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**Book Review Guidelines and Policy**

**Book review editor: Gabriella Moise**

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**Word Limit**

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**Style**

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**Form**

**Title of the Review** (in bold)

Given name, Family name (of the author of reviewer, not in bold)

**Family name of author of the book reviewed, Given name. *Title of the Book Reviewed*. Place of publication: Publisher’s name, date of publication. number (of pages using roman numerals—if applicable) + number (of pages using Arabic numerals) pages. ISNN/ISBN number. Pbk/Hb. price.**

Sample:

**Remembering Said**

Gyula Somogyi

**Iskandar, Adel, and Hakem Rustom, eds. *Edward Said: A Legacy of Emancipation and Representation*. Berkley: U of California P, 2010. 568 pages. ISBN 9780520258907. Pbk. $34.95.**

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