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Abstract [Times New Roman, 11 pt., Bold]

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Introduction [Times New Roman, 14 pt., Bold]

Length of the article must be 3000 to 7000 words, including figures, tables, and bibliography. The article should be prepared in English. The structure of the text of the article must generally have the following parts: Introduction, Methodology, Results, Discussion and/or Conclusions, References.

The introduction presents the problem and premise upon which the research was based. It goes into more detail about this problem than the abstract, justify the significance of the problem, provide an overview of previous research, and present the aim of the study. It can also include the theoretical framework, literature review etc., and can be titled differently accordingly to the topic.

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Subsections can be added in the Introduction part or any other part of the article. The size of the manuscript limits their applicability.

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The following table (see Table1) shows examples of the basic in-text citation styles.

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Author type	Parenthetical citation	Narrative citation
One author	(Luna, 2020)	Luna (2020)
Two authors	(Salas & D'Agostino, 2020)	Salas and D'Agostino (2020)
Three or more authors	(Martin et al., 2020)	Martin et al. (2020)
Group author with abbreviation		
First citation ^a	(National Institute of Mental Health [NIMH], 2020)	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH, 2020)
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Methodology [Sections - Times New Roman, 14 pt., Bold]

The Methodology section shows how the study was conducted. Be sure to describe the methods and procedures of sampling and data collection.

Results [Sections - Times New Roman, 14 pt., Bold]

The Results section summarizes the data. Use tables and figures to display the main results.

Table and figure design [Times New Roman, 12 pt., Bold]

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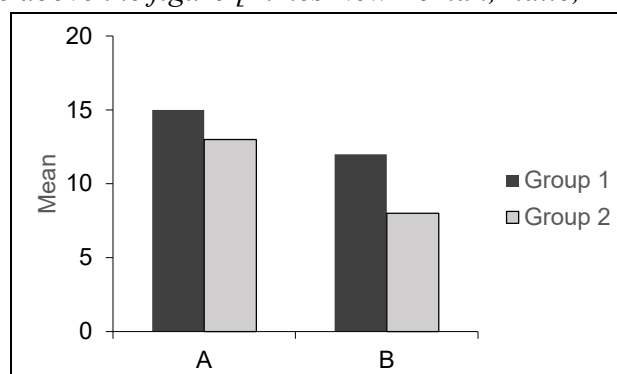
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Example:

Figure 1 [font Times New Roman, 12 pt., Bold]

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Note. If needed.

Table design example:

Table 1 [font Times New Roman, 12 pt., Bold]

Descriptive Statistics and Correlations for Study Variables [Times New Roman, Italic, 12 pt.]

Variable	<i>n</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>	1	2	3
1. Internal–external status ^a	3,697	0.43	0.49	—		
2. Manager job performance	2,134	3.14	0.62	−.08**	—	
3. Starting salary	3,697	1.01	0.27	.45**	−.01	—
4. Subsequent promotion	3,697	0.33	0.47	.08**	.07**	.04*
5. Organizational tenure	3,697	6.45	6.62	−.29**	.09**	.01
6. Unit service performance	3,505	85.00	6.98	−.25**	−.39**	.24**
7. Unit financial performance	694	42.61	5.86	.00	−.03	.12*

Note. A linear transformation was performed on the starting salary values to maintain pay practice confidentiality.

^a0 = internal hires and 1 = external hires.

* $p < .05$. ** $p < .01$

Discussion [Sections - Times New Roman, 14 pt., Bold]

The Discussion section is a chance to analyze and interpret your results. Draw conclusions and support how your data led to these conclusions. Discuss whether your hypothesis was confirmed or not supported by your results. Determine the limitations of the study and further steps for investigation.

Conclusions [Sections - Times New Roman, 14 pt., Bold]

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Include any grant/funding information if needed.

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