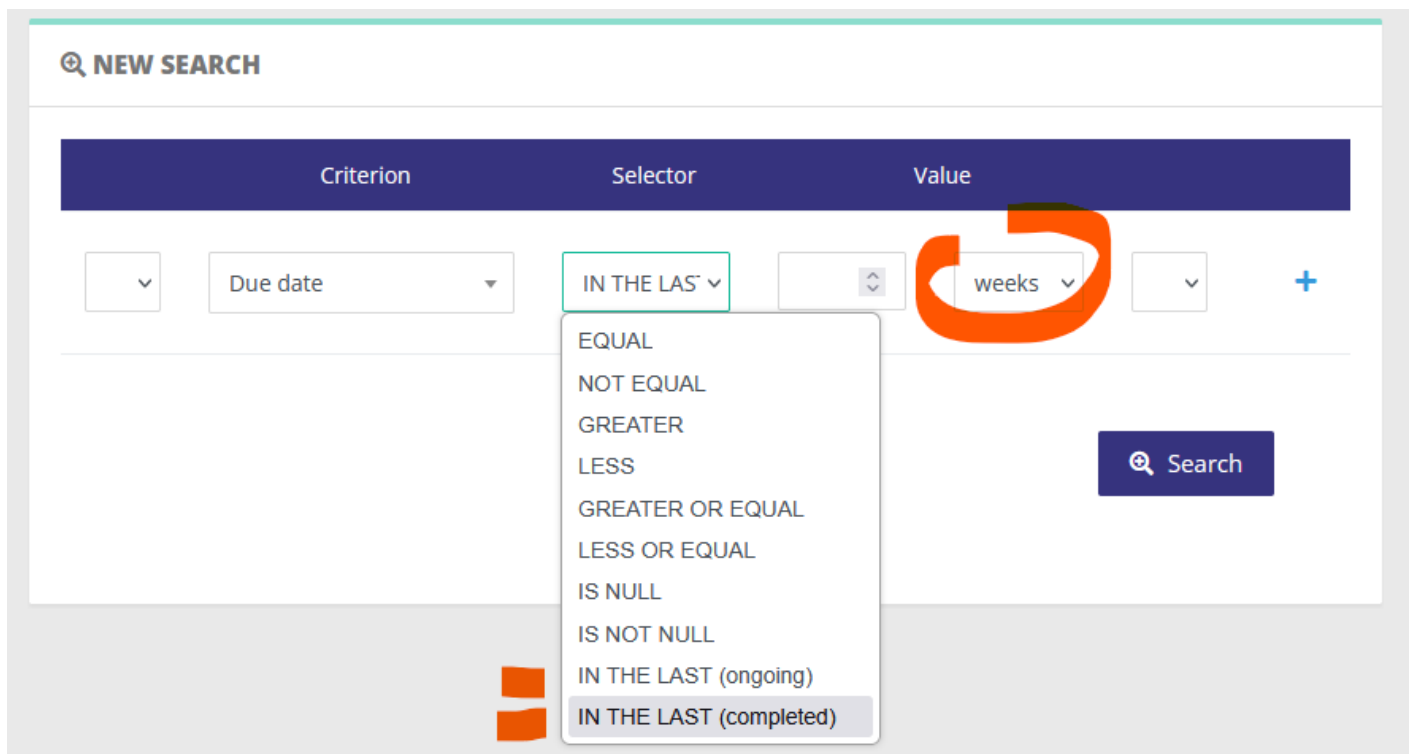


7.10 - Search criteria, system events, referee form, warnings

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New criteria for advanced searches

Two cool date criteria are now available to create dynamic searches:



The screenshot shows a 'NEW SEARCH' interface with a table for defining search criteria. The table has three columns: 'Criterion', 'Selector', and 'Value'. The 'Criterion' column contains 'Due date'. The 'Selector' column has a dropdown menu open, showing options: 'EQUAL', 'NOT EQUAL', 'GREATER', 'LESS', 'GREATER OR EQUAL', 'LESS OR EQUAL', 'IS NULL', 'IS NOT NULL', 'IN THE LAST (ongoing)', and 'IN THE LAST (completed)'. The 'Value' column contains 'weeks'. An orange arrow points to the 'weeks' dropdown. A 'Search' button is visible at the bottom right.

