

Book Reviewer Guidance

Thank you for agreeing to review a book for the journal. We hope this brief guide offers an overview of what we need from you. If you have any queries please email the Editorial Office isw@durham.ac.uk

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ISW Book Reviews publishes reviews of academic books in the fields of social work, social welfare and community development. Our aim is to share knowledge with our readers regarding books that have a strong comparative element, are about international social work, offer insights and evidence that is transferable between countries and raise issues of relevance to a wider readership.

Books received for review

Please see the book review website for a list of books available to review. Please consider the international and comparative dimensions of the book in question since the review is for an international audience. We would appreciate it if you could give a brief summary of the contents, focus on the qualities and relevance of the book to international social work and avoid introducing a large number of other references or additional material. You may wish to provide a critical overview of the book, given the short length of the review keep it brief and focused.

Instructions for Book Review Authors

When completing your review please bear in mind the following guidelines:

- Suggested word length is 500-800 words.
- Please include the title of the book, author of book, publisher's details and ISBN number in your review (and price if available).
- The review should be English.
- Please complete a contributor form for your book review otherwise we won't be able to publish your review on the website.
- Please return the review by email to isw@durham.ac.uk within 4 weeks of receiving the book.

We recognise it *is hard to meet deadlines but we need your support if the book review section of the journal is to be a vibrant and interesting one*. If at any stage you have difficulties meeting this 4 week deadline please let the Editorial Office know.

Thank you for agreeing to review this book, which is now yours to keep.