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# Creating a New Electronic Journal: e-JEMED

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# 1 Motivation

The Electronic Journal of Evolutionary Modeling and Economic Dynamics (*e-JEMED*) has been created

- to foster the diffusion of knowledge in a very active domain;
- to guarantee the diffusion of the relevant information (including computer code and working software), without any physical constraints (page-volume);
- to orient this diffusion in accordance with the “open science” paradigm.
- to increase the publication speed of accepted articles (to eliminate these two years “forthcoming” periods);

International (European) editorial board.

## 2 Tools

Submission and evaluation over the WWW:

- Apache web server with *mod\_PHP*;
- *Ad hoc* PHP programs;
- MySQL database engine.

### 3 How does it work?

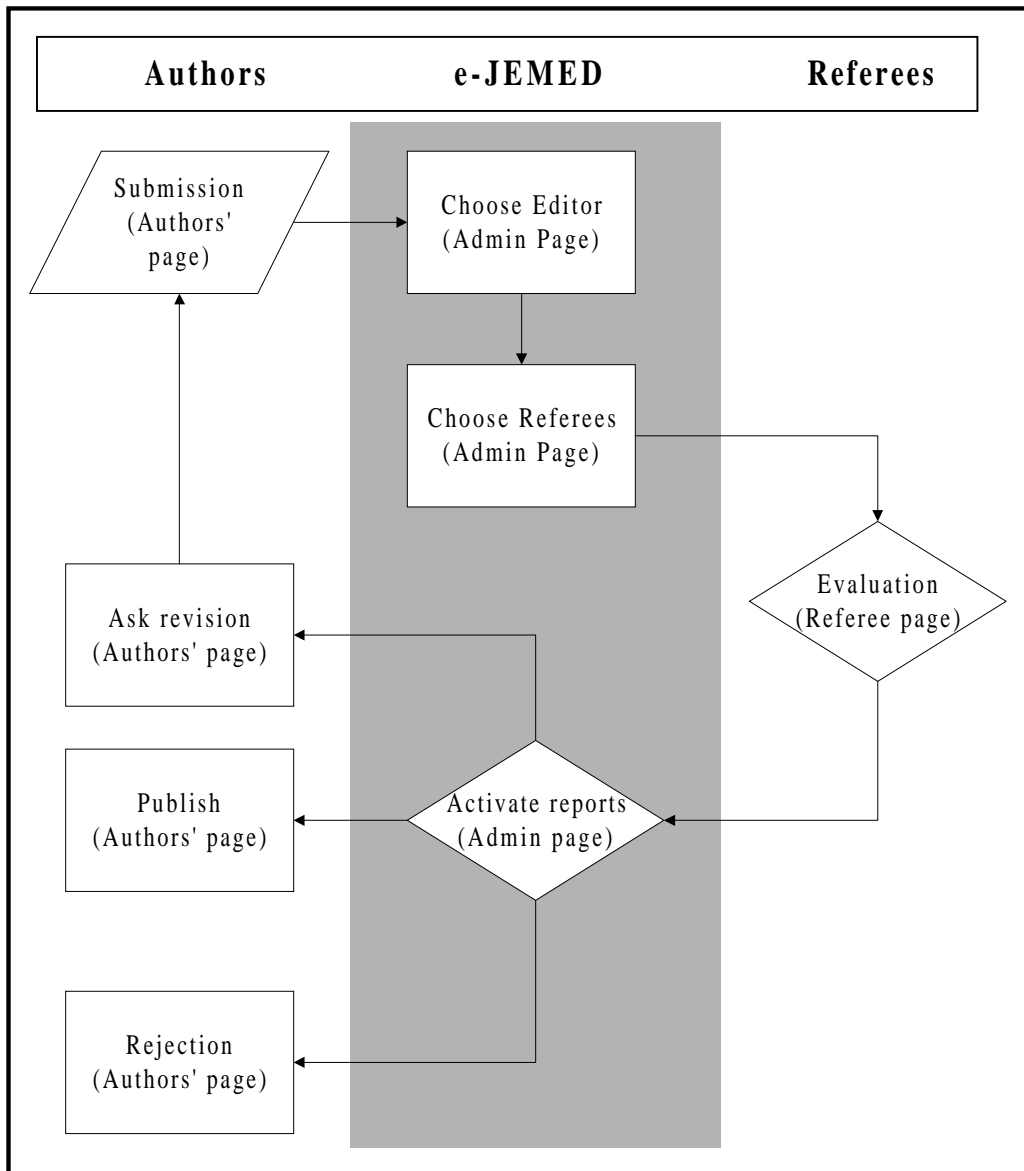


Figure 1: Publication cycle of e-JEMED

## 4 First steps

e-JEMED is on-line since September 15, 1999

10 articles has already been submitted:

