Open Access ‘What’s Happening’

iSkills - Workshops in Information Discovery and Scholarly Communications

Hilary Term 2022  April 11th 15:00-16:00

This session will be recorded

Slides and handouts will be emailed to attendants after the session

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Learning outcomes

If you didn’t know about the following before you should by the end of the session:

- Open Access
- Green Open Access
- Research excellence framework
- Symplectic Elements
- Oxford Research Archive
- Article processing charge
Oxford’s Message

Publishing a paper?

act on acceptance

Article/Conference Proceedings accepted by publisher? Deposit a version and the team will work it out.
Open Access is:

When “the results of research are made freely available at the point of publication and openly licensed for reuse”*

Removing price and permission barriers for readers.

*Catriona MacCallum, on Hindawi blog: https://about.hindawi.com/blog/an-open-science-future-europe-leads-the-way/
Sounds simple right?
Open Access publishing process

More on ORCID and Funder requirements later

‘Act on acceptance’ later

Average APC £2 - £3,000

BUT can be as low as £0

Embargo periods:

12 months for STEM
24 months for HUMSS

On average
Research Excellence Framework requirements

‘Next’ REF guidance forthcoming in 2022
Articles and conference papers (something with an ISSN) *accepted* after April 1\textsuperscript{st} 2016

Deposited in a compliant repository within *three months of the date of acceptance*.

Eligibility exceptions for non-deposit or non-access.

12 months for STEM
24 months for HUMS
Funder policies

OA policy & funds

- APC’s paid by funder’s block grant
- Contact the funder before publishing OA
- Include any expected OA costs in grant application

- Wellcome
- British Heart Foundation
- Versus Arthritis
- Blood Cancer UK
- National Institute for Health Research
- Department for International Development
- Parkinson's UK
- Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
- European Commission
- ERC

No funds/policy

- The Royal Society
- The British Academy
- Leverhulme Trust

- Expects OA but no funds in grant (green route)
- Can include OA costs in grant

1. CC-BY licence
2. Funder and grant number
3. Data availability statement

Check the specifics of your funder’s policy here: http://openaccess.ox.ac.uk/funders-overview
Monographs and book chapters

Books, chapters in edited collections and scholarly editions

Average ‘Book processing charge’ (BPC) can be £10,000
But there are many OA Monograph models
Learn more: https://oabooks-toolkit.org

Reports and projects

2019 the ‘year of the OA monograph report’ (inc. UUK)
Research England’s Community-led Open Publication Infrastructures for Monographs COPIM project.

See our Monographs resource page for more information
http://openaccess.ox.ac.uk/open-monographs
APCs at Oxford

No central pot of funds at Oxford

Remember: Not every form of OA has costs:

Diamond OA route
Green OA (Deposit)

If you are funded by: Wellcome, RCUK, CRUK or BHF

Contact the team: apc@bodleian.ox.ac.uk
For block grant details and instructions
Oxford publisher deals

AKA:
Read and publish deals
Transformative agreements

Requirements

✓ Oxford corresponding authors
✓ Use Oxford University email (ox.ac.uk) on submission
✓ Choose the CC-BY creative commons licence

Visit our website for a comprehensive list and to learn the requirements/journals involved:

http://openaccess.ox.ac.uk/publisher-deals
OA deposit in Symplectic

Deposit form is simple and quick

Accounts created automatically for academics and researchers

Others can request an account

Guidance and help available at:

https://researchsupport.admin.ox.ac.uk/reporting/symplectic
After you deposit the ORA team will work on your record. Adding metadata and uploading it to the Oxford research archive:

If you notice anything wrong with an ORA record you can contact them at:

https://ora.ox.ac.uk
ora@bodleian.ox.ac.uk

Currently 82,000+ items available for immediate download in ORA
Register your ORCID on Symplectic and it will attach your publications for you.

Some funders (e.g. Wellcome) require ORCIDs

Affiliate/register ORCID at
http://ox.libguides.com/orcid
Tools to help

- Jisc
  - Sherpa Romeo
  - Sherpa Juliet

- DOAJ
  - Directory of Open Access Journals

- Plan S
  - Making full and immediate Open Access a reality

- Journal Checker Tool

- Think, Check, Submit
Coming up during 2022-3

New policies, reviews and consultation
## Help and resources

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