

Call for Paper Submissions

C&RL News Scholarly Communication Column

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- Open access (OA)
- Open educational resources (OER)
- Publishing industry
- Impact of research and scholarly work (including bibliometrics and altmetrics)
- Institutional repositories
- Data repositories
- Diversity, equity, inclusion, and accessibility (DEIA) in scholarly communication
- Assessment of scholarly communication needs
- Open monographs
- Data management
- Transformative agreements
- Copyright and fair use
- Associations, groups, communities of practices related to scholarly communication

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