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This portal provides access to publications, research data, projects and software that may be relevant to the Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19). The OpenAIRE COVID-19 Gateway aggregates COVID-19 related records, links them and provides a single access point for discovery and navigation. We tag content from the OpenAIRE Research Graph (10,000+ data sources) and additional sources. All COVID-19 related research results are linked to people, organizations and projects, providing a contextualized navigation.

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roblanf/sarscov2phylo: 22-09-20

roblanf, Richard Mansfield;

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Outlines of a probabilistic evaluation of possible SARS-CoV-2 origins

Demaneuf, Gilles; De Maistre, Rodolphe;

A probabilistic treatment can be very useful when trying to discover the most probable causes that are consistent with the available information at the time. In particular in such a treatment all assumptions and all probability estimates are explicit and are open for investigation. Here we explore 1

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April 1st through June 30th, 2020

Weekly update webinar and writing sprint

Over 600 data professional experts

4 Research domains and 4 cross cutting areas

Sign the Open Covid Pledge for Research in Education

- We pledge to make our intellectual property openly and freely available to the world to support educators, students and decision-makers, to help educational organisations survive and thrive, and to build a fairer and more resilient education system.
- We pledge - where possible - to openly license or dedicate to the public domain our intellectual property.

Open Covid Pledge Signatories

Note: Signatories will appear once approved by one of our team.
Eight open access and open science policies since the last General Assembly, congratulations to all involved!
Research funders in Hungary, Poland & Slovakia

The major research funder OTKA (The Hungarian Scientific Research Fund) requires Data Management Plans (DMPs) from applicants.

National Science Center (NSC, Poland) approved an OA to publications policy resulting from research projects funded entirely or in part by NCN resources and OA to research data policy and mandatory DMPs - a coherent policy of the NSC as part of a broader Open Science framework, aimed at transparency in the dissemination of research findings by researchers funded from public funds.

Institutional policies in Ethiopia, Lithuania & Serbia

Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia: a data sharing policy which has an open data component.

Kaunas University of Technology, Lithuania: revised institutional OA policy requires DMPs from doctoral students.

University of Novi Sad, State University of Novi Pazar, Serbia: Open Science policies.
Policy work in 16 countries, stay tuned 😊
OPEN SCIENCE PRACTICES IN AFRICA

Iryna Kuchma, EIFL Open Access Programme Manager, blogs about a series of meetings and workshops co-organized with EIFL partners in the LIBSENSE Initiative

June was a busy month for the LIBSENSE Initiative – a collaborative space through which libraries and research and education networks (RENS) are advancing open access and open science in Africa.

At a LIBSENSE virtual workshop co-organized by LIBSENSE partners, EIFL, the West and Central African Research and Education Network (WACREN), UbuntuNet Alliance, the Arab States Regional Education Network (ASREN), COAR, AfricaConnect 3, OpenAIRE and GÉANT, we took a snapshot of the current national level activities on open science policies, repositories, community building and coordination in 15 countries: Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Côte d’Ivoire, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Malawi, Morocco, Mozambique, Nigeria, South Africa, Tanzania, Tunisia and Uganda (slides).

https://eifl.net/blogs/open-science-practices-africa
Open Science Africa: Principles and Actions for Global Participation

This statement is prepared by the LIBSENSE Working Group on Open Science policies, governance and leadership.

LIBSENSE is led by the West and Central African Research and Education Network (WACREN) in collaboration with sister regional African RENs (ASREN and UbuntuNet Alliance). Other participating partners include several national RENs, libraries, library associations, universities and research communities in Africa, in conjunction with COAR, EIFL, University of Sheffield, National Institute of Informatics (Japan), GEANT, and OpenAIRE.

Preamble

LIBSENSE is building communities of practice and strengthening local and national services to support open science and research in Africa. Open science is an international trend aimed at sharing the results of research widely. Open science is transforming the way research is done, and increasing its value and impact by accelerating the pace of scientific discoveries and expanding the adoption of research outcomes for everyone.

Although global in nature, there are important local and regional considerations in how open science and open access are approached and implemented. It is critical that the policies and infrastructures created to support open science are designed and delivered to meet the needs and requirements of the research communities in different regions.

The LIBSENSE initiative was launched in 2016 to bring together the research and education networks (RENs) and academic library communities in order to advance open science in Africa and foster the continent’s global open access participation.

This LIBSENSE-prepared statement for UNESCO proposes a set of principles and actions for open science Indigenous to Africa. It is a call for a network of international cooperation and collaboration for advancing more inclusive global scholarship.
Zhang Zhixiong, National Science Library, Chinese Academy of Sciences
Jyldyz Bekbalaeva, Library at American University of Central Asia, Kyrgyzstan
Hlaing Hlaing Gyi, Universities’ Central Library, Myanmar
Jagadish Chandra Aryal, Social Science Baha, Nepal
Rawia F. Radi, Islamic University of Gaza, Palestine
Soeythip Sukul, Electronic Information for Libraries in Thailand

Building a Sustainable, Asian Knowledge Commons for Open Science Era
September 9 – 16, 2020 (Seoul/Tokyo time)

Greetings
We are very happy that this event has been held successfully. The event was well-held thanks to the presenters and panelists as well as everyone who participated. We hope that the Asia OA meeting will continue to prosper further. The presentation material will be posted next week.

