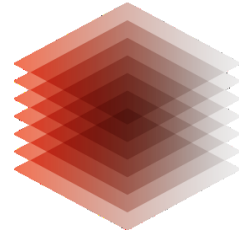


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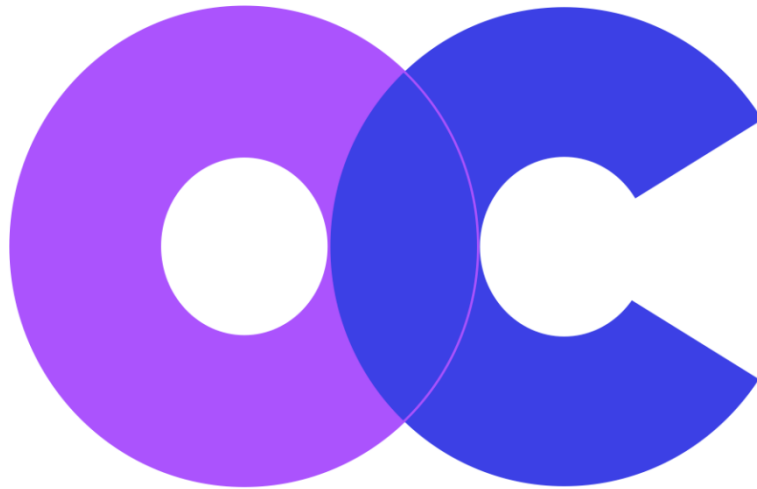


## Citation indexes focus on exclusivity

- Citation databases focus on exclusivity instead of inclusion
- Scholar-led journals have a hard time being included in these databases
- Journals from big publishers have an edge because there is more knowledge about how to get into the citation indexes.



# Open Citations



- Dissemination of **open research information** fosters visibility and connectivity of research output
- **Citation metadata** is key for connecting publications
- Diverse contributions to the **citation commons** are critical for fair and responsible research evaluation
- Open Citations have a potential for increased diversity



## The idea:

There are ~ 25.000 OJS journals around the world (Khanna et al 2021).

Let's make contributing to the citation commons easier for them.



# The OJS implementation

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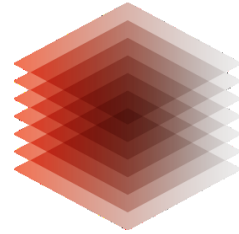
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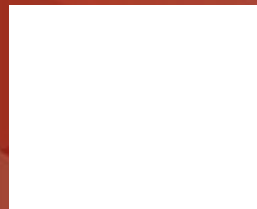
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