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Abstract

This display was created as part of Musselman Library's [Open Access Week 2019](#) programming and highlights challenges and opportunities within the global open access movement.

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**OPEN
ACCESS
WEEK**

**WHAT
IS
OPEN
ACCESS
?**

**INFORMATION THAT HAS
NO PRICE (COST) OR
PERMISSION (COPYRIGHT)
RESTRICTIONS**

**THE GOAL IS TO CREATE EQUITABLE ACCESS TO
AND PARTICIPATION IN KNOWLEDGE**

BIASES IN OA

**GEOGRAPHIC
LOCATION
EPISTEMIC INJUSTICE
HIGH PUBLISHING
FEES
WESTERN-CENTRISM
LANGUAGE BARRIERS
INTERNET ACCESS**

**HOW TO
EQUALIZE OA**

**CONSIDER NEW
PERSPECTIVES
RESIST PUBLISHING
MONOPOLIES
SEEK OUT DIVERSE
SCHOLARSHIP**