



Call for Editor-in-Chief (PhD student)

Who are we?

The Netherlands American Studies Review (NASR) is the student journal of the Netherlands American Studies Association (NASA). The aim of our journal is to showcase excellent student work on North American history, politics, literature, culture, or society written at Dutch universities. See <http://www.netherlands-america.nl/nasa-review/> for more information.

Available position

NASR is edited by a committee of five editors (MSc/MA/PhD students), an editor-in-chief (PhD student), and an academic coordinator (senior academic). We are currently looking for a new editor-in-chief to lead the editorial committee from September 1, 2024. As editor-in-chief, you will be responsible for the publication of each issue. Tasks include organizing meetings, selecting papers for publication, editing papers, and coordinating a team of five student editors. You will also serve as a PhD Representative in the NASA board and keep the board up-to-date on the journal. The editor-in-chief works on a voluntary basis and can expect to spend approximately fifty hours on each issue, most of which will be done in the months of April-June (no. 1) and October-December (no 2.)

Requirements

- You are a **PhD student** in American Studies or a related field at a Dutch University (candidates starting their PhD training in September 2024 are eligible to apply)
- You have an **excellent command of the English language** and are familiar with the basic rules of academic writing
- You possess excellent **communication skills**
- You are **organized** and **detail-oriented**
- Some **editorial experience** is a plus, but not a requirement
- You are available in **May-June 2024** to join meetings of the editorial committee to gain familiarity with the position (1-2 meetings)

If you are interested in this position, please send an e-mail with your CV and a cover letter to our current editor-in-chief Christine Mertens at cm.mertens@roosevelt.nl before April 25, 2024. You can also reach out to her for any questions or further details.