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Introduction
The Huddersfield Open Access Publishing (HOAP) project is part of the JISC Digital infrastructure programme.

The project aimed to develop a platform using EPrints software as a low cost, sustainable method to convert the University journal; Teaching in Lifelong Learning, from its existing model of a print subscription to an open access e-journal. The platform will now be used to convert other existing University journals in the future as well as a ‘best of Huddersfield research’ title that will draw its content from the Repository.

One of the outcomes of the project was to develop this toolkit for other institutions to use.

Moving to Open Access
It is not the role of this toolkit to argue the pros and cons of Open Access. However, the primary reasons for moving the Teaching in Lifelong Learning journal were twofold:

- Given the present and future public sector funding cuts and their impact on institutions, it is likely that, despite the reasonable pricing structure of the journal, many institutions may cancel their subscriptions
- There were significant cost implications and delays associated with the print version

These two factors work against the desires of the journal to increase its dissemination and open access is seen as the best way to further this aim.

Costs
Like many journals, the Teaching in Lifelong Learning journal relies on voluntary contributions for the editorial role and peer review. Income is derived subscription, a contribution from the Huddersfield University's Distributed Centre for Excellence in Teaching Training (HUDCETT) and the University’s Teaching and Learning Institute (TALI).

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70% of the expenditure is printing, postage and stationery costs associated with a print only copy. Thus a move to an online open access model, although meaning a loss from subscription income, would actually result in a reduction in the amount of contribution from HUDCETT. Given the aims of the journal to disseminate the work of early years researchers, this contribution is seen as an investment for future research.
Committee on Publishing Ethics (COPE)
The University Press has become a member of the Committee on Publishing Ethics (COPE). COPE is a forum for editors and publishers of peer-reviewed journals to discuss all aspects of publication ethics. It also advises editors on how to handle cases of research and publication misconduct.

http://publicationethics.org/

Joining COPE demonstrates a commitment to follow the standards of ethical publishing, and this in turn is an excellent advertisement for the quality of the journal. Costs are dependent on how many journals you publish; journals are permitted to display the COPE logo on their journal pages.

This journal is a member of and subscribes to the principles of the Committee on Publication Ethics.

Setting up the landing pages using EPrints
In order to complete some of the stages detailed below it is important to set up the journal landing pages and agree a URL. A basic html file was provided to Eprints together with the appropriate branding. The pages have been kept relatively simple and can be reproduced for other journals. In the case of Huddersfield, this may mean that the header is changed to reflect the research area of the journal (see appendix 6).

This was done in such a way that the specific journal landing pages and related contents pages could maintain links to relevant sections appropriate to the journal. Other titles could then be added at a later date. This allows each title to have its own branding on the landing pages and contents pages. For new titles, there may be a small charge for completing this work in the future.

The journal landing pages and the volume/issue pages are completely automated. They reference the ISSN, Year, Volume, Issue and page numbers in the articles, which are placed in the Repository in the normal way. Appendix 4 shows the instructions for adding a new article to the Repository for editorial staff.

A new issue will automatically create a new entry on the landing pages and a new issue page. Each article that is then deposited in that issue will be listed as they are deposited. This results in a very efficient workflow. An entire issue can be uploaded in just a few minutes.

The articles themselves maintain the standard Repository branding, but each one also links back to the journal pages. It is important to link back as the navigation will be different on the left hand menu. Although this could be seen as a negative, we think it simplifies the process and aids discovery, e.g. the article only has one instance in the repository and can be found through the repository, via Google (Scholar), Summon and the journal pages.
Specific areas of the landing page are described below.
All articles sit in the main repository with a link back to the journal landing page.

Subject Specialist Mentors in the Lifelong Learning Sector: The Subject Specialist Mentor Model; is it working? A case study approach

Bailey, Wayne and Schuch, Judith (2011) Subject Specialist Mentors in the Lifelong Learning Sector: The Subject Specialist Mentor Model; is it working? A case study approach. Teaching in Lifelong Learning: a journal to inform and improve practice, 3 (1). pp. 4-15. ISSN 2040-0993

Abstract

This short article explores whether using a mentoring model supports our Subject Specialist Mentors (SSMs) with their role of mentoring.

Usage statistics

A big advantage of only having one instance of the article is that we can use IRstats to monitor usage for all articles in the journal. This also allows authors to see their own statistics immediately.

Downloader Countries

Flag	Country	Downloads
£	United Kingdom	13
£	United States	2
£	Brazil	1
£	Poland	1
£	Malaysia	1
£	Taiwan, Province of China	1

More statistics for this item.
About
Possibly the simplest section to write, the ‘About’ section used the description from the printed journal to describe its aims and scope.

