

OPEN ACCESS OVERVIEW

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OPEN ACCESS @ DE GRUYTER

The market is on a path to permanent change.

De Gruyter was an early adopter and remains a strong advocate of open access.

Today, the entire organisation is aligned to strengthen OA @ DG.

Going forward, we will continue to grow and improve our open access product offer and build the necessary workflows and infrastructure needed to support transformation to OA.

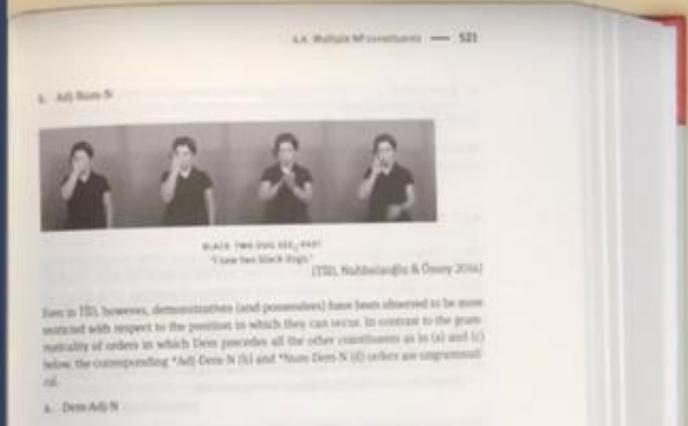
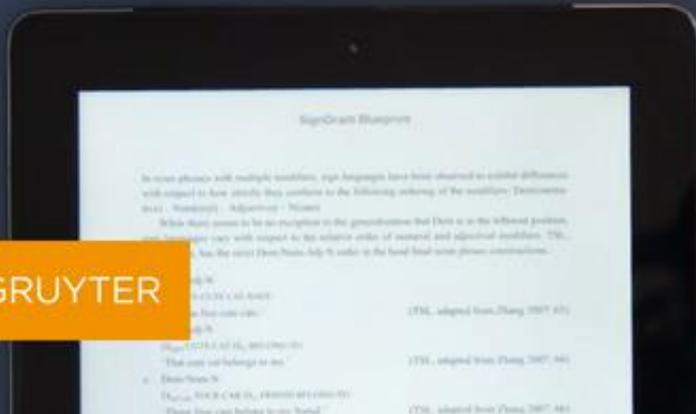
Numerous challenges – flipping journals, OA funding for Humanities,



THE LARGEST INDEPENDENT PUBLISHER OF OPEN ACCESS BOOKS



DISCOVER OA AT DE GRUYTER



2005

1st OA book published



2011

Acquisition of OA publisher Versita(Sciendo)



2013

Launch of 1st OA HSS journal



2015

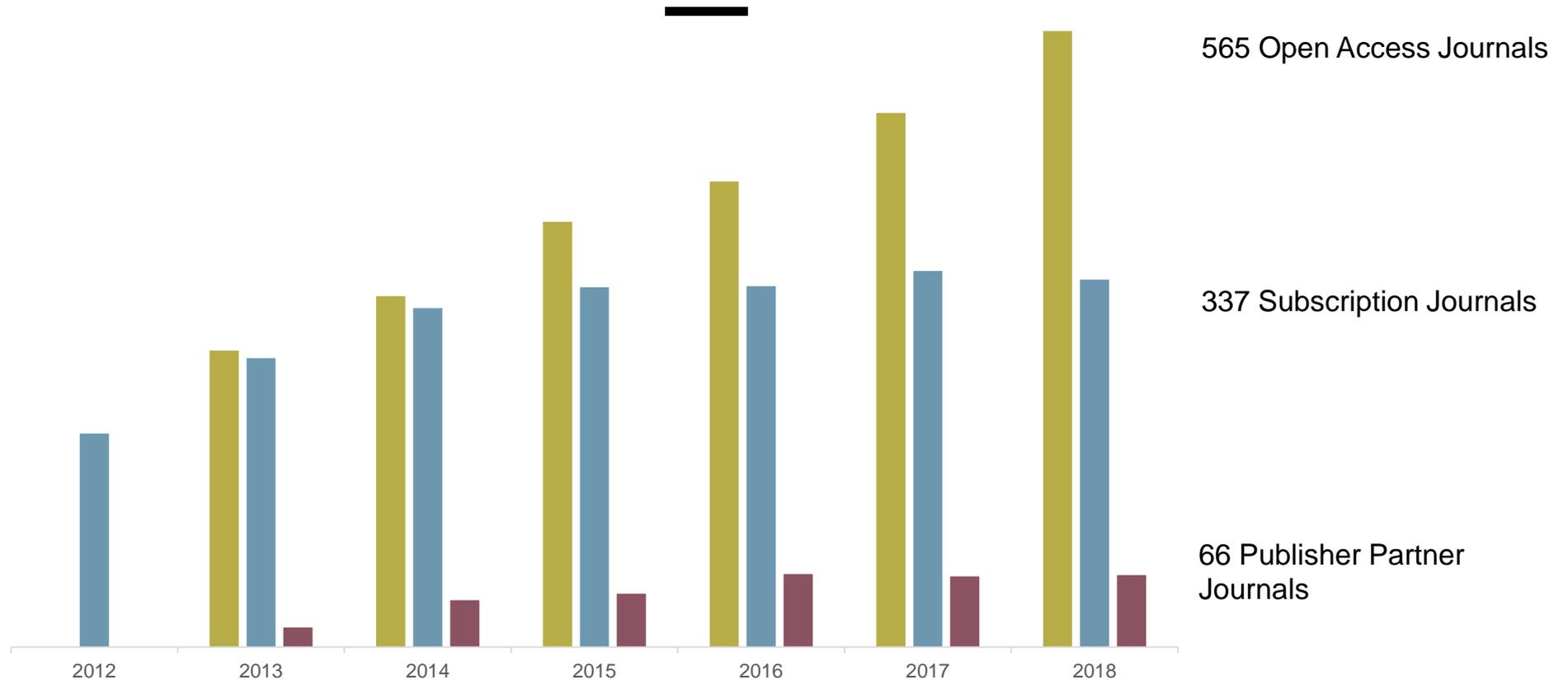
De Gruyter converts subscription journals to OA for first time



