Kick-off Planning Event 2010

A SPARC Web cast -- WEDNESDAY, June 2, 2010

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• Andrew Waller, Licensing and Negotiations Librarian, Collections Services, University of Calgary – site of the first Canadian open-access publishing fund

• Jamaica Jones, Special Projects Librarian, National Center for Atmospheric Research – the first NSF-funded agency to adopt an open-access policy
What we’ll cover

• What is Open Access Week?
• Who’s behind it?
• Framework for this year
• Support for action on the ground
• Next steps
What is Open Access Week?

• October 18 – 24, 2010
• www.openaccessweek.org
• Global event
• 4th year
• Marked by hundreds of sites in dozens of countries
• …
Learn
Share
Advance
Who’s behind it?

• Started by Students for Free Culture and the Alliance for Taxpayer Access (SPARC) (2007)
• Added support from the Public Library of Science (2008)
• Co-organizers in 2009: SPARC, PLoS, SFC, OAD, OASIS, eIFL, and JISC
And in 2010:
• Subbiah Arunachalam, Distinguished Fellow, the Centre for Internet and Society, Bangalore
• Leslie Chan, Program Supervisor for New Media Studies, University of Toronto Scarborough, Project Coordinator, Open Access Scholarly Information Sourcebook (OASIS)
• Melissa Hagemann, Senior Program Manager, Information Program, Open Society Institute
• Thomas Hickerson, Vice-Provost (Libraries and Cultural Resources) and University Librarian, University of Calgary
• Heather Joseph, Executive Director, Scholarly Publishing and Academic Resources Coalition (SPARC)
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• Li Lin, National Science Library, Chinese Academy of Sciences
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• Robin Peek, Editor, Open Access Directory, Associate Professor, Graduate School of Library and Information Science, Simmons College
• Carolina Rossini, Fellow, Berkman Center for Internet and Society at Harvard University, and Project Coordinator for Open Educational Resources Brazil
• Nick Shockey, Director, Right to Research Coalition
• Peter Suber, Berkman Fellow at Harvard University, Research Professor of Philosophy at Earlham College, and Senior Researcher at SPARC
• Alma Swan, Principal, Key Perspectives Ltd, Project Coordinator, Open Access Scholarly Information Sourcebook (OASIS)
• Ikuko Tsuchide, Digital Repository Federation, Japan
• Xiaolin Zhang, Executive Director, National Science Library, Chinese Academy of Sciences
Framework for this year

• Action!
  – RESEARCH FUNDER
  – RESEARCHER/FACULTY MEMBER
  – ADMINISTRATOR
  – PUBLISHER
  – STUDENT
  – LIBRARIAN
  – http://www.openaccessweek.org/profiles/blogs/welcome-to-open-access-week
Administrators – Ideas

- Promote an open-access policy
- Create an open-access fund
- Sign the Compact for open-access publishing equity
- Sign the Berlin Declaration on Open Access
Researchers – Ideas

- [http://www.openaccessweek.org/profiles/blogs/researchers-ideas](http://www.openaccessweek.org/profiles/blogs/researchers-ideas)
- Challenge from Dr. Bourne
- Be like Bourne
- Consider an open-access policy
- Adopt Open Access
This year’s OAWeek preparations kick off with a challenge to researchers from Dr. Philip E. Bourne, Professor of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences at the University of California San Diego and Founding Editor-in-Chief of PLoS Computational Biology. In a video posted to the OA Week Web site, Bourne calls upon scholars to think beyond free and ready access to the literature – made possible by Open Access – and consider how technology may be deployed to advance research, to truly mine the increasing amount of available literature.
• The best place to start: http://www.openaccessweek.org/profiles/blogs/welcome-to-open-access-week

• Jennifer McLennan’s blog: http://www.openaccessweek.org/profiles/blog/list?user=1rke2mugfmklr
Enabling advocates
EVTCS page has already demonstrated its advantages.

Just by declaring the event’s focus, targeted community and preliminary program, we have already linked up with like-minded people both in France and abroad. More interestingly however, the contacts have gone beyond just common interest, and the discussion has furiously evolved over email.

With 5 months to go, ju
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Lenus the Irish Health Repository

Lenus is an Irish health repository capturing official reports and research output from the national health service in Ireland the "Health Service Executive", government reports from the Department of Health and Children and literatures from other Irish health agencies. In addition Lenus captures theses and journal articles with permission from authors on health topics related to Irish health. Please check out www.lenus.ie

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EPT is requesting OA-stories that show the benefits to individuals and their research from OA

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Next steps

• Talk, share
  – Webcast
  – Online chat

• Join openaccessweek.org
  – Create a group for your region
  – Post your materials
  – List your events
  – Invite your colleagues
  – Work with the organizers
Let us know how to support you!
Jennifer McLennan
Director, Open Access Week

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