Notes for contributors
A major change resulting from the move from a subscription model to an open access model is the need to review the notes for contributors. The current print version requires the authors to assign the copyright to the University Press; however this goes against the ideals of open access.

The journal landing pages now feature a new ‘notes for contributors’ section, also attached as Appendix 1.

Licence to Publish
Another impact in the move from print to OA was the inclusion of a new ‘Licence to Publish’ (LtP), which replaces the previous copyright transfer agreement. The LtP now lets the author retain the copyright under a Creative Commons Attribution 3.0 Unported License (cc-by). This allows the University Press to publish the article first in the journal, but allows the author to add the PDF into their Institutional Repository and to re-use their work as they see fit without having to ask the University Press for further permission.

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The LtP has been approved and amended by the University Secretary who also sits on the University Press Editorial Board. The LtP is provided in Appendix 2 for others to use and adapt as they see fit.

Review process
One of the aims of the journal is to encourage early years researchers to publish. In order to make possible contributors aware of the peer review process, the journal makes its notes for reviewers available. These are included in Appendix 3

ISSN
When changing the format of a journal from print to electronic, the change in format has to be reflected in a new ISSN from the British Library ISSN UK Centre (http://forms.bl.uk/bibliographic/index.aspx). This is currently a free service. Details of the existing format need to be supplied together with the URL and details of the new format. There is a list of FAQs available for further information: http://www.bl.uk/bibliographic/issn.html#faq

Teaching in Lifelong Learning will display its print ISSN until the 1st e-only volume in 2012.

Adding the content
A guide to adding new journal content is available in Appendix 4

Metadata
Metadata is added using the standard version of the standard Eprints workflow. The journal pages are then automatically created using ISSN, Volume and Issue data to create the landing page and Vol/Issue pages (see above)

PDFs
In the case of the Teaching and Lifelong Learning journal, PDFs of the final printed versions were available, however, due to changes required after becoming CrossRef members (see below) the original Word copies had to be requested in order for changes to be made. Although this resulted in the correct metadata being added to the previous articles it did result in the format of the original
PDF and the Word/PDF copy being different. This has also led to a discrepancy in page numbering for older articles. For previous articles where there is no PDF, scanned copies would be required and this may prove very staff intensive.

**DOIs**

In order to make the journal discoverable, the University Press has become a ‘publisher’ member of CrossRef (http://www.crossref.org/). There are detailed instructions on the CrossRef site on how to apply: [http://www.crossref.org/01company/join_crossref.html](http://www.crossref.org/01company/join_crossref.html)

Membership allows the University Press to allocate a unique Digital Object Identifier (DOI) to each published article (there is an additional charge for each DOI created).

Once an article has its own DOI, it can benefit from stable links into the content from other sources, e.g. citation links etc. However, one of the conditions of membership is to add DOIs to ALL articles references where appropriate. This can be a time consuming process, however, it can be speeded up using the DOI name lookup on the CrossRef site: [http://www.crossref.org/guestquery/](http://www.crossref.org/guestquery/)

If the PDFs are scanned this could potentially create a problem, however, a separate references document could be created with the DOIs added. In addition, references have been added to the metadata display.

CrossRef members have 18 months to complete this task. However, the benefits far outweigh the time taken to complete the process, as both the journal and its references become visible.

The journal notes for contributors (Appendix 1) asks authors to provide the DOIs to the references where possible in order to cut down on the time taken to check this at the copy editing stage.
Dissemination

Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ)

‘The aim of the Directory of Open Access Journals is to increase the visibility and ease of use of open access scientific and scholarly journals thereby promoting their increased usage and impact. The Directory aims to be comprehensive and cover all open access scientific and scholarly journals that use a quality control system to guarantee the content. In short a one stop shop for users to Open Access Journals’.

DOAJ has its content indexed by the new web scale discovery systems such as Summon from Serials Solutions; therefore by placing the journal in DOAJ the full text is immediately more discoverable to the end user.

The steps in this toolkit support the information required by DOAJ for publishers: http://www.doaj.org/doaj?func=loadTempl&templ=forPublishers&uiLanguage=en. However, it should be noted that there is a considerable waiting list for inclusion.

Marketing

One of the attractive features of the commercial model is the ability of the publishers to market the content. For this reason it is important to include the University Marketing and Communication Unit. In addition, the editorial board can be used to publicise the article.

