



E-prints LIS Repository

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What is E-prints?

Open Access and Institutional Repositories with EPrints

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- Multi-Language Support
- OAI Compliant

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- [ROME](#) tracks journal/publisher "green" policies on author self-archiving
- The [OAA Bibliography](#) tracks the studies on the OA advantage in research usage and impact.
- The [Self-Archiving FAQ](#) tracks and answers questions about self-archiving.

Video: Stevan Harnad on Integrating Research and Thesis Mandates



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[Video](#) of Stevan Harnad's "The Open Access Movement: Integrating Universities' ETD-Deposit and Research-Deposit Mandates, Repositories and Metrics"
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What is E-LIS

- Open access, international, archive and repository
- Free access and free archiving for all
- For LIS-
- In addition to traditional Library Science subjects, E-LIS also includes all technical and applied disciplines relating to the Librarianship and Information Science world

Why E-LIS

- Evolution of DoIS, Documents of Information Science, service providing access to articles and conference proceedings
- Promote Open Access and Self Archiving
- Compliment traditional publishing
- Compliments Institutional Repositories
- Online availability
- Increased visibility of authors

Why E-LIS

Online availability increase impact of your research

Studies confirm increase in citation, see the OpCit Project's

“Effect of open access and downloads ('hits')

on citation impact: a bibliography of studies”

<http://opcit.eprints.org/oacitation-biblio.html>

Who - team



Imma Subirat, Chief



Jose Manuel
Barruero Cruz,
Administrator,
Spain



Thomas Krichel, Admin
Board, US



Antonela De Robbio,
Admin Board, Italy

Who ... team

Administrative Board, the chair is Jose`e
Co-ordinator of the country editor, Imma
Subirat

Technical board – responsible for service
offered by E-LIS

Thematic editors, chaired by Thomas Krichel
Chief Executive Officer, Imma Subirat

Who ... editors

Country editors – 64 from 42 countries

- quality control of **metadata**
- **Promote** self-archiving
- **Assist** authors in the self-archiving process

- Volunteer
- No financial benefit
- Work **cooperatively**

Who – Team SA



Jennifer De
Beers –
March 2004



Fatima Darries

October 2005, co-
editor

2007, primary
editor



Wynand van der
Walt

2007 co-editor

Contents ... submission

E-LIS repository accepts

- any scientific or technical document
- Published or unpublished
- Librarianship, Information Science and Technology and related activities
- In any language

Contents

Criteria for acceptance

- Documents should be relevant to research in LIS Fields
- and that they have the form of a finished document that is ready to be entered into a process of communication

Contents ... Type

- Books
- Book chapters
- Preprints
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- Conference proceedings
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 - AC. Relationship of LIS with other fields. (171)
 - AZ. None of these, but in this section. (92)
 - B. Information use and sociology of information. (2716)
 - BA. Use and impact of information. (399)
 - BB. Bibliometric methods. (467)
 - BC. Information in society. (366)
 - BD. Information society. (258)
 - BE. Information economics. (100)
 - BF. Information policy (273)
 - BG. Information dissemination and diffusion. (556)
 - BH. Information needs and information requirements analysis. (231)
 - BI. User interfaces, usability. (182)
 - BZ. None of these, but in this section. (68)
 - C. Users, literacy and reading. (879)
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 - CB. User studies. (204)
 - CC. User categories: children, young people, social groups. (104)
 - CD. User training, promotion, activities, education. (289)
 - CE. Literacy. (139)
 - CF. Reading and story telling. (48)
 - CZ. None of these, but in this section. (43)
 - D. Libraries as physical collections. (1594)
 - DA. World libraries. (18)
 - DB. National libraries. (86)
 - DC. Public libraries. (320)
 - DD. Academic libraries. (527)
 - DE. School libraries. (51)
 - DF. Government libraries. (43)
 - DG. Private libraries. (11)
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E-LIS – what others say

- Peter Jasco Review of E-LIS on Peter Jasco Shelf in 2007 available at <http://www.galegroup.com/reference/peter/200705/e-lis.htm>
- Compares E-LIS with other LIS Open Access resources, such as smaller DLIST repository and the larger EBSCO's LISTA. Both E-LIS and DLIST contain documents not available in LISTA

E-LIS -what other say

Strengths

- International, multilingual coverage
- JITA Classification Scheme,
- exceptional browsing functionality
- More than half of the content at the time was peer-reviewed.

