

## **Call for Papers: Oxford Intersections**

Abstracts deadline: **17 May 2025**

Decision by: **2 June 2025**

**Introduction:** Oxford University Press has just launched a new type of resource: *Oxford Intersections*. *Oxford Intersections* reflects the critical role that peer-reviewed interdisciplinary research plays in helping policy- and decision-makers tackle the world's most complex and urgent environmental, cultural, political, and social challenges.

**Topics of Interest:** We invite abstracts for new interdisciplinary research articles on a range of topics for the section 'Academia and Education' of the [Racism by Context](#) Intersection. All phases of education, including in-/non-formal education and learning (e.g. social media, community, social movements) are welcome. Specifically, we are seeking articles on the following topics:

- **Refugees in Education**
- **Decolonisation of curricula, pedagogy, assessment and language policies**
- **Student protests**
- **Securitisation, militarisation, state violence, Islamophobia**
- **Academic freedom and the inclusive production of knowledge**

**Authorship:** *Oxford Intersections* welcomes contributors from diverse backgrounds, spanning disciplines, institutions, geographies, and career stages. Authors may include researchers, academics, professionals, practitioners, and PhD students.

### **Submission Guidelines:**

- Manuscripts should be original and not previously published or under consideration elsewhere.
- If accepted, articles should run between 6-10K words and will be rigorously peer reviewed and subject to editorial approval before publication.
- To be considered, submit to **[racism.bycontext@oup.com](mailto:racism.bycontext@oup.com)** a single document including:

- An abstract of no more than 500 words
- A brief CV for each author
- Please give the subject line as: Abstract submission for [Academia and Education]

### **Key Dates:**

- Abstract Submission Deadline: **17 May 2025**
- Notification of Acceptance: **2 June 2025**
- Final Manuscript Due: **1 September 2025**

### **More about *Oxford Intersections: Racism by Context***

The lived experience of racism, for individuals and groups, involves the cumulative and connected impacts of racism operating from systemic and structural to overt and interpersonal levels across all social spheres, within contexts that carry the legacies of historical racism, often over centuries, and usually tightly interwoven with factors such as gender and class.

The *Racism by Context* Oxford Intersection explores this layered and multidimensional nature of racism through its structure of eleven linked sections, each of which focuses on racism in a particular sphere, each distinct but overlapping in scope with others and interdisciplinary in its content. We believe this is the first time such a systematic, integrated work exploring systemic, structural, and overt racism across social spheres has been attempted.

*Racism by Context* is not a handbook or an encyclopaedia; it consists of original research articles, of a similar length to journal articles but within a unique planned structure designed to utilize the digital medium to bring together all the intersecting and cross-connected aspects of a deeply interdisciplinary subject.

Accepted manuscripts will undergo a rigorous peer-review process to ensure academic standards and relevance to the overall ethos of the Intersections project. Please see more here: <https://academic.oup.com/oxford-intersections/pages/about>

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