

Article types for *SKASE Journal of Translation and Interpretation*

Articles in the domain of Translation and Interpretation can be classified into different types. *SKASE Journal of Translation and Interpretation* publishes articles of the following types:

- theoretical article
- experimental article
- case study
- book review

Theoretical articles take a theory as their point of departure. We understand *theory* as a systematic description of a model explaining certain observations in the outside world. An alternative interpretation of *theory* takes any reflection on practical work to be theoretical. This is not our view. In a theoretical article, it must be made clear what is explained and how it is explained.

Experimental articles describe an experiment in order to find the answer to a research question. The structure of an experimental article follows a preset pattern. First, the question is described and it is explained why this question is important. Second, an overview of the relevant literature is given. Third, the set-up of the experiment is described. Fourth, the results of the experiment are presented and discussed. Finally, the conclusion makes it clear to what extent and how the research question was answered by the experimental results.

Case studies discuss a particular aspect of a translation in view of one or more relevant theories. A case study is different from a translation commentary. Translation commentaries motivate decisions that were taken in translating a text. Although the focus of a case study is a particular translation, the scope is not whatever comes up in that translation. We do not publish translation commentaries. A good case study starts from the translation phenomenon to be studied and motivates the selection of one or more translations for the study of this phenomenon. The phenomenon is discussed in terms of one or more theories and a summary is given of what these theories say about the phenomenon. Other phenomena that occur in the translation are not included in the scope of the article. The conclusion

of a case study evaluates the theories taken as a basis for the analysis in view of the translation selected as an example.

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