2019

Over 1500 OA books on degruyter.com

JOURNAL TITLE DEVELOPMENT



WHAT WE DID IN 2018

- ✓ OA further imbedded in organisation
- ✓ Growth of OA product portfolio- flipped journals
- ✓ OA on degruyter.com
- ✓ APC payment system
- ✓ OA grant database
- ✓ Institutional Membership revised
- ✓ New R&P deals signed/Offset



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	UK	Netherlands	Sweden	Austria	Switzerland	USA	Hungary	Qatar	ZBW
Offset		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
R&P	✓					✓			✓



OPEN ACCESS JOURNALS: HIGHLIGHTS



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PLAN S

- ▶ What is Plan S?
 - ▶ 12 National funders, 2 European funders and 4 Charitable Foundations (cOAlition S)
 - ▶ Aim to achieve full OA from 2020
- ▶ What are the requirements ?
 - ▶ Funder recipients will need to publish in a full OA journal or OA platform
 - ▶ And / or make final version of manuscript freely available under liberal reuse
 - ▶ Hybrid journals will not be compliant but hybrid OA via transformative agreements allowed for a limited period
 - ▶ Transformative agreements should pave the way for libraries to switch from funding subscription to OA
 - ▶ Funders will also set a fee (price cap) that publishers can charge for APC's



DE GRUYTER'S RESPONSE

- ▶ What is our response?
 - ▶ De Gruyter supports the broad aims BUT
 - ▶ Plan S has no regard for HSS – HSS journals are not sustainable in APC model.
 - ▶ The timing is completely unrealistic
 - ▶ The bias against hybrid OA violates researchers' freedom.
 - ▶ The majority of European funders do not support Plan S

Link: <https://www.degruyter.com/dg/page/open-access-statement/de-gruyter-position-on-plan-s>



OA AS A PREREQUISITE



DE GRUYTER

DE GRUYTER PUBLISHING IN HUNGARY

DE GRUYTER AUTHOR OVERVIEW 2018

Institution	No of Authors
University of Debrecen	97
Szent István University	78
Hungarian Academy of Sciences - all institutes	77
Eötvös Loránd University	73
University of Pannonia	65
University of Pécs	54
Budapest University of Technology and Economics	42
University of Szeged	33
Corvinus University of Budapest	25
University of Sopron	20
Semmelweis University	20
University of Miskolc	14
University of Veterinary Medicine Budapest	11
Széchenyi István University	11
Pázmány Péter Catholic University	10
Central European University	8
Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church	5

CORRESPONDING AUTHOR SUMMARY 2018

Articles published by Hungarian Researchers 2018	Corresponding Authors
All De Gruyter authors including Sciendo	185
All authors De Gruyter Hybrid and Gold OA	51
No. of Pure OA articles - All authors	8
Hybrid - All institutions	43
Hybrid OA articles from participating institutions	8

DE GRUYTER ARTICLE OVERVIEW 2018

Institution	No of Articles
Budapest University of Technology and Economics	22
University of Pannonia	21
Szent István University	20
Hungarian Academy of Sciences - all institutes	19
Eötvös Loránd University	14
University of Debrecen	12
University of Pécs	12
University of Sopron	7
University of Szeged	7
Central European University	4
Corvinus University of Budapest	4
University of Miskolc	4
University of Veterinary Medicine Budapest	4
Pázmány Péter Catholic University	3
Széchenyi István University	3
Semmelweis University	2
Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church	1

