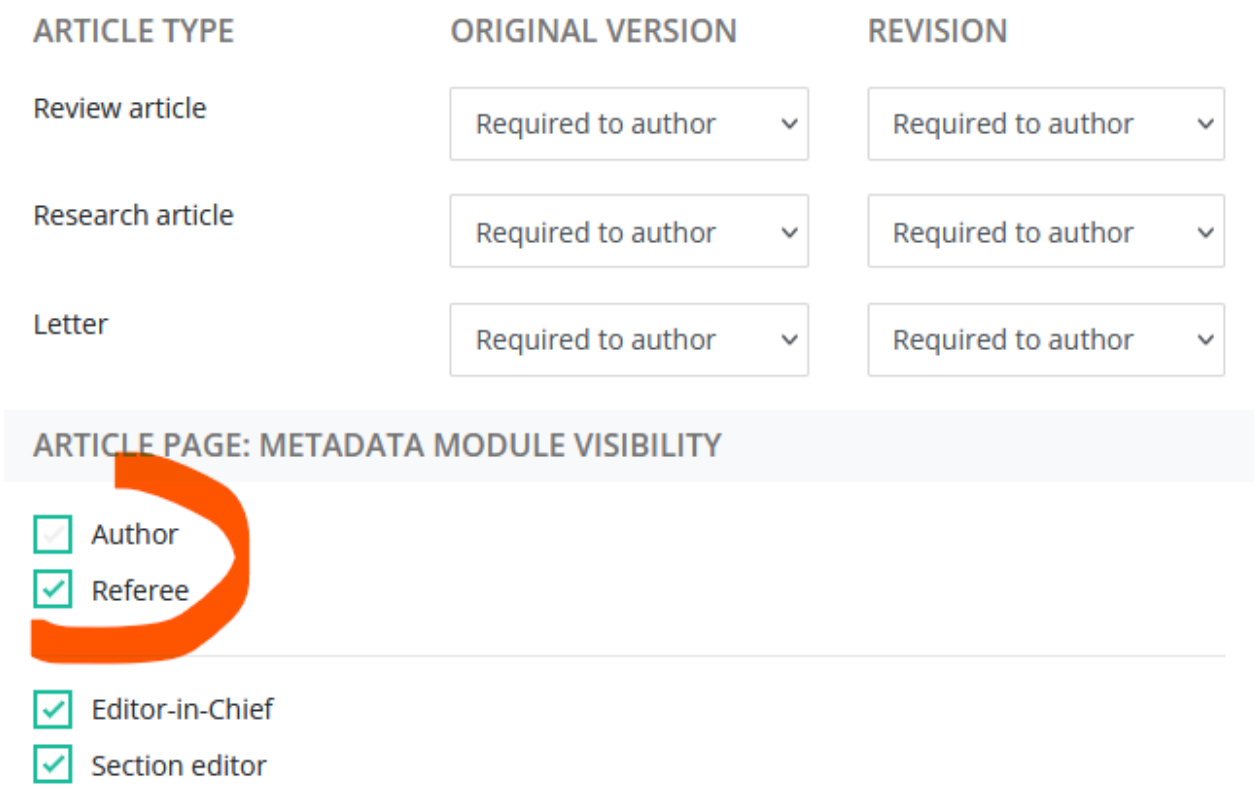
7.00 - Metadata & questionnaire configuration

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Metadata configuration

Following 6.60, metadata benefit from a series of updates:

- Set the visibility of individual metadata fields for authors and referees:

