


GUIDELINES FOR AUTHORS

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- At the end of the article, please provide an abbreviated version of the title to a running head, up to 80 characters including spaces.

2. SETTINGS AND TEXT VOLUME

- Articles should not contain in total more than 40,000 characters including spaces i.e. including the abstract, bibliography and annotations.
- The text of the article must be edited in Times New Roman, size 12 points, spacing 1.5. Footnotes and longer quotes: Times New Roman, size 10, spacing 1. The first line of each paragraph should be indented by 1 cm.
- The text should be typed using A4 format (210x297mm) with 2.5 cm margins.
- The full name and professional affiliation of the author/authors of the article should be placed in the top left corner of the line preceding the article's title.
- The article's title should be typed in capital letters, 14-point font type.
- The article's main text should be preceded by an abstract in both English and Polish (the latter, if possible for the author). Articles not "provided" with at least an abstract in English will not be subject to further editorial procedure.
- Abstracts should be written in 10-point font. Abstracts should not be longer than 500 characters including spaces.
- Five key words in Polish and English should be provided in the line immediately below the abstract.
- Subheadings should be written in 12-point type. Subheadings are to be centred, unnumbered, and written capital letters.

3. TEXT EDITING

- FONT
Please do not use bold fonts or underlining. Italics should be used only:
1) while providing the titles of literary, musical, theatrical, film and art works;
2) while providing foreign words in relation to the language in which the text is written, as a distinguishing feature of a concept or term, e.g. Latin expressions such as *ibidem*, *passim*, *infra*, *sic*, etc., except for expressions in common use;
3) while emphasising the meaning of a word.
- QUOTATIONS
Shorter quotations should be placed in the main text or in a footnote in double quotation marks. Quotations longer than three lines should be separated in a separate paragraph, with a free line before and after the quotation, font size 10 points, spacing 1, indentation on the left side 1 cm. We do not use quotation marks. Any omissions are marked with an ellipsis in square brackets: [...].

- TRANSLATIONS

With the exception of English, all quotations should be in the language of the article. If there is no already published translation of a given text, the author should provide his or her own translation, marking it in the first quotation as follows: “here and hereafter, unless otherwise stated, the author’s translation”. In the case of literary texts being analysed, the author decides whether to cite the original quotation in a footnote. If it is necessary to quote the text in the translation followed by the original in the footnote, the following model should be used: “Disease is my ivory tower. Ivory is my tower” (Konwicki 2019: 225) (Choroba to moja wieża z kości słoniowej. Kość słoniowa to moja wieża, Konwicki 2010: 167).

- PUNCTUATION

We put punctuation marks outside quotation marks, brackets, dashes etc. For inclusions, we use a medium dash (en dash): [–], not a long dash (em dash). We also use an en dash in the final bibliography to separate the pages (e.g. 6–12). We use a short dash (hyphen) [-] only in two-word concepts [e.g. Polish-Italian]. If a full stop is part of an abbreviation [cit., etc.] at the end of a sentence, we treat it as a terminating character, not requiring repetition.

- BRACKETS AND SLASHES

In most cases, we use parentheses (). Square brackets [] should be used in the following cases:

- original inserts, additions and omissions in quotations;
- brackets inside a text enclosed in parentheses.

The angle brackets < > close the publisher’s inserts or constructions, especially in the case of philological texts.

Slashes: leave no space before and after the slash: “prose/poetry alternative”, “cost/profit ratio”. The slash also marks the end of the line, while we mark the end of the stanza with a double slash (//).

- QUOTATION MARKS

Texts in Polish should use “printing” quotation marks („”). Texts in other languages use language-specific quotation marks, e.g. “English text”, « French text », „German text”. English quotation marks are used when the entire article is in English, German when the entire article is in German, etc.

We use quotation marks:

- in shorter quotations inside the text;
- to emphasise terms and concepts;
- in the record of the titles of newspapers, magazines, conferences;
- in the dialogue parts while providing quotations, thoughts, etc.

The following order of quotation marks is used: “ « ‘ ’ » ”.

Do not put a prime (') in place of an apostrophe (').

- ABBREVIATIONS

We use abbreviations in accordance with the rules of the language in which the text is written.

4. FOOTNOTES AND CROSS-REFERENCES

- Bibliographic references should be included directly in the main text according to the following pattern: (Gieysztor 2018: 90), i.e. author year: page/s.
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[...] the writings of Czesław Miłosz¹.
[...] was it really so?¹.
- Please keep footnotes to a minimum, trying to include as much as possible in the main text. The Editorial Board of KN only accepts footnotes presenting additional substantive information, but does not accept footnotes presenting only bibliographic data.

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- Cross-references included by the author in the text to be published must correspond to full bibliographic information in alphabetical order at the end of the article. Please include only the texts cited in the article in the final bibliography.
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WHITMAN-LINSEN C. (1992): *Through the Dubbing Glass*, Peter Lang, Frankfurt.

LEŚMIAN B. (2010): *Poezje zebrane*, TRZNADEL J. (ed.), Państwowy Instytut Wydawniczy, Warszawa.

IKSIŃSKI Z. (2004) (ed.): *Sztuka Świata*, Wydawnictwo Artystyczne i Filmowe, Warszawa.

- If a volume or article has more than two authors or editors, they should all be indicated only in the final bibliography:

CZAPLIŃSKI P., ŚLIWIŃSKI P. (1999): *Literatura Polska 1976/1998*, Wydawnictwo Literackie, Kraków.

- Articles published in multi-author monographs should be presented according to this pattern:

PROLA D. (2017): *O ptakach, kwiatach i innych realiach: Iwaszkiewicz jako tłumacz Quasimodo*, in: BROGI BERCOFF G., CICCARI NI M., SOKOŁOWSKI M. (eds.), *Inna komparatystyka. Od dokumentu do wyobraźni*, Wyd. WLS, Warszawa: 169–198.

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KOTARBIŃSKI T. (1972): *Pojęcia i zagadnienia metodologii ogólnej i metodologii nauk praktycznych*, „Studia Filozoficzne”, 1/74: 5–12.

- Please use “ID.” and “EAD.” to avoid repeating the name of the author or editor. For example:

CICCARI NI M. (2008): *Świat ideologiczny*, w: EAD., *Żart, inność, zbawienie. Studia z literatury i kultury polskiej*, Wydawnictwo Neriton, Warszawa.

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MIŁOSZ CZ. (2011³): *Rodzinna Europa*, Wydawnictwo Literackie, Kraków.

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6. REVIEWS AND OTHER

- KN will also introduce an information section, where you can post reviews, conference reports, summaries, etc. In this section, in addition to English, German, French, Italian, Spanish and Portuguese, texts written in Polish will be also included.
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