tidsskrift.dk and Open Access

How the Danish National Open Access Platform Supports Open Access

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Agenda

- What is tidsskrift.dk?
- tidsskrift.dk and OA
- The development of the server
- Present status
- Results and experiences
- Necessary part of the scientific infrastructure

tidsskrift.dk the Danish National Open Access Platform

- Publish journals and yearbooks - 152 different publications - 151 public available
- Social Science and Humanities
- Mostly in Danish and/or English, Swedish and Norwegian. 2 publications with articles in Spanish
- Requirements:
  - Danish scientific publication
  - OA within a year and with green OA during the embargo
  - Must publish on the server
- 108 publications active, 33 retro digitized, 6 moved
- 22 publications published the first issue on the server

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- 134 publications with immediate Open Access
- 15 publications with an one year embargo
- 2 publications with an embargo of five years
- 1 publication with No Access (experimental - conference papers)

History

- Started in 2007 in Aarhus and 2008 in Copenhagen
- Two servers: ojs.statsbiblioteket.dk (Aarhus) and tidsskrift.dk (Copenhagen)
- 2015: tidsskrift.dk became the National Platform for Open Access
- 2016: OJS 3.0 released. No subscription module
- 2017: Merger of two national libraries into the Royal Library and thereafter the two servers merged
- 2018: Upgrade to version 3.1.1.2

Publications

- Copenhagen:
  - Retro digitization
  - University of Copenhagen and University of Southern Denmark
  - Scientific Societies
  - Journals from institutions form the Ministry of Culture (Museums etc.)
  - University Colleges

- Aarhus:
  - Aarhus University and Aalborg University
  - Scientific Societies
  - Journals from institutions form the Ministry of Culture (Museums etc.)
  - Nordic journals researching in Nordic Languages (Ministry of Culture)
  - University Colleges

Public available publications

Year	New publikations	Publications in total
2008	14	14
2009	3	17
2010	11	28
2011	7	35
2012	11	46
2013	11	57
2014	10	67
2015	15	82
2016	24	106
2017	27	133
2018	14	147
2019	4	151

Downloads

Year	Download
2017 Merge	2.213.442
2018 Upgrade	3.557.131
2019 Estimate	+ 4.000.000

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Not a Publisher – a Platform Provider

- Courses:
  - Initial meeting
  - Introduction, setup, quick submit
  - Entire workflow
  - Subscription
- Online support (mail) and "OJS på Dansk"
- Help with indexing, add DOI's, register in Worldcat, our search system, Summon etc.
- We give advice on OA, DOAJ, indexing in Scopus/WoS, Copyright issues, GDPR and much more

- **Do not**: do PR, scan old articles, design homepages, typesetting, administration, editorial work etc.

Results and experiences

- The server had made it possible for existing journals to publish online – in some cases ensured that the journals could continue to publish
- The server has made old articles available – and they are being read
- Journals with subscriptions often use subscription in order to pay for printed copies
- Problems for the editors to understand consequences and implications of online publication regarding Subscriptions, OA, Copyright, Licensing (CC) and APC
- After some time journals changes from subscriptions and embargoes to immediate OA
- The server makes it possible for new journals to be created
- Student journals as a new genre
- Must be developed in dialogue with the users
- Could not be developed without dialogue with PKP, the community, the Danish OJS-network, the Swedish OJS-network, journal.fi and more
- Research Libraries operate OJS-servers

Why is a service like tidsskrift.dk necessary?

No income:
- Not interesting for international publishers
- No income from subscriptions due to OA
- No APC's

Still have Costs:
- Typesetting, layout
- Administration

Dependent on:
- Funding
- Affordable infrastructure - like tidsskrift.dk

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Links to Danish OJS servers

Aalborg University: https://journals.aau.dk/
Copenhagen Business School: https://rauli.cbs.dk/
Roskilde University: https://ojs.ruc.dk/index.php/index/index
Royal Danish Library: https://tidsskrift.dk/
Royal Danish Library's OJS Journal: OJS På Dansk (OJS in Danish): https://tidsskrift.dk/ojssb
Royal Danish Library OMP server: https://ebooks.au.dk/aul

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