Thank you.

https://2020korea.asiaoa.org/INTRO
Open Science Training
Наукова комунікація в цифрову епоху

ЗРЕЄСТРУВАТИСЯ НА КУРС

Про цей курс

Цей курс розроблений викладачами та співробітниками Національного університету «Києво-Могилянська академія» у співпраці з компанією «CLARIVATE ANALYTICS», ГО «ЕЛІВУКР» та проектом «FOSTER».

Для кого цей курс?

Курс призначений для молодих дослідників: здобувачів ступеня PhD, викладачів університетів на ранніх етапах їхньої наукової кар'єри, всіх, хто планує дізнатися більше про наукову комунікацію, її основні складники, нові тренди та технології, секрети ефективної роботи з інформацією, управління даними дослідженнями, а також отримати відповідні навички.

Після завершення курсу ви зможете:

- Зрозуміти, як відбувається сучасна наукова комунікація, яким чином відкритий доступ, відкрита наука, відкриті ліцензії, управління даними дослідження впливають на життєвий цикл наукового дослідження, зокрема, у поширені та збережені результати вашого дослідження.
- Застосовувати сучасні практики та пошукові техніки для роботи з науковими джерелами,
Lviv Polytechnic will coordinate OPTIMA project for capacity building in higher education under the Erasmus+ program

10 AUG 2020, 12:16 SCIA DEPARTMENT

The European Commission's Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) has recently published selection results for the call Capacity Building in the field of Higher Education 2020. According to them, Lviv Polytechnic became one of the three Ukrainian universities to coordinate the capacity building projects.

The main goal of the “Open Practices, Transparency and Integrity for Modern Academia” (OPTIMA) project is implementing Open Science ideas and practices in Ukraine to improve the quality of National higher education services. OPTIMA’s priorities include engaging disadvantaged academic communities of displaced Ukrainian universities, focusing on climate change as well as inclusivity by means of modern information technologies.
On 6 September 2018 the CoP was launched with a first online call. This call was followed up by a monthly call ever since. The CoP calls are about exchanging news about training related topics such as the EOSC training portal, new training offerings by projects or infrastructures, how to create badges, curricula, etc. As a member you receive an invite to the monthly calls. During the DH4R in October 2018 the CoP organised a first face to face meeting; “Have a CoP of T in our cafe” (see here). At the Open Science FAIR in Porto (September 2019) and the RDA Plenary in Helsinki (October 2019) the CoP is planning to meet again.

Since the start of the Community of Practice in September, the training coordinators from several projects including projects preparing the European Open Science Cloud where already present, e.g. EOSCpilot, EOSC-hub. The CoP is for training coordinators in communities, projects and research infrastructures. In the list below the current members are listed with their affiliation, project or research infrastructure.

Virtual meetings + How to become a member +
Slack channel + Current members +
Skills & Training Working Group

Providing a framework for a sustainable training infrastructure to support EOSC in all its phases and ensure its uptake

Chair
Natalia Manola

Co-chair
Vinciane Gaillard

https://www.eoscsecretariat.eu/working-groups/skills-training-working-group
UNESCO Global Open Science Partnership

The broad Open Science Partnership brings together all the relevant and interested Open Science stakeholders across the world. The Partnership is open ended and the scientific community, public and private science, technology and innovation institutions, relevant private sector and industry, United Nations agencies and all other relevant open science actors.
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WEBINAR: RESEARCH DATA MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Join this webinar to learn about the core competencies needed to provide research data management services in academic libraries.

Event Date: 08 Oct 2020

Online

Academic librarians, faculty members, researchers, university administrators and grant and research staff are invited to attend this webinar on research data management services, co-hosted by EIFL and our partner consortium in Ghana, the Consortium of Academic and Research Libraries in Ghana (CARLIGHT).

Research data management (RDM) services is an area of increasing importance to all academic librarians, who play some role in the provision of RDM services, and related outreach and educational efforts. Iryna Kuchma, Manager of the EIFL Open Access Programme, will be the webinar presenter.

- Date and time: 8 October, 10am GMT
- Registration: Click here for further details and to register.
https://scoss.org

2,596,275
TOTAL FUNDS PLEDGED
The total sum pledged encompassing both the pilot and second funding rounds.

566,075
Funds Raised - Current Funding Cycle
Collective funds raised - to date - in the second funding cycle currently underway.

252
Institutions that have pledged funds
The total number of institutions that have pledged funds via SC OSS since our launch.

6
Infrastructures Funded
The number of infrastructures that have been, or currently are being, funded via SC OSS.

OUR FUNDERS
252 institutions and counting
Well over 200 institutions have contributed to date. READ MORE >>
OPEN ACCESS WEEK 2020

Open with Purpose:
Taking Action to Build Structural Equity and Inclusion

OCTOBER 19-25

SEMAINE DU LIBRE ACCÈS 2020

Ouvrir avec intention :
renforcer l’équité et l’inclusion de manière structurante

DU 19 AU 25 OCTOBRE
Thank you!
Questions?

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