

# Initiative for Open Abstracts Launches to Promote Discovery of Research

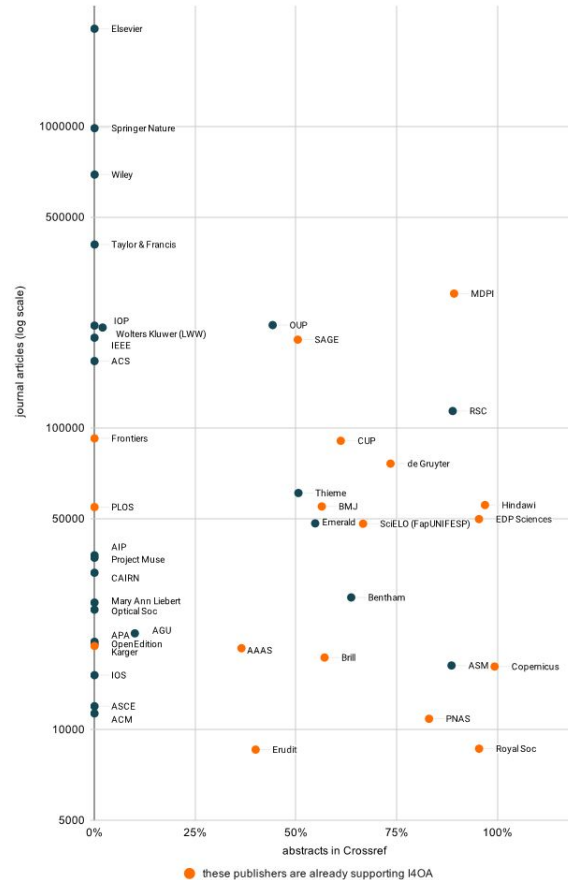
A new cross-publisher initiative calls for unrestricted availability of abstracts to boost the discovery of research

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Join our webinar: Monday October 5, 4 pm CEST  
<https://tinyurl.com/i4oa-webinar>

selected publishers - abstracts in Crossref  
 journal articles (2018-2020) per 2020-09-01



● these publishers are already supporting I4OA

The Initiative for Open Abstracts (I4OA) calls on scholarly publishers to open their abstracts, and specifically to deposit them with Crossref. Unrestricted availability of abstracts will boost the discovery of research.

**40 publishers have already agreed to support I4OA** and to make their abstracts openly available. The full list of publishers is available on the I4OA website

I4OA is also supported by a large number of **research funders, libraries and library associations, infrastructure providers, and open science organizations.**

*"Authors' abstracts are a key tool for literature discovery, and we're delighted to support this initiative to create a high quality corpus of freely accessible abstracts in Crossref."*

Mandy Hill, Managing Director of Academic Publishing at Cambridge University Press

Individuals from these organizations collaborated to initiate I4OA:



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