

Lyrasis Open Access Community Investment Program

The Lyrasis Open Access Community Investment Program (OACIP) provides a community-driven framework that enables multiple stakeholders - including academic and public libraries, academic departments, institutions, museums, and funding agencies - to evaluate and collectively fund Diamond Open Access (OA) journals, which are free to read and free to publish. The program is designed to be:

- **Sustainable** - Investments in OACIP support costs of labor, infrastructure, contingency, and innovation of each journal.
- **Principle-aligned** - The OACIP Criteria Form enables investors to make principled spending decisions and strategically fund programs that align with their missions.
- **Inclusive** - OACIP provides a hub for Diamond OA content published by nonprofit, academic-led publishers to sustain bibliodiversity, equity, and inclusion of scholarship.
- **Collaborative** - OACIP enables an array of communities to share the costs of funding scholarship
- **Efficient** - OACIP centralizes the administration and funding of individual journals or across the entire OACIP portfolio.

Pledge Support and Invest in OACIP Today

Visit the following programs at https://bit.ly/LYR_OACIP to review the participating journals' criteria responses, evaluate whether the investment opportunity makes sense for your organization, and commit funds. The investment window is open now through July 2023.

- **American Indian Culture and Research Journal**
- **Cultural Anthropology**
- **Engaging Science, Technology, and Society**
- **International Journal of Strength and Conditioning**
- **Language, Literature and Interdisciplinary Studies**
- **Liquid Blackness: Journal of Aesthetics and Black Studies**

How to Participate

You can participate by visiting the pages of the following pilot project programs to review the participating journals' criteria responses, evaluate whether the investment opportunity makes sense for your organization, and commit funds. The investment window is open now through July 31, 2023.

For additional information or to make pledge,
please email oacip@lyrasis.org.



Lyrasis Open Access Programs

Lyrasis supports a variety of Open Access (OA) initiatives and programs that create inclusive opportunities for diverse institutions to engage with an evolving scholarly communication and publishing landscape.

Partner Programs

- **Annual Reviews Subscribe-to-Open** - a program that uses Subscribe to Open to transition journals to open access
- **Demography: A Fully Open Access Journal** - a journal re-establishing itself as open access
- **DOAB/OAPEN Membership** - infrastructure service for discovery of open access books
- **Journal of City Climate Policy and Economy** - a new journal from University of Toronto Press addressing climate change using Subscribe to Open to publish it open access
- **Knowledge Unlatched** - books, journals, and infrastructure across multiple disciplines and publishers
- **Lever Press** - a native open access press governed by a community of liberal arts institutions that publish peer-reviewed, non-BPC, open access monographs at no cost to authors
- **Liverpool University Press Open Planning Subscribe to Open Journals** - a program that uses Subscribe to Open to transition journals to open access
- **MIT Press Direct to Open** - a non-BPC open access model designed to transition the frontlist to open access.
- **Open Library of Humanities** - a non-APC path for libraries to support humanities-focused OA peer-reviewed journal content
- **Opening the Future:** A collective subscription model that achieves the dual objectives of increasing library collections and supporting OA. Participating publishers include:
 - **Central European University Press Opening the Future**
 - **Liverpool University Press Opening the Future**
- **Punctum Books Supporting Library Membership Program** - a non-BPC open access independent press that specializes in paradigm-shifting work in the Humanities & Social Sciences
- **University of Michigan Press Fund to Mission Open Access Monographs** – a non-BPC open access model designed to transition the frontlist to open access.
- **SCOAP3** - a program that publishes open access physics journal articles and books

Lyrasis Initiatives

- **Lyrasis Open Access Community Investment Program (OACIP)** - a community-driven framework that enables multiple stakeholders to efficiently and strategically evaluate and collectively fund Diamond open access journals.
- **Lyrasis United Nations Sustainable Development Goals Fund** - supporting books on topics that address global challenges such as peace, equity, and climate change

US Community Programs

In addition to open access initiatives, Lyrasis serves as the United States (US) community home for three consortial programs designed to lower the barrier of participation for libraries of different sizes, missions, and constituencies to use open research infrastructure best practices: **ORCID US Community**, the **Lyrasis DataCite US Community** (for DOIs), and the **IRUS (Institutional Repository Usage Statistics) US Community**.