Almagest Guidelines for Authors

LANGUAGES

The journal publishes articles in English and French.

ABSTRACT

All papers should include an abstract of 100-200 words.

FOOTNOTES

Footnotes should be used, not endnotes. Footnotes should be numbered consecutively throughout the text.

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General remarks:

- Authors are responsible for the completeness and accuracy of their references and citations.
- References should include complete page numbers for all articles in journals and edited volumes.
- When applicable, give numbers without "page" or "pg." or "p" in both the reference list at the end of the paper and in-text citations.

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Articles originally in languages other than English, etc.

Popov, M. A. (1948), "Title of article in the Original Language" ("Title of Article translated in the language of the paper"), *Journal Title in Latin transliteration* 12(4):468-596

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Jones, J. K. (1948), "Title of article", in Doe, J. E., and Smith, P. (eds.), *Title of Volume*. City: Publisher, 49-65.

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Popov, M. A. (1948), "Title of article in the original language" ("Title of Article translated in the language of the paper"), in Markov, A. K. (ed.), *Title of volume in the original language* (*Title of volume translated in the language of the paper*). City: Publisher, 49-65.

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Popov, M. A. (1953), "Title of the manuscript in the original language" ("Title of the manuscript in the language of the paper"). Manuscript number 125, Archives of Museum of Moscow History.

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