

Studia Theologica Transsylvaniensia

Style Sheet

Profile	Peer-reviewed, open-access theological journal
Languages	Hungarian and English

1. Submission Types and Length

- Research Article: up to 8,000 words.
- Review: up to 3,000 words.

2. Required Data

- For Research Articles: author name, affiliation (institution, city, country), ORCID, English title, English abstract, and English keywords.
- For Reviews: the full bibliographic details of the reviewed work are also required.

3. Format

- The manuscript must be submitted as a single .docx (Microsoft Word) file.
- Main text: Times New Roman, 12 pt, 1.15 line spacing.
- Footnotes: Times New Roman, 10 pt, 1.15 line spacing.
- For Hebrew, Greek, and other non-Latin scripts, please use Unicode-compatible fonts.
- Do not use boldface, underlining, or expanded letter spacing for emphasis in the running text; where appropriate, use italics.

4. Manuscript Structure

- Research Article: title; author name(s); affiliation(s); ORCID; English title; English abstract; English keywords; introduction; structured main text; conclusions; relevant statements; bibliography.
- Review: title; author; affiliation; ORCID; bibliographic details of the reviewed work; review text.

5. Pre-submission checklist

- The manuscript is the authors' original work; it has not been published previously and is not under consideration elsewhere.
- The manuscript falls within the journal's scope and meets the requirements of the selected section.
- The manuscript complies with publication ethics standards; all relevant funding, conflicts of interest, and required permissions have been disclosed.
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- The manuscript complies with the journal's formatting, language, and referencing requirements.
- Any non-routine use of generative AI has been disclosed in the manuscript; the authors remain fully responsible for the submitted content.
- All listed authors have made a substantial scholarly contribution to the work and have approved the submitted version.

6. Referencing

- All references must be given in footnotes; do not use endnotes or in-text citations.
- Biblical references should appear in the main text.
- Footnotes must follow an *author-date system*. For specific passages, the page number follows the publication year after a colon; multiple references are separated by semicolons.

	Sample
Citation of a single work	Greshake 1997.
Citation of a single work with page reference	Sáry 2023: 23–50.
Citation of multiple works	Kratz 1999; Erdő 2023: 139–150.
Citation of a two-author work	King & Stager 2001: 22-25, 46–50.
Citation of a three-author work	Evans, Lohr & Petersen 2001: 22–25, 46–50.
Citation integrated into running text	Kratz (1999: 591) and King & Stager (2001: 47) note that ...

7. Reference List

- The Reference List must include all works cited in the footnotes.
- Where available, DOI information must also be provided.

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Book, one author	Rózsa, Huba. 1986. <i>Az Ószövetség keletkezése: Bevezetés az Ószövetség könyveinek irodalom- és hagyománytörténetébe</i> . Budapest: Szent István Társulat.
Book, two or more authors/editors	King, Philip J., & Lawrence E. Stager. 2001. <i>Life in Biblical Israel</i> . Louisville: Westminster John Knox. Evans, Craig E., Joel N. Lohr, & David L. Petersen (eds). 2012. <i>The Book of Genesis: Composition, Reception, and Interpretation</i> . Supplements to Vetus Testamentum 152. Leiden: Brill. Scott, Bernard Brandon, et al. 1993. <i>Reading New Testament Greek</i> . Peabody, MA: Hendrickson.
Chapter in edited volume	Erdő, Péter. 2023. A szinodalitás mint a teokrácia egyik megjelenési formája az Egyház alkotmányában. In Attila Puskás & Máté Gárdonyi (eds), <i>Szinodalitás az egyház életében és missziójában: Teológiai tanulmányok</i> , 139–150. Varia Theologica 14. Budapest: Szent István Társulat.
Journal article	Sáry, Pál. 2023. Az abortusz megítélése az ókeresztény korban. <i>Studia Theologica Transsylvaniaensia</i> 26: 23–50. https://doi.org/10.52258/stthtr.2023.02 .
Encyclopedia entry	Kratz, Reinhard G. 1999. Apokalyptik II: AT. In <i>Religion in Geschichte und Gegenwart</i> 4: 591–592.
Classical work (original and translation)	Augustinus. <i>De Civitate Dei</i> . In J.-P. Migne (ed), <i>Patrologia Latina</i> 41. Paris, 1864. Augustine. 1931. <i>The City of God</i> . John Healey (trans). New York: Dutton.
Ecclesiastical document (original and translation)	Franciscus, papa. 2022. Litterae apostolicae <i>Desiderio Desideravi</i> (2022.06.29). <i>Acta Apostolicae Sedis</i> CXIV (7): 799–825. Ferenc, pápa. 2023. <i>Vágyva vágytam</i> kezdetű apostoli levél (2022.06.29). Endre Tözsér (trans). <i>Pápai megnyilatkozások</i> . Budapest: Szent István Társulat.
Archival document	Batthyány, Ignác. 1783. Templomszentelési beszéd Farkaslakán. Fond: Személyi hagyaték, VI/19, 1. doboz. Gyulafehérvár: Érseki Levéltár.
Dissertation/Thesis	Faragó, István. 2025. A nonverbális kommunikáció a szentmise úrfelmutatási szertartásában. PhD diss. Cluj-Napoca: Babeş-Bolyai University.
Website	Segal, Eliezer. 2024. Széder Salamonnal. Online: https://bibliakultura.blog.hu/2024/04/15/szeder_686 (2025.09.23).

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