

# **HOW TO DISCLOSURE WITH THE CONVERSATION**

### 1. Creating a profile:

- Access <a href="https://theconversation.com/es">https://theconversation.com/es</a>
- Click on the "Register as Author" option (top right of the screen)
- Fill out the form following the instructions



The email must be the UdG corporate email (xxxx.xxxx@udg.edu)

## 2. Aspects to take into account about the publication

- They must be informative scientific articles. Articles must be supported by scientific evidence and studies carried out. They cannot be opinion articles.
- Area of specialization: The article must belong to the same area of research where the researcher provides his or her services at the UdG. That is, a researcher from the Political Science Research Group will not be able to publish an article on the effect of drought on Mediterranean ecosystems, even if they are informed on the subject.
- It will be necessary to select the research field to which the article belongs. The author will have to choose between one of the following 7 areas: Science and Technology, Culture, Economy, Education, Medicine and Health, Environment and Energy or Politics and Society. This choice will allow us to assign an editor more specialized in the topic.
- The articles will be published in the edition of The Conversation Spain. The Conversation disseminates throughout the world through 13 publishers from different geographical areas. The UdG has signed an agreement with The Conversation Spain, therefore, the articles of our researchers will be published in Spanish for this publishing house (which has an international scope, since, apart from the Spanish state, it also encompasses all Spanish-speaking countries). Once published in The Conversation Spain, other publishers can also republish the article if they find it appropriate (such as The Conversation Europe or The Conversation Global).
- The final text will be an article of about 800 to 1000 words. The editors of The Conversation will give you all the necessary support to be able to summarize your study within this margin.
- You can add your own audiovisual resources. The Conversation has a large bank of images that are used to shape the articles. However, if the author has their own images or videos, they can also be added.



## 3. Possible ways to make a publication proposal:

#### a) The researcher sends the request to the UdG Communication Area

You can send your publication requests to comunicacio@udg.edu or adria.soler@udg.edu, where we will advise you on how to proceed to publish with The Conversation and answer any questions you may have.

You will have to send us a title and a summary of about 5-6 lines explaining what the article is about. From the Communication Area we will forward your request to the editors of The Conversation, who will contact you within a maximum period of 15 days.

#### b) The researcher sends his proposal to The Conversation website

Once you have registered as an author on The Conversation website, you must click on the "Propose it to us" option, located on the right side of the screen.

Fill in the different fields requested (Title, summary, relevance in time, scope...).

Finally, The Conversation editors will contact you within a maximum period of 15 days to inform you whether your request has been accepted or not.

If you have been accepted, they will explain how to start writing the article.

#### c) The Conversation contacts the UdG Communication Area

The Conversation searches for articles that UdG researchers have previously published. If you find something of interest, you can contact the Communication Area of the UdG, who will provide you with the contact information of the researcher who carried out the study so that you can discuss the possibility of sharing it in The Conversation.

#### d) The Conversation proposes a topic to a UdG researcher

From The Conversation they can contact researchers who have already collaborated with them to make proposals for possible topics that they find of special relevance.

#### e) UdG shares a recent article to The Conversation

From the Communication Area we publish articles by our researchers on the main website of the University every day and, in many cases, we also send them to the media so that they can also publish them. If we believe that the article may fit on The Conversation platform, we will also send it to them so that they can consider the possibility of sharing it.

