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The Electronic Journal of e-Government is an opportunity for academics, government departments and members of the public service sector to share the latest thinking on all aspects of electronic governance. The editorial board invites submissions of papers for a special issue on e-citizens to be guest edited by Dr Mary Griffiths, Associate Professor at the University of Waikato, New Zealand.

Topics may include, but are not limited to, e-government and e-democracy; e-citizens, readiness and inclusiveness; issues for young e-citizens; digital training and civic education programs; examples of community engagement online; citizens and e-policy-making or e-rulemaking; the uses of civic chat; e-petitions and the e-citizen; citizen-friendly online government communication; time-friendly online engagement; infrastructure issues; increased e-citizen participation and expectations; e-citizens and their representatives; and making people-centred policy.

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1. Those wishing to make a submission should send one copy, preferably in Microsoft Word; by e-mail to submissions@ejeg.com Submissions should not be longer than 5,000 words and should be received no later than **29th October 2004**. All papers submitted to the journal will be considered for inclusion by Dr Griffiths. Those selected will be double blind refereed by members of the editorial board or other suitable readers.
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