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1. ABOUT INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL ON CONSUMER LAW AND PRACTICE (IJCLP)

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2. TIMELINE FOR SUBMISSION

The submissions for the journal are accepted on a rolling basis round the year. However the last date for submission of the paper for Vol. XII, 2024, is 31st March 2024.

3. SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

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Themes:

- Empowering Consumers through clean energy transitions
- Protect Consumers in Food crisis now and in future
- Consumer Journeys in digital finance with Mobile Money
- Consumer voices in the G20
- Consumer Protection Combating Greenwashing
- Electronic Enforcement of Consumer Law
- Durability and right to repair: A Consumer Right
- Digital Future: Building trusted E-Commerce & Generative AI

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Word limit:

- Articles including abstract (6,000-8,000 words inclusive of footnotes).
- Case Comment, Legislative Briefs (2,500-3,000 words inclusive of footnotes).
- Book Review (2,000 words inclusive of footnotes).

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