The following link from Co-Action Publishing and Lund University Library entitled Marketing Channels to Consider for Open Access Journals – Working Draft of Table to be included in the Best Practices Guide to Open Access Journals Publishing details some of the common techniques: http://www.openaccesspublishing.org/materials/marketing_%20channels.pdf

Workflows

Changes to the way the journal is published, have also led the changes in the workflows. A lot of time has been saved in preparing the print issue, for example the layout of the PDFs have been simplified from two columns to one in order to make improvements to the online reading experience. However, there is now more work at the typesetting stage as DOIs have to be added to all references and checked for accuracy. However, publishing is almost instantaneous, with an entire journal able to go live within a couple of hours. Appendix 5 details the new workflows for the journals.

Setting up a new journal

The steps above refer to the transfer of a title from print to electronic, however, during the project, a number of potential new titles at the University came to light. The steps above are all relevant to the setting up of a new borne digital open access journal.

At the launch event for SAS Open Journals (http://sasopenjournals.blogspot.com/2011/10/sas-open-journals-launched.html), Damien Short gave a presentation on the questions that face the editor of a prospective new journal, Appendix 6 takes its inspiration from Damien’s comments along with guidelines already in existence for new book suggestions for the University of Huddersfield Press.

Setting up a best of research title

One of the outcomes of the HOAP project was an investigation into a best of research title that could be used to showcase already published articles of a high standard that were available in the University Repository. This idea has been accepted in principle by the University Research and Enterprise Directorate and the Heads of Research in the University. Although this journal, provisionally called Huddersfield Research Review will not be launched during the lifespan of this HOAP project, Appendix 7 details the provisional Terms of reference and selection criteria for the title.
Appendix 1

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Notes for contributors

Submission of article
Please read the following notes before submitting material for possible publication and ensure that contributions comply with these. When submitting your article all authors must have agreed to the submission and the article should not currently be considered for publication by any other journal nor been published previously.

Submissions should include:
- Title page with full title and subtitle (if any). For the purposes of blind refereeing, the full name of each author with current affiliation and full address/phone/fax/email details should appear on a separate sheet.
- Abstract of 100-150 words.
- 5-10 key words. If you do not provide these, the editor may insert key words at their own discretion.
- Main text and word count – articles should be no longer than 4,000 words (not including references). Text to be clearly organised, with a clear hierarchy of headings and subheadings and quotations exceeding 40 words displayed, indented, in the text. Texts of a length greatly exceeding this will be considered as interest warrants and space permits.

Text
Please ensure your document is a basic Word file, typed in single spacing throughout, using Garamond 10pt. We would ask that you do not use paragraph spacing but carriage returns to indicate paragraph breaks. Please do not use footnotes or endnotes embedded in the text. End notes, if necessary, should be signalled by superscript numbers in the main text and listed at the end of the text before the references. Illustrations are welcomed; however, Authors are responsible for obtaining permissions from copyright holders for reproducing any illustrations, tables, figures or lengthy quotations previously published elsewhere. See below for technical details. We cannot guarantee that they will appear exactly in the position suggested, due to layout constraints.

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Use single quotation marks with double quotes inside single quotes. Present dates in the form 1 May 2008. Do not use points in abbreviations, contractions or acronyms (e.g. AD, USA, Dr, PhD).

References
References in both the text and end notes should follow Harvard style. References are cited thus: (author, date: page) e.g. (Brown, 2008: p. 10). In addition, authors are asked to provide the Digital Object Identifiers (DOIs) to the references where possible.

An alphabetical references section should follow the text (and end notes if any), using the Harvard system. Examples:


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Appendix 2

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- Notes for reviewers
- Return Sheet – response to author(s)
- Return Sheet – response to editor

Notes for reviewers – general guidance

1. All communication should be electronic.

2. Since we would like to send your review directly to the author(s), do not add your name to the response to author(s) Return Sheet. Please annotate your copy of the article so that the author(s) can see where queries have been raised.

3. Given the tight deadlines between submission and publication, we need to give author(s) a prompt decision. If for some reason you are unlikely to be able to let us have your review within three weeks, please return it to the editor as soon as you receive it so that another reviewer can be found.

4. Reviewers’ names are not included on the Return Sheet to author(s).

5. It is helpful if your comments can be phrased in a constructive way. Author(s) have normally invested a lot of energy and personal commitment in what they have written, and this should be respected. It is particularly helpful if the paper’s positive features can be recognised as well as any deficiencies it may have, and clear suggestions for improvement can be offered.
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Title of article:

Name of reviewer:

Date sent to reviewer: | Date to return to editor: | Date returned to editor:

Reviewer’s recommendation:
Please tick one box, as appropriate:

- Accept
- Accept after minor revisions
- Reject, inviting re-submission
- Reject outright
- Not appropriate for this journal

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1. Login to the University Repository: [http://eprints.hud.ac.uk](http://eprints.hud.ac.uk) using your network login and password.

