University Lecture Series Sponsored Event

Trends in Scholarship and Research
Thursday, February 1, 2018

Part I - Presentation: Research Publishing Strategies: Options, Opportunities, and Obstacles

Rick Anderson, Associate Dean for Collections & Scholarly Communication, at the University of Utah, is a regular contributor to the Scholarly Kitchen Blog and past president of the Society for Scholarly Publishing. He is a popular speaker on subjects related to the future of scholarly communication and research libraries. Mr. Anderson will provide an interdisciplinary presentation on research publication strategies including traditional publishing avenues, Open Access options, author/publication charges, and how to watch out for predatory publishers.

Join us if you have asked yourself any of the following questions:

- Is academia changing how it views scholarship and peer review?
- What are some strategies for increasing the impact of my research?
- Can Open Access publishing hurt my career?
- How do I identify a quality journal to publish in?
- How much should I care about the impact factor?

Wittliff Gallery, 7th Floor, Alkek Library
10:30 a.m.-11:45 a.m.

Part II - Lunch & Learn: Understanding Discipline Norms in Terms of Publishing, Peer Review, Open Access, Data and Metrics

Join us for Lunch to participate in an in-depth discussion with Rick Anderson and a panel of Texas State University academic administrators and faculty on discipline-specific publishing issues and trends including:

- Texas State University’s view on scholarship and peer review
- Open Access Publishing
- Identifying quality journals in my discipline
- Handling solicitations by publishers (possible predatory publishers)
- Tried and true strategies for increasing the impact of my research

Panelists Include:

Dr. Debbie Thorne, Associate Provost
Dr. Caitlin Gabor, Biology
Dr. Wes Jennings, Criminal Justice
Dr. Rodney Rohde, Clinical Laboratory Science
Dr. Patricia Shields, Political Science

ALK 105/106, Alkek Library
Noon-1:30 p.m.

To Register & RSVP for Lunch: library.txstate.edu/news-events/scholarship-research

Please RSVP no later than Noon on January 25, 2018

There is a lot of information about publishing out there, and the University Libraries can help you navigate through your options in strategic, legitimate, and modern publication. Join us in this important evolving conversation.

If you require accommodations due to a disability in order to participate, please contact Joe Fuller, 512-245-3171, jef106@txstate.edu at least 72 hours in advance of the event.