# Transcript of the video ‘Find the right journal for your article – Part Two’

So here we have part two on our series of videos on how to find the right journal for your article. What we have here is the Scimago page or SJR.

This is a journal ranking tool. It also helps us find journals by subject area and gives us Journal information that we need when we want to publish. To use this tool we can use the journal rankings tab, the country rankings tab or just search for what we want. So here I've got a search for art education.

There is a specific education journal we're trying to find but what this will also do is provide us a list of other journals that publish in the art education space. So if we look through here, we can see education journals artificial intelligence journals and education.

And other areas like this if we keep scrolling down, we'll start to see art and humanities in higher education and eventually, we find out Art Education journal. Click on that and we get a whole bunch of information.

So we can see that the journal is published in the UK and we can see the subject areas it's in. So this is important. Because it gives us a broader idea of where we can publish our paper.

So if we think our paper is in straight arts, we look in the art area. If we think it crosses over we can look at in the education area or we can look where the journals crossover like this one where we see both. We can also see who publishes it.

If we keep going down we can see some metrics about the journal we can see it's h-index we can see the ISSNs. We can see the coverage areas. We could also see the actual journal itself. So the information we need if we want to publish in this journal is here.

And we can also see the journal scope. So it's very important if you want to publish in a journal that the scope of the journal matches the nature and the subject area of your article.

If these don't meet up you're not going to get through. When we look here for the editorial guidelines for the journal we can see instructions for authors, the reviewers and how to contact the editorial office. It's very important you read these before you submit and make sure that you meet all the criteria before you hit that send button. The other things we can do with SJR Scimago is use these subject areas to find journals we want to publish in. Click on that button. We always get an ad. But what we have now is a list of the journals that are indexed sorry by Scimago that are in our subject area.

So all the journals we can see on this list and we can see this 588 of them are in the visual arts subject area. This doesn't mean they don't cross over into others. We can already see on the titles that they're going to cross over. There's medical one. There's psychology one and museum management curatorship one but they all have visual arts as part of the subject area, which means we can use this list work through it and find the right journal or the right area of journals for you to publish within.

We can then also see the quality we can also see if it's open access. So this one here is open access, it's Q1, based at Germany. We keep going down. We can see different areas and different stuff. So German archaeology, art education, so depending on what we're looking at we can find a title that looks right. We can then open up the scope, check if that's the right sort of scope and then check the editorial guidelines to see if it's a good place for us to publish.

That's basically how SJR works; very simple and we can narrow by different things so we can narrow visual arts journals by country, so we can see what's happening in the pacific region; and these are the Australian New Zealand pacific based visual arts journals. There aren't very many. But if you need to publish locally, it's very easy way to narrow your search.

Alright, so this end part two of our series of videos on how to find the right journal for your article.