



Call for applications

Associate Editor Mentorship opportunity

in the field of

Engineering & Technology

The *South African Journal of Science* is a diamond open access, multidisciplinary journal published bimonthly by the Academy of Science of South Africa (ASSAf). The Journal's mandate is to publish original research with an interdisciplinary and regional Africa focus and to provide a forum for discussion of news and developments in research and higher education.

As a multidisciplinary journal, the Journal's editorial board is composed of ten, part-time, discipline-specific Associate Editors who are responsible for managing the peer review of submissions in their portfolios.

The *South African Journal of Science* is offering a one-year mentoring opportunity for an early career researcher to gain valuable editorial experience working with an Associate Editor and the editorial office. The opportunity is open to **emerging researchers with a PhD** in the field of **Engineering & Technology**. Candidates should have a publication record and some review experience, but little or no editorial experience.

Applications should be submitted to sajs@assaf.org.za and must include:

- A CV including a list of published papers
- Names and contact details of three references
- A motivation detailing your suitability as a candidate, your aspirations for the *South African Journal of Science*, your understanding of the roles of reviewers and editors, and your expectations of the mentorship

The mentorship is an unpaid, part-time position and can be accomplished as part of current academic responsibilities. Candidates should be based in Africa, with preference given to those based in South Africa.

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Closing date for applications: **29 August 2025**