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Guidelines for TSEG book reviews

The *Low Countries Journal of Social and Economic History* (TSEG) is a Dutch-Flemish quarterly publishing articles and book reviews in the wide scope of social and economic history. The journal has a special, but not exclusive, focus on national and international topics relevant for the Dutch-Flemish social and economic historical research community. Keywords are: economic growth, productivity, demography, trade, technology, institutions, power & (in)equality, group cultures, gender, ethnicity, ecology, entrepreneurship, labour & social movements.

TSEG invites scholars to publish book reviews on a regular basis. We are also open to outside offers of book reviews. The editors will take the final decision on publication.

1. A TSEG book review can be written in Dutch or English (British spelling).
2. A TSEG book review consists of 800 words maximum (plain text). In exceptional cases we allow more space. This has to be discussed and agreed upon with the editor in place.
3. Book reviews should be accessible by non-specialists and readers unfamiliar with the work and/or author reviewed. This requires a brief introduction of contents and avoidance of specialist language. Critical statements should always be corroborated by arguments.
4. The editors can ask for revisions if they feel the review is unbalanced, contains mistakes or is simply badly written. Minor changes can be made by editors without consultation of the reviewer.
5. The top of the review should contain: author, title (city of publication: publisher and year), number of pages, ISBN number.
6. At the bottom of the review the reviewer should mention his/her name, affiliation and email address. He/she should also add a postal address in order to receive a hardcopy of the issue containing the review (the address will not appear in the publication).
7. Editors maintain the right to reject reviews under all circumstances.