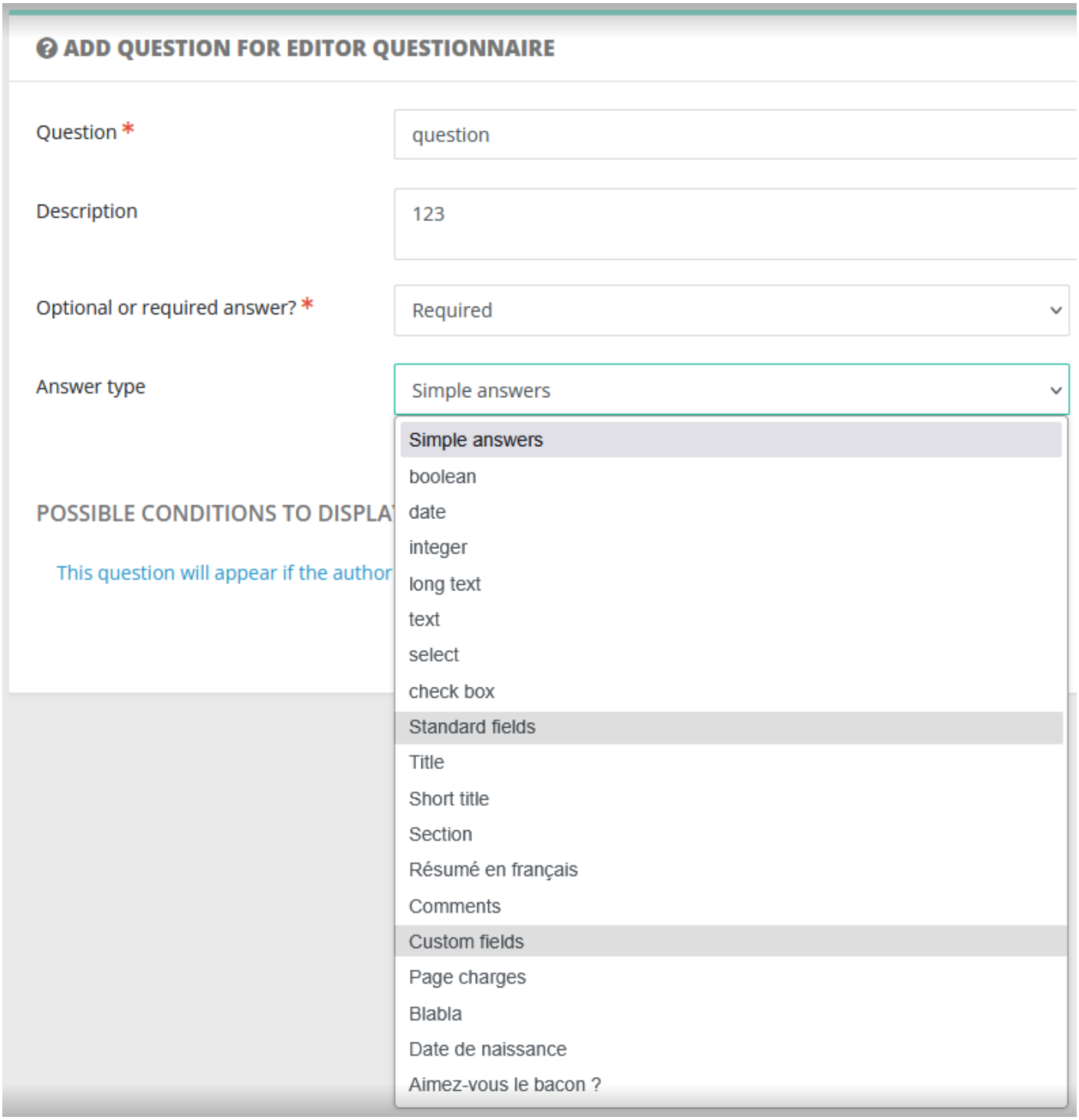


By default, the following standard metadata will be displayed to authors and referees:

- article type
- section
- author list
- topical issue
- abstract
- comment

Questionnaire configuration

- Answers can (at last!) be used to fill standard or custom fields.



- When configuring closed questions (select/check boxes), the interface has been revamped to match Nestor look and feel:

POSSIBLE ANSWERS

× acceptable without revision. × acceptable after minor revision.
× acceptable after major revision (the referee may be asked by the Editor to review the revised version before p
× not acceptable but the author should be encouraged to make major revision and resubmit.
× not acceptable because the paper is too long for the amount of scientific material presented. If the author sho
× not acceptable because its scientific content is insufficient and does not correspond to the A&A standards.
× not acceptable because its contains demonstrable errors.