Criterion	Selector	Value
Due date	IN THE LAST (completed)	weeks

New system events

Two system events are now implemented properly:

- **"Resubmission after technical check"**: after a technical check, the resubmission is now distinct from a normal submission! This presents several advantages when the author resubmits:
 - the corresponding author will not get the usual acknowledgement of receipt
 - likewise for co-authors
 - and editors will not receive the same e-mail
- **"Peer review complete"**
 - this event trigger has been corrected and now works properly: the editor will get notified when the last scheduled referee provides his report.

For these two events, no default template has been provided. We will definitely provide them shortly for "Resubmission after technical check".

System events: modify the Reply-To header!

In e-mail addressing, the Reply-To header is the address that should be used to reply to a message. Typically in Nestor, this mechanism is used in this scenario:

- Albert Einstein requests a revision
- The mail is sent to the author with the following:
 - From: nestor@edpsciences.org
 - Reply-To: albert.einstein@eth.ch
- the author replies to the message: Albert is the recipient (not the system), even though Albert was not the original sender

This mechanism has been extended to specific system events, with the possibility of using Reply-To --> the current editor. Specifically:

- when the author gets an acknowledgement of revision (--> replies to the current editor)
- when the author gets an automatic reminder to revise (same)
- when the referee gets an acknowledgement of invitation (same)
- when the referee gets an acknowledgement of decline (same)
- when the referee gets an acknowledgement of report (same)
- when the referee gets an automatic cancellation (same)
- when the referee gets an automatic reminder (same)

By default, none of these events have been configured to reply to the current editor, we invite you to configure this if relevant to your workflow, this is defined in the template config:

EDIT E-MAIL TEMPLATE

Triggering event

Automatic referee reminder

Activated

Active

Name

(max 200 characters)

Referee expected reminder (after due date)

Metadata update

Selected field will be updated when mail is sent

+ Add rule

To referee



Recipient CC

Recipient CCI

Reply-To header

To prevent spam detection, Nestor sends messages using its own server. However, you can configure the reply-to header here: the following value will be used when the recipient clicks "reply".

Name and address of the current editor (if present)



Subject

(max 200 characters)

{{article.reference}} - Expected report reminder

Referee report form

A long awaited ergonomomy update to prevent referees from forgetting to complete their report.

Please fill out this questionnaire, you can elaborate on your answers in your report.

1. Est-ce une contribution nouvelle ou originale ? Is the contribution new and original? *

- Yes.
- No.
- N/A


2. Estimez-vous valables / Do you consider the following items to be valuable: *

Cochez celles qui vous semblent valables / Please check the valuable items.

- les observations ? Observations?
- les interprétations ? Interpretations?
- les conclusions ? Conclusions?

3. Le titre est-il explicite et complet ? Reflète-t-il bien le contenu de l'article ? Is the title appropriate? Does it reflect the content of the paper? *

- Yes.
- No.
- N/A

 Send my report to the editor

4. Le résumé exprime-t-il bien l'essentiel de l'article ? Is the abstract representative of the paper? *

- Yes.

User warnings (availability, conflict of interest etc)

Following this [update](#), several improvements have been made to user warnings behaviour:

- the new warning merely links to the article list (screenshot below)
- any editor can check the whole list, even if unassigned
 - this behaviour has also been extended to users' page
- common warnings are not displayed when reinviting referees on a revision

Some co-authors have previously submitted papers with Ben Kenobi
[Click here](#) to check these papers.

Refereeing request

 Send

 Edit

 Execute without mail

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