

Laberinto Journal
Style Guide

Laberinto Journal accepts academic articles and book reviews in English, Spanish, and Portuguese. When submitting an article or review, please ensure the following:

- Use Times New Roman 12 font for both the body of the paper and footnotes.
- Double space your submission.
- Indent ½ inch for each new paragraph. Do not add an additional hard return before each new paragraph.
- Use endnotes, not footnotes.
- To ensure double blind peer review, please be sure that your name does not appear in the article, even in footnotes. If citing yourself, add the citation to the note or works cited after your article is accepted.
- Use Modern Language Association (MLA) 7th **edition** for in-text citations and works cited.
- Titles of texts should be in *italics* not underlined.
- Stressed language should be in *italics* not **bold**.
- All foreign language words should be in *italics*.
- When citing *Don Quixote* in-text, please reflect the following in parentheses:
 - book (using roman numerals followed by a comma),
 - chapter number (followed by a semicolon), and
 - page number.
 - Example: Book I, Chapter 18; page 129 will appear as (I, 18; 129).
- The possessive of Cervantes should be “Cervantes’s” (not Cervantes’)
- Please use quotation marks “ ” and not « ».
- Quotations within a quote use single quotation marks ‘ ’.
- For English-language essays, periods and commas go inside quotation marks: “quote.”
- For Spanish and Portuguese essays, periods and commas go outside quotation marks: “cita”.
- When using subheaders, please use **bold**, not *italics*
- When quoted text takes up more than four lines, indent it in a block citation without quotation marks.
- Indent block citations by .5 inch
- The period at the end of the last sentence of a block citation goes before the parenthetical page citation. Example:

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Note that there are no quotation marks.

- Hyperlink your links in the body of the text and in footnotes, but not in Works Cited.