

# **Geoscience in south-west England**

## **Information for Authors**

### **Papers**

1. Papers submitted for publication should normally have been read at the Conference the same year. However, the Society reserves the right to solicit topical papers for consideration for publication.
2. Contributions, which should be unpublished original works, will only be accepted for publication following double refereeing.
3. The length of a paper will be considered in relation to its content. However, papers (including figures) should normally not exceed eight printed pages.
4. Manuscripts should be word processed and printed on A4 paper, one side only. The text should be double spaced throughout including references, figure captions, tables etc. Three copies must be submitted by the 1st March each year; manuscripts received after this date will be considered for publication in the following years journal. If you intend submitting final figures electronically for publication please enclose them on disk/CD along with paper copy with the submitted manuscripts.
5. Final manuscripts, after the reviewing process, must be submitted on disk.
6. Papers must be laid out as .in the current issue of Geoscience in south-west England.
7. Figures should be clearly marked with the author's name and figure number. Authors should design their figures to be produced as either single column (87 mm) or double column (179 mm). When preparing a full page or full column figure then space for the figure caption should be allowed for within the total page depth of 252 mm. Black and white photographs should be printed on glossy white paper and should be clear and sharply contrasted. Computer-drafted diagrams should be submitted as both paper and disk/CD copies. Further guidance regarding suitable submission formats is provided below.

8. Tables should be produced on separate pages and have an explanatory caption. Please use the following layout for tables. If you use "word" this is autoformat style "simple 1", e.g.

	Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 3	Sample 4	Sample 5
Os (ppb)	12	11	240	96	22
Ir (ppb)	6.3	5.9	98	42	5.2
Ru (ppb)	10	14	210	77	10
Pt (ppb)	49	44	398	292	77

**Table. 1** PGE analyses for samples from the study area.

9. References in the text are given as author(s) and year, ie. (Evans, 1961; Smith and Jones, 1990) or Evans (1961) etc. Papers with more than two authors are cited as *et al.*, ie. (Jones *et al.*, 1989). In the list of references the order should be alphabetical with papers by the same author being arranged in the order (1) single author, (2) two authors alphabetically according to the name of the second author, and (3) several authors, chronologically with a, b, c etc for papers published in the same year.

10. The format of the reference list is as follows: author(s) surname(s) and initial(s), year of publication, full title of article, title of journal, volume number and page numbers, e.g.

GREEN, D.H. 1964. The petrogenesis of the high temperature peridotite intrusion in the Lizard area, Cornwall. *Journal of Petrology*, **5**, 134-188.

Author(s) and editor(s) names in FULL CAPITALS; Journal, book or thesis title in italics; volume numbers in bold. References to chapters in books or special publications should follow the following format:

EGGLER, D.H. 1987. Solubility of major and trace elements in mantle metasomatic fluids. Experimental constraints. In: MENZIES, M.A. and HAWKESWORTH, C.J. (eds). *Mantle metasomatism*. Academic Press, London, 21-39.

For a published book:

SMITH, J.V. 1974. *Feldspar minerals, Volume 2 - chemical and textural properties*. Springer-Verlag, Berlin.

For an unpublished thesis:

SHEPHERD, A. 1986. *The geochemistry and evolution of the Lizard Complex, Cornwall*. Unpublished PhD thesis. University of Nottingham.

## **Notes**

Notes are short communications giving the results of work in progress, accounts of techniques and other brief accounts which are not suitable for treatment as full scientific papers. Notes will only be published following refereeing. Three copies must be submitted by the 1<sup>st</sup> March each year; manuscripts received after this date will be considered for publication in the following years journal.

## **Abstracts**

The abstracts of papers/posters presented at the annual meeting, but not submitted as full papers or notes, will be published in the journal following minor editorial corrections.

## **General**

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