a postgraduate diploma in a law programme. The theme of the issue will be ‘Legislating for tomorrow’s Africa.’

### **The following works may be submitted:**

1. **Articles:** A comprehensive and thorough analysis of issues related to the theme of the review. The word limit for articles is between 7,000 and 10,000 words.
2. **Case Commentaries:** Any academic writing that analyses or critiques recent cases. The word limit for commentaries is between 3,000 and 5,000 words.
3. **Book Reviews:** A short analysis in which a book is critiqued majorly on its content, its style and merit. The word limit for a book review is between 3,000 and 5,000 words.
4. **Legislative commentaries:** A critical analysis of a recent piece of legislation or certain provisions in it. The word limit for legislative commentaries is between 3,000 and 5,000 words.
5. **Notes:** The Law review also invites other original works related to the law and legal industry. For example, normative law articles, essays on the legal profession, legal education or a brief analysis of a recent policy or development in the law. Word limits must range between 3,000 and 5,000 words.
6. **Responses:** In this issue, the SLR Board also affords students the opportunity to submit Responses. These are insightful academic comments responding to our published articles, commentaries, book reviews, and notes. The word limit for a Response is between 3,000 and 5,000 words. An example is John Mwangi’s Response to *The Rejected Stone May Be the Corner Stone* by Raphael Ng’etich

### **Submission Guidelines**

1. All submissions must adhere to the Strathmore Law Review Editorial Policy and Style Guidelines (available at [www.press.strathmore.edu](http://www.press.strathmore.edu)).

2. All submissions must be in Times New Roman, font size 12, line spacing 1.5, justified alignment.
3. All footnotes should be in Times New Roman, font size 10, Line Spacing 1.0 and should conform to the SLASLEC Style.
4. All word limits are inclusive of footnotes.
5. All submissions must be accompanied with an abstract of no more than 200 words detailing the general arguments and ideas contained in the paper.
6. Attached to the manuscript should be a copy of the Author's Information and Declaration of Originality form appropriately filled (attached below). Manuscripts sent without the form shall not be considered.
7. All entries should be submitted in .doc or .docx
8. The manuscripts must be e-mailed to [lawreview@strathmore.edu](mailto:lawreview@strathmore.edu)
9. Submission Deadline: The last date for submissions is on the Midnight 14 August 2018. Any submissions after midnight of this date shall not be accepted.

### **Other Instructions to Note**

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