



## Template for Article Submission

### TITLE AND TEASERS

- Please suggest a title, maximum ten words. Final title will be decided by the OGR editorial team.
- Teasers are decided by the OGR editorial team to maximize SEO potential, but you are welcome to make suggestions.

### INTRODUCTION

- Try to construct a compelling opening sentence.
- State the problem, state your main argument, and make a case for why readers should care about this issue. Please ensure that the connection to human rights will be clear to readers.
- Place the most important information at the top – remember this is a journalistic article, not an academic piece.
- Questions to consider: Why should readers care about this issue, and why now? What is the most important aspect of this problem that readers must understand?
- Avoid academic language or jargon. Explain all acronyms.

### ARTICLE BODY

- Use a clear topic sentence for each paragraph. Keep paragraphs short.
- Whenever possible, use examples to support your point. You must show evidence for your argument.
- Do not assume readers are familiar with your topic. Provide necessary background information.
- Please insert or provide hyperlinks to open sources whenever possible, but do not assume that readers will read the linked articles. We do not publish footnotes or endnotes.
- Avoid one-sentence paragraphs whenever possible.
- Please consider translation needs and avoid complex language and/or overly long sentences.
- Questions to consider: What are the main obstacles to resolving/improving this issue? What has been done, and why has it worked (or not)? Are there lessons learned/good practices? What could be done, and are the challenges of implantation? What is the potential backlash for activists working to improve this issue?

### CONCLUSION

- Keep your conclusion to one short paragraph that sums up your main idea and argument. Do not introduce new information in the conclusion. Try to end with a clear, memorable sentence.