

PROJECTS REPORT (OCTOBER 2021- JANUARY 2022)

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Highlights

This document serves as a summary of LIBER's project related activities for the period October 2021 - January 2022.

Project Staff & Organisation

- Andrej Vrcon has started per 1 December 2021 as Head of International Projects.
- Iris Buunk resigned per 1 December 2021 as Communications & Engagement Officer.
- Rosie Allison contract as Communications & Engagement Officer was extended.

Project Meetings & Evaluations

- 5-6 October 2021: SSHOC 6th Consortium meeting.
- 17 November 2021: ELE General Assembly.
- 14 January 2022: CeoS pre kickoff meeting.
- 26 January 2022: CeoS kick off meeting.
- 29 January 2022: Second Periodic & Financial report SSHOC submitted to the European Commission.

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- The Erasmus Plus proposal "CeOS_SE: Citizen-enhanced open science in South European Higher Education knowledge hubs" that was submitted in May 2021 was approved in November 2021 by the Dutch National Agency. LIBER acts as project coordinator in a consortium of 7 LIBER participants. The kick-off meeting took place on 26 January 2022.
- The Horizon Europe proposal "Developing Institutional Open Access Publishing Models to Advance Scholarly Communication (DIAMAS) was approved in January 2022. The preparations for conducting a Grant Agreement have started.
- The Horizon Europe proposal "Skills4EOSC" (HORIZON-INFRA-2021-EOSC-01-01) has been rejected in January 2022.

Project Activities

- 13 October 2021: SSHOC Workshop: Data Protection in research practice: The GDPR and the ELDAH Consent Form Wizard.
- 15 October 2021: ORE Webinar Open Research Europe: the framework, the goals, and the developments.
- 20-21 October 2021: ReCreating Europe workshop "Supporting Open Culture through Open Data".
- 5 November 2021: Live Demo Everything a Research Librarian Needs to Know about the ORE Publishing Platform.
- 16 November: ReCreating Europe Webinar The Regulatory Landscape for Copyright Content Moderation: Evaluation and Future Trajectories.
- 18 November 2021: Achieving Digital Language Equality 2030: Implications for Libraries, Collections, and Library Users.
- 3 December 2021: SSHOC webinar "FAIR SSH Data citation: practical guide".





- 6 December 2021: Recreating Europe Webinar on Automated Content Moderation Copyright and Controversial Content
- 9 December 2021: ReCreating Europe Workshop Secondary Publishing Right: Exploring Opportunities and Limitations.

Ongoing Projects

| Acronym | Title | Start date | End date | Total budget | LIBER budget |
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| SSHOC | Social Sciences and Humanities Open Cloud | 01.01.2019 | 30.04.2022 | € 14.455.594 | € 450.937 |
| INOS (KA2 E+) | Integrating Open and Citizen Science into active learning approaches in Higher Education | 01.09.2019 | 31.08.2022 | € 404.980,00 | € 79.797 |
| reCreatin g Europe | Rethinking digital copyright law for a culturally diverse, accessible, creative Europe | 01.01.2019 | 31.12.2022 | € 3.087.928 | € 311.500 |
| ORE | Open Research Platform | 04.09.2020 | 03.09.2024 | | € 136.780 |
| ELE | European Language Equality | 01.01.2021 | 28.02.2022 | € 1.999.971 | € 44.444 (90% reimbursement rate) |
| MES- CobraD | Multidisciplina ry Expert System for the Assessment & Management of Complex Brain Disorders | 01.04.2021 | 31.03.2024 | € 5.656.318 | € 311.750 |
| KR21 | Knowledge Rights 21 | 01.06.2021 | 31.05.2024 | € 3.000.000 | €184.500 (for WP Communication s) & additional funding on other WP's |
| CeOS_SE | Citizen- enhanced open science in South European Higher Education | 01.01.2022 | 31.12.2024 | € 398.438 | € 101.656 |



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Project proposals (confidential)

2 More proposals have been submitted in September and October for the following calls:

- HORIZON-CL2-2021-HERITAGE-01-02: "LibrarIN"
- HORIZON-CL2-2021-HERITAGE-01-04: "GLAMS"

In January 2022 LIBER was also invited to take part in a consortium to work on a project proposal on HORIZON-WIDERA-2022-ERA-01-42. This project would support the development of aligned policies for open access books and monographs. The core of the call is to understand the landscape of policies and strategies for OA books among funders and institutions in Europe, analyse this data, and then come up with actionable recommendations.

PROJECTS DATABASE

The next steps regarding the projects database include:

- Optimization of procedure and survey for gathering future information, in order to update the Projects Database once per year.
- Identification of future project opportunities, partnerships and involvement of LIBER participants whenever possible.

The results of the database have been used in the requested period for the identification of potential proposal partners, as well as for co-organisers and collaborators in current project activities.

A second survey will be conducted in the summer of 2022. This will be organized by Andrej Vrcon and Roos Knigge.

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