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Essays must be between 6000-8000 words in length. The style must conform strictly to the guidelines set out on the journal's website and be accompanied by the author's name, their contact details, and details of their institutional affiliation if applicable. For guidelines, please refer to <http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/authors/cparauth.asp>

**Please send entries (printed in English and as email attachments only) to
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