

# The IEP Journal

## About the Journal - Purpose



The IEP Journal exists to encourage the presentation of research and ideas, and thoughtful discussion between employability professionals. It aims to encourage contact between readers and authors and the sharing of good practice.

The Journal will include matters of immediate concern, to employability professionals, and will encourage wider dissemination and discussion of presentations at IEP events.

### Audience / Readership

The IEPJ seeks to reach all employability professionals; foremost IEP members, we also welcome wider contributions and readership in the UK and internationally.

Publication will be digital, in pdf form, and will be suitable for on-screen reading or reader-download.

The Journal will appear three times a year. It will be free, not behind a paywall, on the IEP website and will require neither sign-up nor subscription.

### Contributions to the Journal

The IEPJ welcomes a wide variety of content.

Our focus is on enabling professionals to become better, well-informed practitioners, offering them reading on research, current policy priorities and operational good practice.

We do not intend to publish an academic peer-reviewed Journal. We welcome articles which take good-quality research and evaluation and present it in a way that can be applied by the readership in their daily practice and thoughtful reviews of current trends, policies and practices.

Opinion pieces that are well-founded in fact and explore possibilities and controversies are also welcome.

We reserve the right to edit contributions with these aims and our commitment to clarity and professionalism in mind.

### Letters to the Journal

Letters should always be under 300 words length, typically relevant to the Journal, or matters of current concern to IEP members. The IEPJ reserves the right to publish or to edit their content.

