Scholar publications and Open Access Policies: the Ktisis case

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- Open Access

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Open Access

➢ Knowledge is everybody´s right
➢Economic crisis

Library working towards Open Access

➢Recommendations of the European University Association on Open Access
  ➢Universities have to develop strategies for Open Access in scientific work
  ➢Institutional Repository
  ➢Institutional policies
  ➢Intellectual property rights management
  ➢Promote "author pays model" of Open Access

Library working towards Open Access

- Obligation of the academic staff to self archive their scientific work in IR
- The Library developed the IR Ktisis
- Intellectual output of the University should be deposited in Ktisis
- The University signed the Berlin Declaration on Open Access
- The Library created a management policy of publications and intellectual output

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Institutional repository policies

➢ Benefits of a policy framework

  ➢ Facilitates stakeholder
  ➢ Helps with the planning and decision-making processes
  ➢ Ensures support for the repository

➢ Policies exist in the environment of the institution

Institutional repository policies

➢Operational policy framework

➢Submission policies
➢Collection policies
➢Preservation policies
➢Usage policies

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Ktisis

➢ Open access Institutional Repository
➢ Goals:
  ➢ To guarantee long term preservation and access to data
  ➢ To promote interest and involvement in the digitization process
  ➢ To promote open access at the Cyprus University of Technology

Cyprus University of Technology
Ktisis Institutional Repository

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Welcome to Ktisis, the Institutional Repository of the Cyprus University of Technology-Library. Ktisis is an open source institutional repository gathering any digital material relating to the various activities of the Cyprus University of Technology especially original research material produced by the members of the University. Defined in this framework, Ktisis demonstrates the intellectual life and the research activities of the University, preserving, spreading and promoting the scientific research to the local and international community. Ktisis was named after the symbol of the Cyprus University of Technology depicting Ktisis, the spirit of creation. The symbol originates from a mosaic notation at the Efstolios house that lies in ancient Curium and originates at the start of the 5th d.c. century.

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The Ktisis Policy Framework

➢ Submission policy:
➢ Who can deposit
➢ Ktisis publication categories
➢ Peer reviewed journal articles
➢ PhD Theses
➢ MSc Theses
➢ Format
➢ Pdf files
➢ Zip files

The Ktisis Policy Framework

➢Content policy:

     ➢CUT Academic Publications

     ➢Publications of CUT Administrative Staff

     ➢Academic publications in other institutions

     ➢Theses and Dissertations (ETDs)

➢Dissertations policies

The Ktisis Policy Framework

➢Scholar publications

     ➢Journal articles
     ➢Pre-publication web posting
     ➢Book and book chapter
     ➢Electronic books
     ➢Conference papers

The Ktisis Policy Framework

➢ Metadata policy

  ➢ Dublin Core
  ➢ OAI-PMH (Open Archive Initiatives - Protocol for Metadata Harvesting)

➢ Preservation policy
➢ Usage policy

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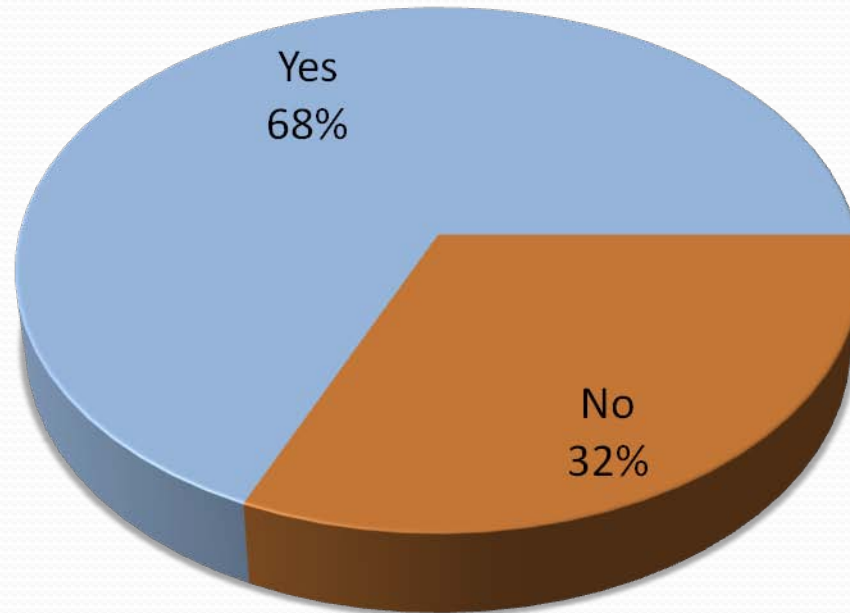➢ Future perspectives