Editorial Board management

For editorial offices: on the profile page, two fields appear to track beginning and end of activity.

PROFILE INFORMATION

Profile — Editor-in-Chief

Status — Active

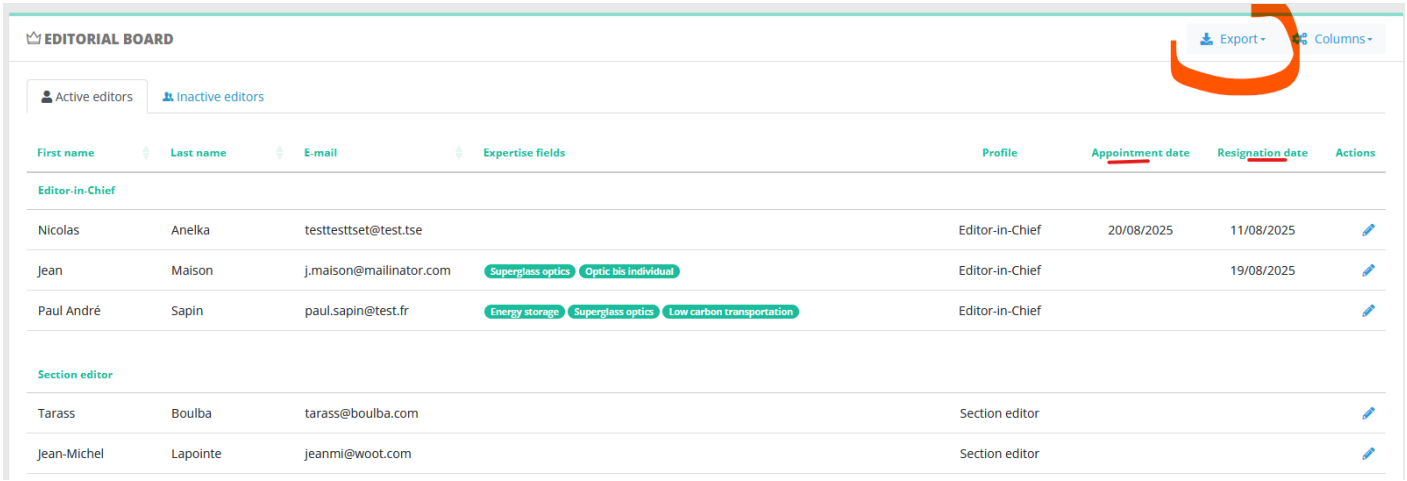
NB When the editor profile is inactive:
- *this editor cannot be assigned on new articles*
- *this editor still has access to his editorial interface and may finish his current work*
- *this editor rights will be downgraded, regardless of the profile (no access to any administrative right)*

Activity dates

These dates are kept for administrative purposes and do not impact the rights of the editor. They are not set by default and you can modify them at will.

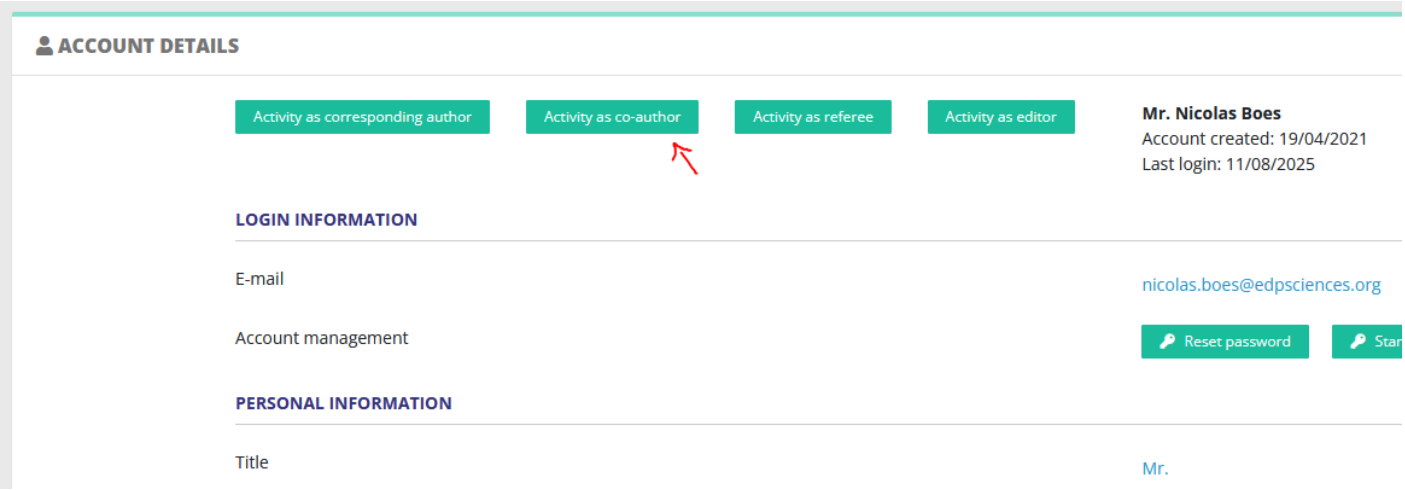
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This data can be exported as well as other relevant editorial data:



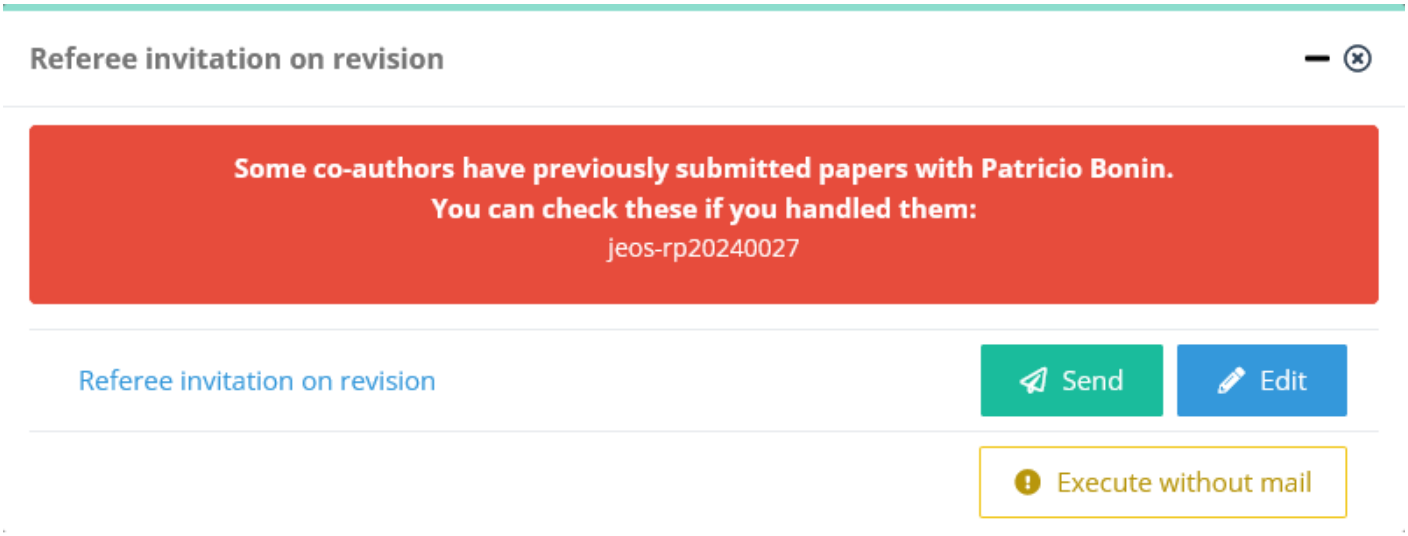
Authors management: new activity button

On a user page, activity as co-author is now distinct from the activity as corresponding author:



Referee invitation: new warning

When inviting a referee on a given paper, Nestor now checks if the potential referee has submitted with co-authors in the past. If so, a warning will be raised:



Rights management

The code handling users' rights has been significantly overhauled to improve maintainability. P lease let us know if you see something unusual: support@nestor-edp.org

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