

## Open Access



### What does Open Access mean?

- Created at the start of the 1990s by scientists (physics)
- Gained relevance due to the so-called „journals crisis“
- Aims: free access to scientific information, unlimited world-wide availability, maximum distribution
- Numerous initiatives have followed ⇒ Public positioning (Budapest Open Access Initiative, Berlin Declaration, Alliance of the Sciences, DFG, UNESCO, etc.)

### Why Open Access?

- Quick availability of scientific information
- Increased visibility and effect
- Internationalisation
- Exploitation of the advantages of digitisation and the internet (integration of additional material, multimedia elements)
- Availability of research results for target groups who have practical applications for the research, and for the wider public
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### What are the publishing options?

- **The „golden“road**
  - Primary publication in Open Access journals (normally peer-reviewed)
  - Copyright generally stays with the author(s)
- **The „green“ road**
  - Parallel publication of a scientific work as a preprint or post print
    - on an institutional document server
    - on a subject specific document server

## OPEN ACCESS AT HEIDELBERG UNIVERSITY



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## Workshop as part of International Open Access Week 2009

19 - 23 October

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## International Open Access Week 2009

The International Open Access Week takes place this year from the 19th - 23rd October.

The aims are to make the topic of Open Access better known world-wide, and to promote and inform about free access to publicly funded research at various locations.

Actions and meetings as part of Open Access Week are planned at universities and related research institutions world-wide. More information can be found at:

<http://www.openaccessweek.org/about-the-week/>

Heidelberg University Library is supporting this international day of action. The Library has been active since 2000 in promoting Open Access within the University. Academics and students at the University of Heidelberg can learn about the numerous Open Access activities at an information event and numerous workshops.

The German contributions are coordinated by the Allianz AG Open Access and [open-access.net](http://open-access.net).



## Open Access at Heidelberg University

**Monday, 19th October 2009**

**16:00 to 19:00**

**Lecture room, University Library (basement)**

### Programme

- 16:00** Opening words  
*Dr. Veit Probst, UB Heidelberg*
- 16:15** HeiDOK – the Open Access publication platform of Heidelberg University  
*Ulrike Fälsch, LL.M., UB Heidelberg*
- 16:45** Electronic publishing on specialist document servers  
*Dr. Maria Effinger, UB Heidelberg*
- 17:15** Coffee break
- 17:30** Publishing E-Journals with Open Journal System (OJS)  
*Stefanie Clormann, UB Heidelberg*  
*Dr. Sabine Häußermann, UB Heidelberg*
- 18:00** The Heidelberg E-Journal "International Dream Research" – an example for OJS  
*Dr. Daniel Erlacher, Institut für Sport und Sportwissenschaft, Universität Heidelberg*
- 18:30** The media server of Heidelberg University  
*Klaus Kirchner, Universitätsrechenzentrum, Universität Heidelberg*
- 19:00** End of programme

### Registration

<http://open-access-week2009.uni-hd.de>

## Open Access Workshops

**20 - 23 October 2009**

**PC-Training room, University Library  
University Computing Centre**

### Programme

- Tues, 20.10.09** OA publishing in HeiDOK and the specialist document servers of Heidelberg University  
*Ulrike Fälsch, LL.M.*  
*Dr. Maria Effinger*  
16-17.30 PC-Training room, UB (basement)
- Wed, 21.10.09** The legal framework of OA publishing  
*Ulrike Fälsch, LL.M.*  
16-17.30 PC-Training room, UB (basement)
- Thurs, 22.10.09** OA publishing on the media server of Heidelberg University  
*Klaus Kirchner*  
10-11.30 Media Centre R 214, University Computing Centre
- Fri, 23.10.09** E-Journals publishing with Open Journal System (OJS)  
*Stefanie Clormann*  
*Dr. Sabine Häußermann*  
10-11.30 PC-Training room, UB (basement)

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