

***OLHJ* Special Collections Application Form**

If you would like to apply to edit a Special Collection for the *Open Library of Humanities* journal (*OLHJ*), please read our Info Sheet on *OLHJ* Special Collections before completing this form, which can be found here: <https://olh.openlibhums.org/site/special-collections/>

Name and Institutional Affiliation(s) of Editor(s):

Title of Special Collection:

Disciplinary Area(s) or Field(s) Covered:

Rationale for the Special Collection (max 1,000 words):

*Please give your reasons for wishing to edit this special collection. You should include information concerning:*

* *the originality of the proposed collection, and current scholarship in the field or in cognate disciplinary areas;*
* *an indication of the demand for a collection on this topic;*
* *The names of any academic colleagues whom you anticipate will submit articles to the collection, or those you plan to contact to encourage submissions.*

Rationale for choosing *OLHJ* (max 300 words):

*Please indicate why you think the proposed Special Collection fits with our scope and/or open access mission.*

Proposed number of papers and planned timeline, including indicative submission deadline:

*N.B: As a solely online open access publisher, we publish articles on a rolling basis and there is technically no upper limit to the number of articles within a collection. However, as a very rough guide, a Special Collection can typically include 6-10 articles and it takes approximately a year for all of a collection’s articles to progress from submission to publication. However, articles that complete the publication process sooner than this can go live as soon as they are ready.*

Please indicate how you heard about *OLHJ* and/or the Open Library of Humanities:

*Please send this completed OLHJ Special Collection Application Form, together with the CV(s) of all editor(s) involved in the application, to OLH Editorial Officer,
Dr Simon Everett:* *simon.everett@openlibhums.org*