

CALL FOR PAPERS

Multiple Methods for Novice Researchers

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The *International Journal of Multiple Research Approaches* (ISSN 1834-0806) is dedicating a special issue to Mixed Methods for Novice Researchers in 2007. The Editors invite contributions which will include papers on: philosophies underpinning the use of multiple methods; examples of studies which have trialled a multiplicity of approaches; and problems and issues in combining various innovative approaches.

Work may be submitted – in the format of a case study, literature review, research note or research article – for the following parts:

Section 1: Underpinning philosophies in multiple approaches; conflict or compatibility?

- § Quantitative vs qualitative
- § Within qualitative approaches
- § Within quantitative approaches
- § Within cultures

Section 2: Multiple approaches in empirical studies

Examples of studies using multiple approaches which have attempted diverse:

- § Sampling strategies
- § Locations
- § Data sets
- § Sequencing of data sets
- § Integration of data sets
- § Presentation of data sets

Section 3: Problems and issues in design and implementation of studies with multiple approaches

- § Ethical issues
- § Design issues
- § Analytical issues
- § Display issues

Each section will include an invited Editorial of about 1000 words and 3-4 articles of 4000-6000 words. Enquiries may be directed to the Editor in Chief:

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