Fascism: Journal of Comparative Fascist Studies is looking for a new Editor in Chief.

**Deadline: 31 March 2022**

*Fascism: Journal of Comparative Fascist Studies* is a leading peer reviewed journal published by Brill, in cooperation with NIOD Institute for War, Holocaust and Genocide Studies (Amsterdam), and supported and supported by the International Association for Comparative Fascism Studies (COMFAS). It was founded in 2012 and has developed an international reputation as a principal outlet for open access peer-reviewed articles related to the academic study of fascism.

*Fascism* now seeks a new Editor in Chief to continue the growth and development of the journal. This position is particularly suited to either an experienced scholar with a proven publishing record in comparative fascist studies, or a less established but ambitious scholar working in this field seeking to further develop their profile and international recognition.

The Editor in Chief will serve an initial four-year term, which may be renewed. The position will be supported by two Managing Editors, a Reviews and Social Media Editor and a wider Editorial Board and Consultant Editors. The Editor in Chief position will include the following roles:

- Offer distinct intellectual leadership and direction to the journal, and continue to develop its position as the leading publication focused on the academic study of fascism
- Solicit and acquire suitable papers for the journal and invite colleagues of high academic standing to contribute
- Be responsible for timely in-flow of manuscripts sufficient to fill the journal's annual publication schedules
- Develop effective strategies to improve inclusiveness and diversity in this field of study
- Work alongside the Managing Editors to coordinate the peer review process and be responsible for continued high academic standards
- Work with the International Association for Comparative Fascism Studies (COMFAS) to develop the journal's reach and relevance
- Work with the wider editorial team, including the Reviews and Social Media Editor and the Consultant Editors, to enhance the overall reputation and profile of the journal
- Promote the journal at conferences and events

**Person specification**
Applicants for this position will need to demonstrate the following skills and qualities:

- An international reputation within the field of fascism studies and a track record of relevant publications
- Prominence within a network of relevant academics
- Experience of working on collaborative projects with others in leadership roles
- Experience of reviewing journal articles, book proposals and / or research project proposals
- Ability to work to tight deadlines and manage a range of responsibilities
- While ability to copyedit material to a high standard of academic English is desirable this is not an essential requirement

**Application process:**
To apply, candidates are asked to send a two-page covering letter and a two-page curriculum vitae with relevant publications and achievements to: fascismjournal@niod.knaw.nl

If you have any questions about the role, please contact Prof. Paul Jackson: paul.jackson@northampton.ac.uk

Covering letters must: outline a vision for the journal, set out what an ‘ideal’ edition of the journal would look like and why, explain what the applicant considers to be their most important skills and finally offer thoughts on how the journal can improve inclusivity and diversity.

We aim to appoint the most suitable applicant and may ask those shortlisted to interview for this position. We welcome applications from all cultural backgrounds, genders, faiths, and ages.

**Applications must be submitted by 31 March 2022.**