2. The Manage deposits page will display. This is your User Workarea. You can get back to this page at any time by clicking on ‘Manage deposits’ on the top menu bar.

3. Once you have logged in click on **New Item**.

4. To deposit an article work through the following screens:

   ![Manage deposits screenshot](image)

   **Type** → **Upload** → **Details** → **Subjects** → **Deposit**

5. Select **Article** from the list of item types and click on **Next**.

Upload

6. Click the **Browse...** button and find the file where the PDF of the article is saved, double click on the file which will now appear in the box. Click the **Upload** button to upload it to the archive.

7. For each article:

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   **Description**: Leave blank
   **Visible to**: Leave as ‘Anyone’.
   **License**: select ‘Creative Commons Attribution Share-Alike 3.0’.
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   **Embargo reason**: Leave blank.
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**Details**

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**Creators:** Add the author last name and first name(s) as indicated. You do not need to add the email address here; unless the article is authored by a member of University staff (this field uses the staff email address to add the item to the research outputs on the Research Office pages).

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- Publisher: University of Huddersfield
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**Rights:** Add any appropriate rights information here.

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13. Click on the **Deposit Item Now** button to publish the article.

14. Check the details and click on **Move to Repository**. If you need to make changes to the item, click on **Edit Item**.
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16. It is important to check the Teaching in lifelong learning landing page to confirm that the articles have been added correctly. [http://eprints.hud.ac.uk/journal_till/](http://eprints.hud.ac.uk/journal_till/)
GUIDELINES FOR THE PREPARATION OF JOURNAL PROPOSALS

Please send a detailed description of the journal covering the following points:

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Please send your proposal via email to Graham Stone, University of Huddersfield Press Manager
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Appendix 6

HUDDERSFIELD OPEN ACCESS PUBLISHING (HOAP)

Huddersfield Research Review (Draft proposal)

ISSN: pending

Frequency: quarterly

Description: The aim of Huddersfield Research Review (HRR) is to showcase the most significant research at the University of Huddersfield in each of themes outlined below. The Journal will be developed using the Huddersfield Open Access Publishing platform.

Each issue of HRR will include interviews with the authors of the most cited and/or most downloaded University articles in a specific research area together with an editorial overview by a senior researcher who will locate the Huddersfield research within the broader national and international literature in the relevant fields and disciplines.

There will be links to items in the University Repository and to relevant news articles and stories that contribute to an understanding of the work and its contribution to knowledge and to human welfare.

The impact beyond academia of the research cited will be a focus of each issue, with a strong emphasis on contributions to economic development, global quality of life and enabling environments.

The potential for further exploitation of the research discussed will also be explored and the journal will thus contribute to securing the maximum benefit from our research.

Selection criteria:
Highly cited articles on Web of Science (WoS) or Scopus and/or downloads from the University repository over a period judged appropriate by the editor of each issue and reference to external benchmarks, guidance, and indicators of best practice will guide the selection of material for HRR. Suggestions from senior researchers involved in research assessment will also be taken into account.
The rationale and method used to select the research highlighted will be justified in each issue, but will be governed by established principles of research quality.

For example, the 2010 JCR impact factors (released in 2011) were calculated as follows:

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\text{impact factor} = \frac{\text{total citations received in 2010 to articles published in 2008 and 2009}}{\text{total number of articles published in 2008 and 2009}}
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The 2010 impact factor for Advances in Physics was calculated as follows:

- Citations in 2010 to articles published in Advances in Physics in 2008 = 115
- Citations in 2010 to articles published in Advances in Physics in 2009 = 86
- Total citations received in 2010 to articles published in 2008 and 2009 = 201
- Number of articles published in Advances in Physics in 2008 = 12
- Number of articles published in Advances in Physics in 2009 = 9
- Total number of articles published in 2008 and 2009 = 21

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\text{2010 impact factor for Advances in Physics} = \frac{201}{21} = 9.571
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**International Editorial Board:**
Subject to approval by the University Research Committee we will aim to establish an international editorial board early in 2012 with a view to producing the first issue soon thereafter. The Editor-in-Chief will be a senior Huddersfield academic who has been interviewed and appointed to the role for an initial period of two years.

The Editorial Board will ensure that an informed international perspective is brought to bear on the selected contributions. The Board will include research users with experience of evaluating the cultural and socio-economic impact of research.