

Author's Statement on Third World Quarterly article "The Case for Colonialism"

I am glad that Taylor & Francis has documented the process of peer review through which my article, "The Case for Colonialism", was submitted and accepted for publication in the *Third World Quarterly*. I am also pleased that they have reaffirmed the C.O.P.E. principles of academic publishing that are designed to protect scientific research from censorship, including self-censorship. I stand by the article in its entirety.

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