# How to Submit News for
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- **Education, Training & Workforce**: new programs and workforce analysis

- **Industry**: nuclear business developments, contracts, mergers, new facilities, etc.
- **People**: hires, promotions, awards, obituaries, etc.

- **Recently Published**: Information about forthcoming and just-published books.

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- **Leaders**: high-level description of current work and goals by an industry leader (500–900 words)
- **Opinion**: informed opinion on nuclear technology and its applications (500–1,000 words)

- **Nuclear Legacy**: brief career reflection from long-time ANS member (300–500 words)
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- **Short Courses** are listed only once, from one to four months in advance of the course date.
- **Calls for Papers** are listed only once, when received. (Send to csalvato@ans.org).

# How to Submit Feature Articles

Articles and photo features of general interest to nuclear professionals—on industry trends, significant concepts, new or upgraded technology, historical overviews, lessons learned, or operating experience—will be considered for publication in *Nuclear News*. Feature articles vary in length; most are 1,500–3,000 words. See Steps 1–4 below if you have an article to submit. If you want to propose an article that hasn't been written, save time by first sending a detailed email to rmichal@ans.org describing the article's topic, scope, and perspective. (Note: *Nuclear News* will not publish promotional copy as a feature article. Promotional copy can be run as paid Sponsored Content. For more information on Sponsored Content visit ans.org/advertising, email advertising@ans.org, or call 8226-579-708.)

**STEP1:** Review the information below about accuracy, style, and other important details.

**STEP 2:** Email the text of your article to rmichal@ans.org. Send the article as a Word document without graphics, tables, figures, or photos embedded in the document. Email those items separately. Please send your final article—do not send a preliminary draft.

**STEP 3:** We will review the article. If it's a good fit for *Nuclear News*, we'll edit it for content, structure, and style, and then email the revised article to the author for review, along with any questions and requests for clarification. The article will be finalized in communication with the author.

**STEP 4:** The article will be copyedited. Changes at this stage typically are minor and do not require review by the author. Substantive changes or questions will be discussed with the author.

## ACCURACY
You are responsible for accuracy, including names, titles, terms, dates, historical details, and technical information. Double-check everything. We look for errors but cannot always spot them.

## STYLE
- A magazine article is not like a journal monograph. We put a premium on readability—clear writing that is simple, direct, and interesting. Do not use overly technical language.
- Present your facts and ideas in a logical way to make it easy for the reader to follow your train of thought. Your most important points should be mentioned near the beginning.
- Where possible, give specific examples and include direct quotations.

## IMPORTANT DETAILS
- The final article must comply with our editorial needs and standards.
- The author (or lead author) will be asked to sign a Publication Agreement that grants *Nuclear News* the rights to publish the article in print and other media (digital, Web, etc.), and that also grants the author(s) certain usage rights.
- Papers presented at non-ANS meetings must be granted permission by the primary meeting organization for use in *Nuclear News.*

## Photo and graphics specifications

- **Photo specs**: Photos, figures, and graphics, whether for features, news items, or sponosored content, should be at least 300 dpi at the full size they are being used (e.g., if a photo is intended to be printed 3″ wide, it should be at least 900 pixels wide). Other specs:
    - We can accept just about any file format, but JPEG, EPS, or PDF are preferred.
    - Graphics that are created in vector programs like Adobe Illustrator can be sent as EPS or SVG.
    - Captions and credits should be supplied for all photos and graphics.