- 2 has been refused;
- 8 are in the evaluation process.

## 5 Support

Actual budget: 0 Euro + many hours of hand-crafting.

Mid/Long term necessary budget: 20 000 Euros covering a period of three years.

<b>(2) Title of the article:</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>(3) Name(s) of the author(s):</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>(4) Institution(s):</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>(5) e-mail address:</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>(6) Keywords:</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>(7) JEL codes:</b>	<input type="text"/>
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<b>(8) Aims of the article:</b>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"><pre>&lt;p&gt; Firs paragraph... &lt;/p&gt;  &lt;p&gt; Second paragraph... &lt;/p&gt;</pre></div>
<b>(9) Methods of the research:</b>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"><pre>&lt;p&gt; Firs paragraph... &lt;/p&gt;</pre></div>

Figure 2: Authors' page I: first submission

### Second stage: Uploading the anonymous article

**Upload form**

Please chose the corresponding file. The name of this file must be: (your submission number). (extension) (doc, pdf, tex, zip...).

(1) Sub. number:

(2) e-mail:

(3) File path:

(4) This is the  of this article.

(5)

### Third stage: Checking the status of the submission

**Status form**

You can check the advancement of your submission from this page, using the **e-mail address** you have given during the submission and the **submission number** provided by e-JEMED.

(1) Sub. number:

(2) e-mail:

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Figure 3: Authors' page II: upload and status check

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## Administration Page

This page is exclusively reserved to the use of the administrators of e-JEMED.

Possibilities:

1. Choose the editor for the article
2. Communication with the referees (choose referees, send an article to referees...)
3. Activate received referee reports in order for the authors to download them
4. Change the status of an article
5. Verify full status of an article
6. Sort all articles by status for verification.

You must authenticate yourself in order to access to these possibilities. This authentication is done through a password and your e-mail address.

Please choose

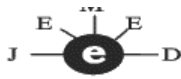
- 1-Choose the editor
- 2-Choose the referees
- 3-Activate reports
- 4-Change status
- 5-Full status
- 6-View articles by status
- Please choose

Figure 4: Administration page I: main menu

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## Choose referees and send report request

### Instructions

Please only provide the **e-mail addresses** of each referee in each relevant input box. **A report request will automatically be sent to each of them.** This mail will contain the *title* and the *extended abstract* of the article and the location (*URL*) from which the file can be downloaded.

If you are using this page for completing a first request or for requesting reports **after revision**, you can leave empty the e-mail addresses that have already been provided. If you do not respect the correspondance between referees (first, second...) and the e-mail addresses, an error message can result from your request. Please carefully read the output of your request (see the next screen) and check that everything is correct.

A screenshot of a web form with a dark grey background. The form contains the following elements:

- Submission number:** A text input field.
- First referee:** A text input field.
- Second referee:** A text input field.
- Third referee:** A text input field.
- Report:** A dropdown menu with the text "Please choose" and a downward arrow. The dropdown is open, showing three options: "Please choose", "First report", and "Report after revision".
- Submit:** A button located at the bottom left of the form.
- Reset form:** A button located at the bottom right of the form.

Figure 5: Administration page II: choosing referees

Submission number\* :  Password\* :

Your name:

Your e-mail\* :

This is your\* ...

Your advice:

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**Report for the editors:** Please give your candid evaluation in this **very small** report (4-5 sentences):

- The conformity of the article with the aims and scope of e-JEMED;
- Originality and the scientific quality of the paper.

This report will only be mailed to the editors.  
You can separate paragraphs by typing "**¶**" at the end of each paragraph.

Figure 6: Referees' page