

It is with great pleasure that *Global Policy: Next Generation* invites applications for a Deputy Editor to join our team starting February 2024. Now in its fifth year, *GPNG* is an annual issue of *Global Policy* dedicated to early career researchers doing cutting edge work worldwide.

As an editorial team, we seek to bring to the fore ideas and research that are at the leading edge of policy work regarding issues that are multilevel – local and global, and micro and macro in size and impact. Importantly then, as an editorial team, we place no restrictions upon the content of submissions other than their relevance and impact to current and future policy issues globally. Our articles have varied widely, from civil conflict to the application of law in outer space to existential risk, but are unified through their important policy relevance.

Global Policy: Next Generation goes beyond producing a peer-reviewed academic journal. It has established a platform for early-career researchers to engage with the wider community of both academia and policymaking by promoting their research through a variety of media. In addition to academic peer reviewed articles, *GPNG* offers early-career researchers the opportunity to publish opinion pieces, present current research via podcast interviews, and engage with academics of all experience levels in a variety of innovative ways. We also maintain an internship programme designed to provide advanced MA and early PhD students with experience in the process of academic publishing, with an eye to diversifying the academic publishing field.

As a Deputy Editor, you would be responsible for:

- Reading and assessing manuscripts for relevance and suitability for peer review
- Communicating editorial guidance and revisions to authors
- Mentoring and supporting early career scholars through the academic journal publication process, including explaining and summarising peer review feedback
- Finding and assigning reviewers qualified to assess manuscripts
- Proofing preprints for formatting, layout, and other copyediting consistencies
- Engaging in promotion and outreach activities, including but not limited to Twitter threads, video and podcast interviews, and conference attendance for ‘meet-the-editor’ outreach events.

Candidates should be conducting a PhD in a relevant discipline or have received their doctorate within the last five years. You should be comfortable working in English. We are particularly interested in applications from traditionally underrepresented groups and candidates at institutions in the Global South. This is a remote, stipend-based position requiring approximately 5 hours per week, including a weekly meeting, although commitments may vary depending on the time of year. Details of the role and activities that *GPNG* entails can be found in our case study article published here <https://doi.org/10.1002/leap.1474>

To apply, please submit a one page cover letter and short CV (2 page maximum) detailing your relevant experience and interest in becoming a Deputy Editor to next.generation@global-policy.com with the subject line “Application for Deputy Editor” by **10th January 2024**

Once applications have been received successful candidates will be invited to participate in a short editing assessment as the second stage of the process, followed by an online interview with the current Editorial team as the final stage. Any questions regarding the application process can be sent to next.generation@global-policy.com