

Developing and Adjusting Guidelines, Policies (WP2)

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Topics

Actions in the last 11 months

Results (positive, but also negative)

Plans for the next 7 months

WP 2 - activities



Lobbing (a lot of)

- Government partner came from “wrong” department

State officials responsible for science

- four official meetings on OS topics in last 4 months
- they are interested, but....
- they changed responsible person in this project



Lobbing (1/4)

Results (positive):

- (1) Working Group for Implementation of the Open Science Policy in Serbia officially formed on July, 14th
- (2) Starting Document named “Open Science Policy in Serbia” prepared
- (3) Next call for national projects already include clause:

During the project, researchers are obliged to deposit the results of scientific research work in the form of an integral text in the repository (green open access).

У току трајања пројекта истраживачи су у обавези да резултате научноистраживачког рада депонују у облику интегралног текста у репозиторијум (зелени отворени приступ).

WP 2 - activities



Lobbing (2/4)

National Council for Science (3 meetings)

- they are not politicians, they are scientist
- they do not make decisions

Results (positive):

Establish the National Repository of Research Results, which would not only significantly contribute to increasing the visibility of the research sector's results, but would eliminate the current chaos in the record and evaluation of the results of scientific work in the Republic of Serbia.



Lobbing (3/4)

Amendments to the Draft Law on Higher Education

- coordinated action from Belgrade and Novi Sad
- sent two new amendments to Article 32 and Article 58, as well as reinforcement of Article 40
- idea: Open Science in LHE

Results (negative):

- *no comments, no response*

Lobbing (4/4)

Among Serbian Universities

EUA (European University Association) Open Access Survey

1. University of Belgrade
2. University of Kragujevac
3. University of Pristina temporarily settled in K.Mitrovica
4. University of Niš
5. State University of Novi Pazar
6. Singidunum University
7. John Naisbitt University



Legislative:

- active role in national working group on OS
- policy paper on the national level (continued)
- proposal for improvement other documents:
 - local journals, monographs, proceedings

Relationship between public funding and public access

National Rector Conference (December) :

- present (15 minutes) universities role in OS
- translation of few important documents on OS:

1. Towards Full Open Access in 2020: aims and recommendations for university leaders and National Rectors' Conferences, University Association 2017
2. PASTER4OA: Briefing paper: Open Access
3. PASTEUR4OA / OA Policy Alignment Checklist
4. *Glossary of OS terms in Serbian*

<http://open.ac.rs>