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# **Strategic Planning Goals:**



Support researchers in the production and sharing of high-quality scholarly publications



**Further the Open Access** movement

**Foster innovation in** scholarly communication



Develop a sustainable **OA publishing program** 



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# E-JOURNAL PUBLISH by the University Library System, University of Pittsbu

## <u>ULS E-Journal Publishing Program</u>

### http://www.library.pitt.edu/e-journals

#### Scholarly Exchange®

#### http://www.scholarlyexchange.org

- technical support.

## **Partnerships**

- **CASPA** First North American library member (http://www.oaspa.org)
- Library Publishing Coalition

PUBLIC

PROJECT

KNOWLEDGE

- - (http://pkp.sfu.ca)
- Altmetrics pilot (<u>http//plu.mx</u>), including an article-level widget which is now part of our base package.

ULS is publisher of 35 scholarly journals, each selected according to rigorous academic criteria and approved by our Publications Advisory Board.

32 of these 35 journals are Open Access.

**Base package:** software hosting using OJS, PLUS: custom website and article template design, DOI registration, indexing/abstracting, marketing and promotion, training, consulting, altmetrics, preservation through LOCKSS.

Added value (fee-based) services: document formatting and copyediting, custom coding work, blog creation, document conversion (XML). 🕂

Editors are in charge of content, peer review, copyediting.

Publishing partners are located around the world.

# **Hosting Service**

 $\succ$  Hosting platform for Open Journal Systems to encourage Open Access journal publishing.  $\bigcirc$ Designed as a journal service for the needs of underserved scholarly communities in low-resource settings around the world, including in developing countries.  $\bigstar$ 

Base package: Hosting, software installation & maintenance, daily backups of content, hosting-related

Added value (fee-based) services: Graphic design, formatting, document conversion (XML).

Fostering innovation through collaboration.

- Founding member of LPC (http://librarypublishing.org)
- **PKP** Major Development Partner

  - **Developers of Open Journal Systems**

### **Cost-Recovery Plan**

- $\succ$  To recover the costs of our publishing services, we have a number of revenue streams.
- > E-journal Publishing Program fee schedule for clients:
  - \$3,000/year for subscription journals.
  - \$1,000/year for Open Access journals.
  - 50% discount for editors at Pitt.
- Scholarly Exchange® service fee schedule for clients:
  - Free for first year.
  - \$750/year after.
- > Fee-based services (listed above) charged at cost from third party vendors or in hours of labor.



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