

## A CALL FOR SHORT ARTICLES

**I**n this issue of *AUSS* we are pleased to introduce a new feature: short articles. In the future such articles may vary in length from one page up to the length of a full-sized article. A number of advantages to inclusion of such articles readily come to mind. First, increased flexibility means that the length of an article can more easily correlate with the nature of its topic. Second, a compact, high-quality article can get more “bang for the buck” by focusing on the author’s innovation, without taking up a lot of space for yet another recital of interpretation history that is readily available elsewhere. Third, more writers can contribute a greater variety of articles. Fourth, due to the three factors just mentioned, short articles are efficient vehicles for valuable discussions/debates that might continue through successive issues of the journal.

**R**eaders are invited to submit original research articles of any length from a single page to the more traditional length of twenty to thirty pages. Those who may have considered writing for *AUSS* now have the opportunity of crafting an exquisite gem as brief as a single page.

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