

## Inviting Manuscript for the Special Issue

The Young Earth Scientists (YES) Network is an international association of early-career geoscientists who are primarily under the age of 35 years or 10 years of completion of doctorate degree; and are from universities, geoscience organizations and companies from across the world. The YES Network was formed as a result of the International Year of Planet Earth (IYPE) in 2007 to become an affiliated organization of IUGS. The YES Network aims to establish an interdisciplinary global network of individuals committed to solve the scientific challenges, and furthering the IYPE motto of “Earth Sciences for Society”. The network has completed a decade in 2019 with many scientific outcomes around the globe. With so little experience, , YES has successfully proved its scientific excellence in terms of YES Bulletin, Newsletters and YES Basic Earth science book for secondary level of students to spread awareness and diversifying the Earth Science Subject.

The first YES congress meeting was held in 2009 at the China University of Geosciences in Beijing in collaboration with the IYPE and under the patronage of UNESCO. Since then YES has emerged as a major body of IGC (International Geological Congress) with several congress meeting in Australia (2012), Tanzania (2014), and Iran (2017) with several regional YES meetings at different countries. YES has come up with a special issue in Journal of African Earth sciences supported by Geological Society of Africa, after its 4<sup>th</sup> Congress in Tanzania in 2014. The 5<sup>th</sup> YES congress meeting was held at Freie University, Berlin, Germany in 2019. The 6<sup>th</sup> YES Congress, to be held under the umbrella of 36<sup>th</sup> IGC, New Delhi, India will prove to be a new beginning for YES Network in globe. The main theme of the Congress is **“Breaking Boundaries – Unifying Geosciences”** .




This special issue with Geoscience Journal will help in increasing awareness of the global issues connecting the geosciences and society, bridging the gap, and establishing their academic and professional relationships. YES Network helps in connecting young earth scientists from around the globe to create an interdisciplinary environment. The theme of the Special Issue is : ***Young Earth Scientists Network: A decade of Action.***

This theme is based on Global Integration of YES Network members showcasing this very special Decade of contribution of Young Earth Scientists Network, to Geosciences research for Society (2009-2019)

## About the Journal

The Series Geological Correlation (SCG) is a publication edited by the Institute of Geological Correlation (INSUGEO) under the National University of Tucuman and the National Council of Scientific and Technical Research (UNT - CONICET). The main purpose of it is the dissemination of scientific papers related to Earth Sciences, including aspects such as stratigraphy, mining, hydrogeology, petrology and paleontology among others. For more details, visit <http://www.insugeo.org.ar/scg/informacion-general.php>

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All manuscripts sent to this special issue must contain at the title "**YES SI**" to be included correctly at the same volume. We are inviting scientific manuscripts on varied topics of Earth Science. Preference will be given to Young students with a brilliant idea and work in the field of Earth Science Research. Originality of the manuscript and data need to be assured. The manuscript will be accepted after being peer reviewed from the Reviewers, Guest Editors and Editor-in-Chief. Final decision regarding the acceptance and non-acceptance of the manuscript lies with the Journal.

The average timeline for Special Issue publication are provided below:

| <b>Schedule</b>                                  | <b>Time required</b>       | <b>Date of start</b>                              | <b>Deadline</b>          |
|--|----------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| <b>Paper submission</b>                          | <i>2-3 months</i>          | <i>September 15, 2020</i>                         | <i>December 01, 2020</i> |
| <b>Reviewing process and revision submission</b> | <i>3-4 months</i>          | <i>December 01, 2020</i>                          | <i>April 15, 2021</i>    |
| <b>Production process (online publication)</b>   | <i>2 months</i>            | <i>April 15, 2021</i>                             | <i>June 15, 2021</i>     |
| <b>Final publication</b>                         | <i>1 month</i>             | <i>June 15, 2021</i>                              | <i>July 15, 2021</i>     |
| <b>Total</b>                                     | <b><i>11-12 months</i></b> | <b><i>September 15, 2020 to July 15, 2021</i></b> |                          |

**!!! Submit your article before December 01, 2020 !!!**

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**Title** . It must be written in bold capital and lowercase letters, justified to the left. It should be short, clear and informative.

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**Total number of pages**: Including text and references, illustrations, tables, etc.

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- Books:  
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Be, JL, Ce, M. and Ele, TA 1980. Macroflora du Crétacé de l'Espagne. In: P. Taquet (ed.), *Ecosystèmes continentaux du Mésozoïque, Mémoires de la Société Géologique de France*, 139: 5-9.
- Unpublished  
Be, JL, Ae, NS and Ele, TA 1983. *Paleobotany and the evolution of plants*. Cambridge University Press. Cambridge, 405 pp.  
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