Strengthening bibliodiversity: a national and institutional presentation of the current situation in France
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A national policy for Open Science
July 2018: two major events for France

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1. Make open access mandatory when publishing articles and books resulting from government-funded calls for projects.

2. Create an Open Science fund.

Develop bibliodiversity

- Explore new business models for open access journals and books.
- Encourage university presses and publishing houses that make their publications available through open access.
- When publication charges are required, they should be paid only to fully open access publications.
Law for a Digital Republic

October 2016

New rights created for researchers
Jussieu Call for Open science and bibliodiversity
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The development of innovative scientific publishing models must be a budget priority because it represents an investment into services meeting the genuine needs of researchers in our digital age.

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Priority should be given to business models that do not involve any payments, neither for authors to have their texts published nor for readers to access them. Many fair funding models exist and only require to be further developed and extended: institutional support, library contributions or subsidies, premium services, participatory funding or creation of open archives, etc. We endorse the clear message to the scientific community at
The work of the Open Science Committee on Bibliodiversity
The Committee for Open Science

The mission of this committee is to propose the directions that Open Science should take and to teach the subjects on questions of Open Science, as well as to animate and accompany the actions associated with it, in a fluid structure that simplifies the expression of ideas, suggestions and contributions, and their transmission to the different working groups.

Committee description
Structure of the committee
Steering committee
WG ‘Building bibliodiversity’

Balance between
→ researchers, librarians, publishers
→ STM and HSS fields

One mission
→ work on both the National Open Science Fund
and on assessment criteria
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1. Plan S

- Plan S implementation recommandations for the Agence Nationale de la Recherche (ANR), member of cOAlition S.

- Contribution to the public debate (feedback)

- Major concern: make sure that Plan S is used as leverage to foster bibliodiversity.
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2. Drafting of a set of ‘exemplarity criteria’ for Open Science initiatives (infrastructures/platforms and editorial contents).

• Literature review

• High-level standards – mid to long term perspective
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2. 

- Governance, integrity, legal, economic model, sustainability and technical issues

- Three possible levels: essential, highly recommended, desired

- One major debate: allow or dismiss APC (or BPC) based initiatives
NOTES DU COMITÉ

Les critères sont destinés à guider le choix des investissements à réaliser dans le cadre du Plan national et du Fonds national pour la science ouverte, en matière de plateformes, d'infrastructures et de contenus éditoriaux. Les 44 critères sont classés selon trois niveaux : indispensable, fortement recommandé et souhaité.
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3. National Open Science Fund

- Drafting of a Call for Projects to be issued in September 2019
- Selection made on ‘exemplarity criteria’
- French-based initiatives
- Support for international initiatives through cooperative actions such as SCOSS
From national to local: case studies
Network of Journals Incubators ‘Reperes’

• 12 institutions
• 87 journals

• Work
  • on editorial and technical issues
  • with the goal of transitioning journals towards open access or launching new ones
  • in coordination with nation-wide stakeholders (OpenEdition, Metopes…)
REPÈRES, un nouveau réseau professionnel au service des revues scientifiques en accès ouvert

LE 20 DÉCEMBRE 2018

Sept universités, cinq Maisons des Sciences de l’Homme (MSH) et 87 revues : à l’occasion de la première journée des incubateurs de revues scientifiques, organisée à l’Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3, le 23 novembre 2018, un nouveau réseau spécialisé dans l’édition de revues scientifiques en accès ouvert s’est constitué.

Baptisé REPÈRES (REseau de PEplinères de REVues Scientifiques), il est le fruit d’une initiative portée par une trentaine de professionnels de l’IST soucieux d’apporter des réponses concrètes aux responsables de revues en SHS et STM : hébergement des publications, référencement, structuration des données et interopérabilité, accompagnement éditorial, transition vers l’accès ouvert pour les revues sur abonnement, etc.

Actuellement composé de 12 membres en France et en Belgique, ce réseau veille à inscrire les revues dans l’environnement de la science ouverte, tout en facilitant à terme leur passage, pour celles qui le souhaitent, vers des portails nationaux ou internationaux.
Reallocation of funds from big deal subscriptions

Springer journals at Université de Lorraine

• Causes of cancellation: budget constraints, unsustainable price increase, decreasing usage trend

• Consequences: no written complaints, very few oral ones

• Outcomes: reallocation of a part of the saving to open, academic-centered and transparent publishing initiatives
Jacques Lafait, Sorbonne Université, CoSO Jean-François Lutz, Université de Lorraine, CoSO
From national to global:

aligning policies
• Building bibliodiversity is not a competition but a joint effort

• Coordination between relevant stakeholders - countries and international organizations - is needed

• Goal is shared. Work is still needed on the agenda.
"THE STORY IS ONLY JUST BEGINNING."

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