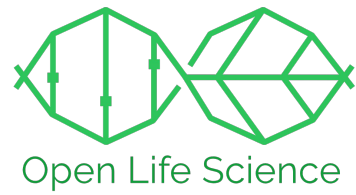




Open Library of Science



OLS-5 (Cohort Hope) Graduation

# Open Library of Science (OLS)

Publishers / Not-for-profit / Collectively Funded

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# Problems & Solution



Low visibility and discoverability of Nigerian journals online.



Nigerian researchers tend to be less integrated into international research networks



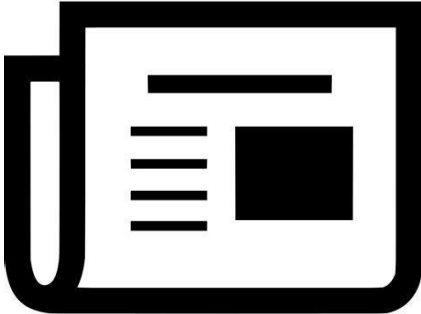
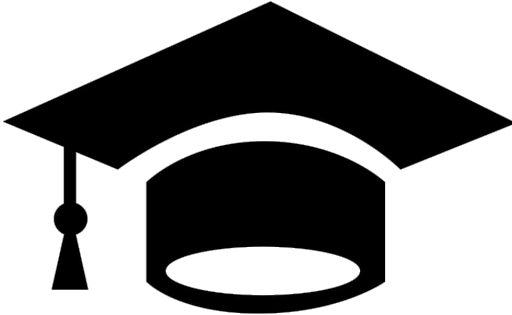
Restricted access to research funding

*We aimed to deliver high quality open access publishing platform for local Nigerian Journals to facilitate their visibility and discoverability.*

# Vision

We aimed at developing **an open access publication platform for Nigerian academic journals** to simply aid in **increasing discoverability** of Nigerian research output.

# Benefits



# Sustainability & LPS



*Current System*



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x1000s

Large Sums

*Governance Roles*



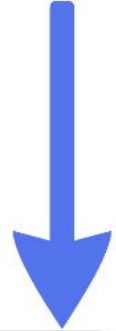
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*Library Partnership Subsidy*

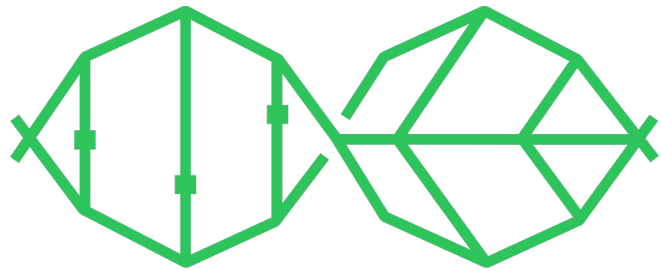


# Application to join OLS

We will welcome applications from any journals that meet the following requirements:-



- Are peer reviewed.
- Are academic journals based in either Nigeria or abroad
- Have been established for at least five years.
  - Are currently funded through a subscription model.
  - Are based in a sciences discipline, as self-defined by authors and editors.
  - Have an international editorial board



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# Questions?

