

## JOURNAL OF CRIME AND VIOLENCE

### Introduction

The Journal of Crime and Violence mainly provides a platform for publication and dissemination of policy crime research works of the National Crime Research Centre, its Governing Council members, internal researchers and external research resource persons and key stakeholders.

The successful implementation of the Journal is anchored on selection of reputable Advisory Board members. The selection criteria of these members was majorly based on:

Criteria category	Proposed name	Credentials and/or particulars
Selection of one (1) member of the NCRC Research and Development Committee to represent interests of the Governing Council.	Dr. Robinson Ocharo	- GC member - Sociologist, University of Nairobi. <a href="https://sociology.uonbi.ac.ke/">https://sociology.uonbi.ac.ke/</a>
Selection of three (3) scholarly members from institutions with a current MOU and working relationship with the Centre. The specific institutions are USIU-Africa, Rongo University and NACOSTI.	Prof. Fredrick Ogenga	- Professor of Communication and Media Studies, Rongo University. <a href="http://www.ruc.ac.ke/cmdps">www.ruc.ac.ke/cmdps</a>
	Prof. Kennedy Mkutu	- International Relations and Peace Studies, USIU <a href="https://www.usiu.ac.ke/">https://www.usiu.ac.ke/</a>
	Dr. Edwardina Ndhine	- National Commission for Science, Technology and Innovation, NACOSTI Headquarters, Nairobi. <a href="https://www.nacosti.go.ke/">https://www.nacosti.go.ke/</a>
Selection of two (2) international eminent scholars from outside Kenya so as to benefit from their international outlook.	Prof. Itaru Ohta	- Professor of African Studies, Centre for African Area Studies, Kyoto University. <a href="https://www.africa.kyoto-u.ac.jp/eng/">https://www.africa.kyoto-u.ac.jp/eng/</a>
	Prof. Stanislas Perry	- Senior Lecturer Community and Criminal Justice Department, De Montfort University. <a href="https://www.dmu.ac.uk/">https://www.dmu.ac.uk/</a>
Selection of one (1) independent and renowned non-public sector scholar from within the country who has	Dr. Mutuma Ruteere	- Expert on Security, Violence, Conflict and Justice Africa and

contributed in the activities of the Centre.		Globally, Centre for Human Rights and Policy Studies, Nairobi. <a href="https://www.chrips.or.ke/">https://www.chrips.or.ke/</a>
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The appointment of Editorial Board members for the Journal of Crime and Violence is as indicated below:

- i) Dr. Victoria Gioto - Chairperson, Senior Research Officer, NCRC
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1. Manuscripts submitted to the journal should be typed, double-spaced, font type and size to be Times New Roman 12.
2. Submission must be in electronic format, saved as MS Word or RTF attachment (not as PDF).
3. Abstracts should be not more than 400 words (1 page – single spaced)
4. Articles should be between 2,500 and 3,500 words (8 to 10 pages).
5. If copies of maps, charts and graphs are used, they should be provided in camera-ready form.
6. For style manual, use the APA or Harvard Reference System.
7. Authors should indicate their full name, address (including e-mail contact, fax and telephone), their position and academic status and their current institutional affiliation. This should appear on a separate cover page since manuscripts will be sent out anonymously to outside readers.
8. Manuscripts should be submitted via e-mail attachment to either the corresponding editor [victoriagioto@crimeresearch.go.ke](mailto:victoriagioto@crimeresearch.go.ke) or [vgioto@gmail.com](mailto:vgioto@gmail.com) or the editor responsible for a particular edition.

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7. "Roles of members of public in corruption"
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