E-LIS ... in other places

Rated as one of top 3 Subject Repositories
according to the January 2008 Webometrics
Ranking

- Industry trends: Subject repositories Top Ranking.

http://www.researchinformation.info/news/news_story.phpnews_id=217

Content ... Subjects

Most arguments regarding the building of digital libraries, tools and scope, electronic publishing items, techniques and methodologies from metadata description to preservation, archiving to copyright, have place into E-LIS

Who - users


























































- Only submitter have to register!
 - Complete registration form
 - Receive confirmation e-mail
 - Respond to confirmation e-mail (i.e. confirm your registration)
- Once registered, sign on
- Go through submission workflow
- Country (metadata) Editor (approves / rejects / returns to author to modify) before/if submission is accepted into the archive

Jennifer De Beer –

<http://eprints.rclis.org/4033/2/DeBeerJenniferWCHELIGwshop14Jun2005.pdf>

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 Europe	110506	94977	
 United_Kingdom	51168	89079	
 Venezuela	80082	78562	
 Germany	80400	75145	
 India	83990	72844	
 Indonesia	45385	71773	
 Chile	64989	71003	
 Peru	64586	69424	
 Turkey	68525	57208	
 Japan	64698	54043	
 China	42874	42392	
 Poland	42021	38532	
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 Puerto Rico	13153	10692
 Hong Kong	10489	10478
 Uruguay	10331	10253
 Philippines	16832	9891
 Croatia	16350	9868
 Guatemala	9636	9849
 Dominican Republic	12039	9796
 South Africa	23877	9081
 El Salvador	7295	7709
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 Singapore	8248	4845
 Belgium	6300	4528
 New Zealand	5214	4400
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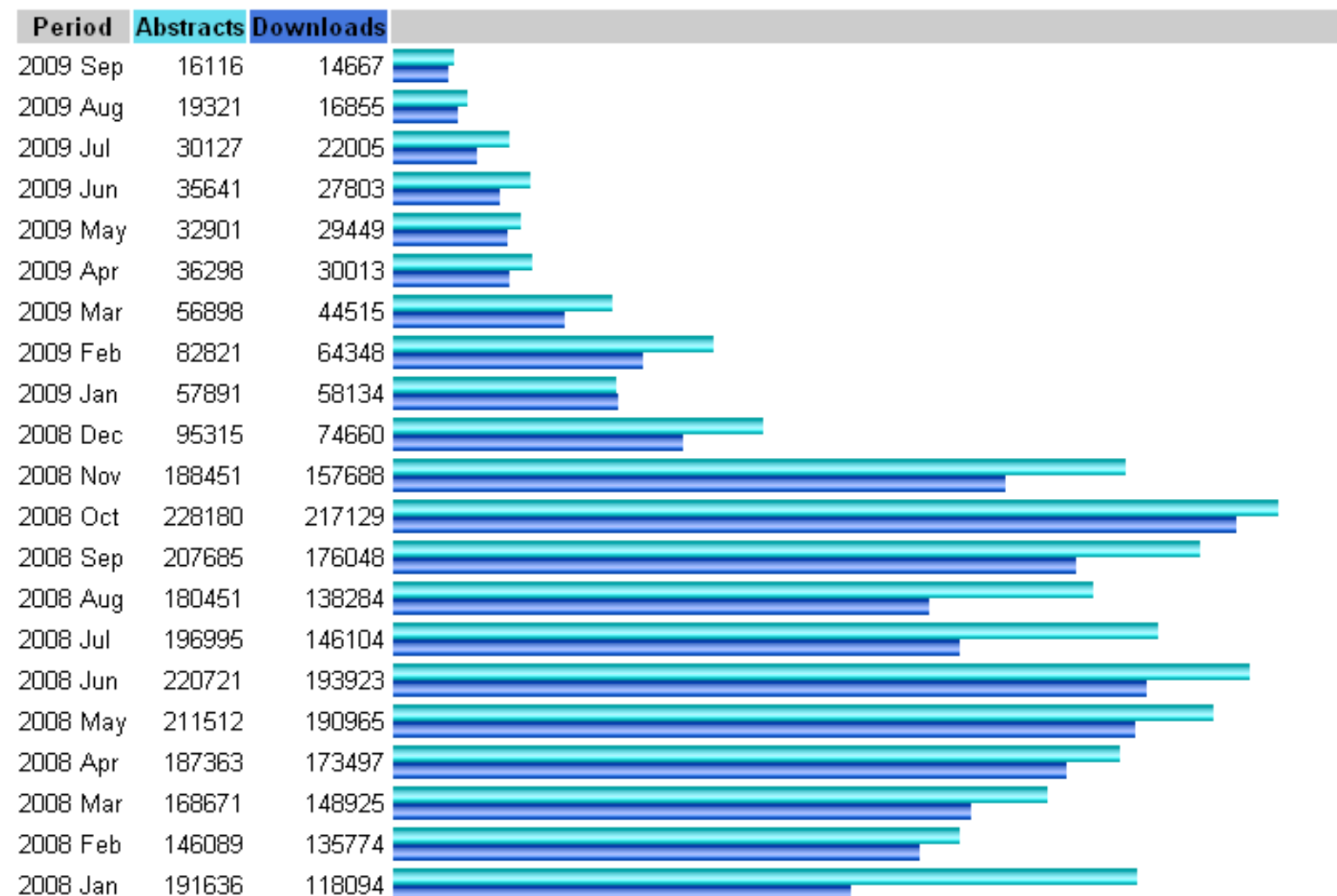
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