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Future perspectives

➢ Institutional repository policies need revisions

➢Library conducted a survey

➢Survey's aim was to examine the degree of familiarity of the academic community and PhD students with Open Access

➢The views and difficulties faced by the academic community and PhD students on the Open Access publishing model

Research Methodology

➢ The data for this survey was gathered using an online questionnaire

➢ Surveymonkey http://www.surveymonkey.com/

➢ Survey period: 2 weeks (21/9/2011-06/10/2011)

➢ Academic Staff: 361 people

➢ 101 responses

➢ The questionnaire was structured in three parts
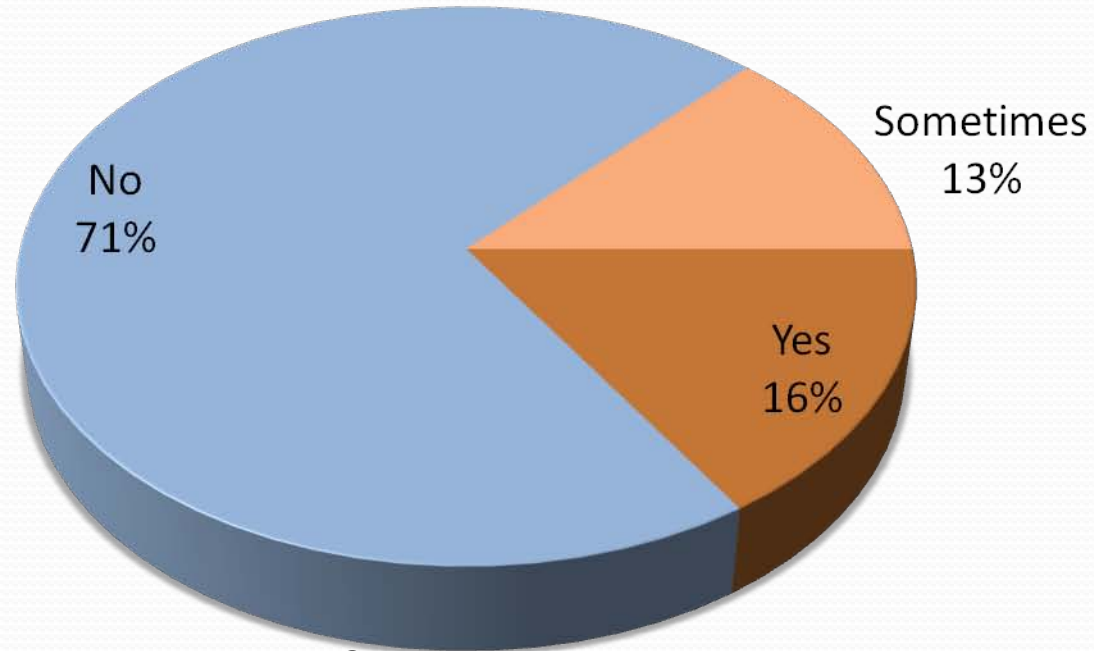
Results

Do you know what Open Access is?

- ➢ 84% are aware of Open Access scientific journals in their field
- ➢ They often use articles from Open Access journals for research and/or scientific purposes

Ktisis

Do you submit your publications in the institutional repository Ktisis

➢ They are not aware of Ktisis

➢ Academic community prefer to publish in commercial publisher journals (Elsevier, Springer, Willey, Sage, etc.)

Author addendum

- 87% is not negotiating the terms and conditions with the publishers

- 89% would like the university to develop an author addendum policy

- Author addendum policies are very important because with this agreement the author keeps the critical rights

Future perspectives

➢Better strategy for promoting Open Access journals and "author pay model"

➢Develop author addendum policy

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➢Scholar publications and Open Access

➢Open Access gains more followers

Thank you!

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