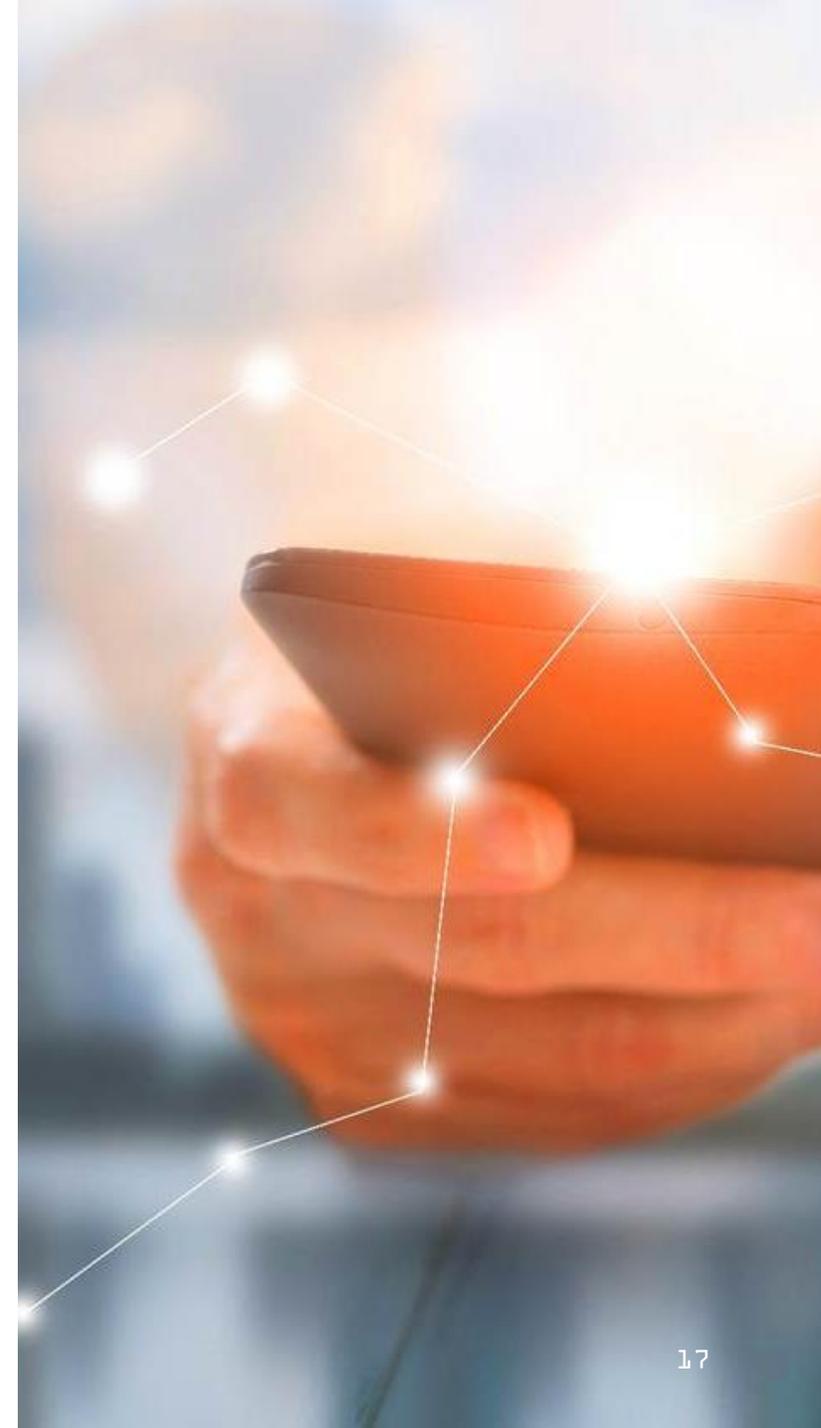
PARTICIPATING INSTITUTIONS 2019

Participating Institutions	Package
Eötvös Loránd University	Complete
Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church in Hungary	Complete
University of Szeged	Complete
University of Pannonia	STM
Andrássy Universität Budapest	HSS
Lutheran Theological University	HSS
MTA Research Centre for the Humanities	HSS
Library and Information Centre of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences	HSS
National Széchényi Library, Budapest, Hungary	HSS
Pázmány Péter Catholic University	HSS
Semmelweis University	Medicine

THE OPENSOURCE BLOG

<https://openscience.com/tag/de-gruyter/>

- ▶ Covers the topics of Open Access practices and news
 - ▶ OA book and journal publishing
 - ▶ Mandates
 - ▶ Publication-level indexing
 - ▶ Visibility and digital optimization
 - ▶ Market dynamics of OA adoption and performance
- ▶ Frequent publication of guest articles, interviews with book and article authors and feature presentations of special journal issues





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