

## A GUIDE TO SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS

To write an effective and credible scientific paper, you must only use good journals in your references. Good journals mean that they are peer-reviewed and have scholarly articles that publish frontier research in their respective fields. However, for students who do not have a lot of experience writing scientific papers, it might be difficult to discern good journals from the bad. To address this issue, you can use the ABS Academic Journal Guide to help you find relevant and trustworthy scientific sources. This guide compiles and ranks journals according to their quality and contribution. Students can use articles from any journal that has a grade of 3 and above from ABS Academic Journal Guide.

Link to the ABS Academic Journal Guide:

<https://facultystaff.richmond.edu/~tmattson/AJG%202018%20Journal%20Guide.pdf>

As an overview, the following Journals have a three or higher grade according to ABS 2018 for the fields of Management, Entrepreneurship, Innovation, and International Business:

- Academy of Management Journal
- Academy of Management Review
- Administrative Science Quarterly
- Entrepreneurship, Theory and Practice
- Journal of Business Venturing
- Journal of International Business Studies
- Journal of Management

- Journal of World Business
- Management Science
- Operations Research
- Organization Science
- Research Policy
- Strategic Entrepreneurship Journal

As a guideline for scientific paper writing, we further recommend the paper by Barney (2018): Editor's comments: Positioning a theory paper for publication. In: *Academy of Management Review*, 43(3), pp. 345–348.