

Section Editor Evaluation Form

The African Nexus Quarterly

Section Editor Manuscript Assessment Form

Manuscript ID: _____

Manuscript Title: _____

Date Assigned: _____

Section Editor: _____

1. Manuscript Scope and Relevance

- ☐ Fits journal's aims and scope
- ☐ Partially fits journal's scope (explain)
- ☐ Does not fit

Comments:

2. Academic Quality

- Originality: ☐ High ☐ Moderate ☐ Low
- Contribution to knowledge: ☐ Significant ☐ Somewhat ☐ Minimal
- Methodological rigor: ☐ Strong ☐ Adequate ☐ Weak

Comments:

3. Ethical Considerations

- ☐ No issues detected
- ☐ Possible plagiarism (explain)
- ☐ Other ethical concerns

Comments:

4. Recommendation (before peer review)

- ☐ Send to reviewers
- ☐ Request revisions before review
- ☐ Reject (out of scope / insufficient quality)

Section Editor's Summary Report (to Editor-in-Chief and Author):

Signature / Name: _____

Date: _____