Call for Submissions!

Challenging Heights is launching an opportunity for any budding (or established!) writers wanting to see their work published!
We are currently accepting submissions on the topics of Child Trafficking, Human Trafficking, Child Rights, Modern Slavery, Child Labour, Women’s Empowerment and the Right to Education (they don’t have to focus on Ghana specifically). Submissions can be blog posts, articles, policy papers or short research papers.

Submissions may be in either English or French.

If you have any questions, please don’t hesitate to send us an email at publications@challengingheights.org. We look forward to receiving your work!

About Challenging Heights

Challenging Heights is an NGO based in Winneba, Ghana. We aim to reduce and prevent child trafficking and protect children’s rights in Ghana. This happens through our three core programmes: rescue and recovery, prevention, and advocacy. More information about us and the work we do can be found on our website: www.challengingheights.org

Guidelines (Important: please read before submitting, submissions that do not respect these guidelines will not be accepted):

- Word limit: 500-1500 words.
- Must include a short biography (no more than 200 words), and a photo of yourself.
- Must be well referenced with a full bibliography at the end.
- Please indicate what type of paper you are submitting (i.e.: blog post, policy paper, research paper, article…).
- Language and grammar must be at a publishable standard.
• Submissions must not be under consideration with other publishers and must not be currently published elsewhere.
• Submissions should have a short and catchy title.
• Please bold and left-align any headings, and put subheadings in italics.
• All images in your submission that originate from sources that are subject to copyright must be removed.
• Please read through your submissions carefully for typos.
• Submission initiates the review process and is taken as prior consent for publication by Challenging Heights.
• By submitting you are confirming that you are over the age of 18. We do accept submissions from under 18’s, however we ask that they are sent with parental consent. Please send an email to publications@challengingheights.org if you are under 18 and we can send you the form to be filled out by your parent/guardian.
• If Challenging Heights discovers that authors do not respect the values of Challenging Heights, we reserve the right to refuse or remove your submission from our channels.

The process

Once your submission has been received, an editor will confirm receipt and begin the review and editorial process. This may include changes to structure, language and grammar. All authors will be contacted within 6 weeks of submission with our final decision. If you have not heard from us by then, please chase us up at publications@challengingheights.org