

Guide for Contributors

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We regularly invite scholars and experts from think tanks, universities and research institutes, based in India and abroad, to write for our website.

Before you submit

- You may peruse our previous articles to understand the topics that we address as well as the analysis and argument structure used in our publications.
- Please ensure that, when applicable, your contribution has a news peg (defence/strategic event, global summit, political speech, etc.). This helps us offer timely analysis of an issue to the reader.

Editorial Guidelines

- Our articles have a word count of **850 words**, and blogs **450 words**.
- The thesis of the article is to be stated upfront, preferably in the first two paragraphs. The second paragraph is usually the *nut graph* i.e. the core argument.
- Our editorial team will review contributions for content before editing them for grammar and style.
- A typical editorial cycle takes three or four days from the date of submission. This process can involve several reviews with the author. The review and editing process is thorough. Please allocate adequate time for multiple versions, questions and correspondence.
- It is the discretion of Gateway House to convert commissioned articles into blogs, and vice versa, or reject contributions. The author will be informed.

Submission Guidelines

- Gateway House has a wide range of readership. Please use language that is accessible to all and avoid using industry-specific jargon and abbreviations. If necessary, include explanations and full forms where possible.
- Gateway House's referencing style is a derivative of the Chicago Manual of Style.
- Kindly [cite](#) all relevant sources and references using footnotes.
- Please use only primary sources, where able, to preserve the legitimacy of your article. No media sources please.
- Gateway House will not tolerate plagiarism. This includes using the exact words and/or ideas from other authors and articles without attributing them.
- Please send a three- or four-line bio, which states your current designation and expertise.
- All articles and blogs must be original and exclusive to Gateway House, contributions found to be published elsewhere will be automatically rejected.
- Submissions must be sent in as Microsoft Word attachments to website@gatewayhouse.in. The entire editorial process will be carried out on this platform.



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Our articles are published through the week, with new content being included in our Weekly Briefing, which is sent out every Thursday, to a global audience comprising of Gateway House members, business leaders, diplomats, government officials, scholars, journalists and students in India and abroad.

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