Call For Papers Journal of Social Economy and Common Welfare (Z'GuG)

Special issue "Solidarity-based agriculture", 4/2025

For issue /2025, the Zeitschrift für Gemeinwirtschaft und Gemeinwohl is planning to focus on central questions of the dynamics of solidarity-based agriculture in Germany and Europe. The aim is to take stock of the forms (cultural self-image and meaningful function, organizational and legal structures, regional anchoring) and social practices of economic activity.

Classifications in contexts of economic organization law, civil society, discourses on the transformation of the economy, the economy for the common good, the post-growth society, etc. are of interest, as is a focus on the significance of cooperative forms. Methodological pluralistic empirical focuses of the contributions are just as welcome as theoretical discussions, including contributions on the history and development and future perspectives.

The perspectives of different scientific disciplines are welcome.

Please send abstracts (2 pages) as PDF to the editorial office by 15th July 2025. You will receive feedback on the possible submission of papers by 1st August 2025.

Papers can be submitted in German or English.

Timetable

Formatting and submission	ZGuG - AutorInnen-Hinweise_2024
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1. Evaluation	1st August 2025
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