Intro + Demographics

Thank you for participating in the 2019 UW Libraries STEM and Health Sciences Faculty Survey.

This survey is designed to help the Libraries learn more about your research needs. The Libraries is separately exploring the teaching & learning needs of faculty and students.

The survey should take approximately 7-10 minutes to complete.

Your responses to these questions are anonymous. If you have any questions or comments about
this survey, please contact Jackie Belanger (jeb24@uw.edu) or Maggie Faber (faberm@uw.edu).

1. Please indicate your work location, home department, and academic title at the University of Washington.

Primary Work Location:

- ○ Seattle campus
- ○ Children's Hospital
- ○ Harborview
- ○ South Lake Union
- ○ VA Hospital
- ○ Other (please specify)

School/College & Home Department

School / College   [▼]

Home Department   [▼]

If your department is not listed, please write it here:

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Academic Title (includes research appointments):

○ Professor

○ Associate Professor

○ Assistant Professor

○ Senior Lecturer / Lecturer

○ Instructor

○ Research Associate (Postdoctoral)

○ Senior Fellow

○ Other (please specify)

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2. During this academic year (2018-19) have you:

	Yes	No
Received or used federal funding for research?	○	○
Received or used other external funding for research?	○	○
Published in an Open Access (OA) journal? *OA journals make content available at no cost to the reader or library, with production/publication costs covered elsewhere*	○	○
Paid a fee (such as an article processing charge) to publish in a journal?	○	○

	Yes	No
Made your work (e.g., articles, data sets) publicly available through a repository such as ArXiv, UW ResearchWorks?	○	○
Made your work (e.g., articles, data sets) publicly available through a personal, faculty, or research group website?	○	○

2a. Why did you publish in an OA journal? Please mark all that apply.

☐ Funding body requirement

☐ Visibility/increased readership

☐ Speed of publication

☐ Journal quality

☐ Principles/I wish to support OA publishing

☐ I did not care that it was OA

☐ Other (please specify)

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2b. What questions or concerns do you have about publishing in Open Access journals, if any?

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2c. How did you pay the fee(s) to publish your article (article processing charges)? Please mark all that apply.

☐ Personal funds

☐ Grant funds

☐ Departmental funds

☐ Other (please specify)

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2d. Where do you currently share your scholarly output after publication or presentation? Please mark all that apply.

☐ Governmental repository (e.g., ClinicalTrials.gov, Dept. of Energy PAGES)

☐ Institutional repository (e.g., UW ResearchWorks)

☐ Disciplinary repository (e.g., bioRxiv, ArXiv, SSRN)

☐ Non-profit, non-discipline specific repository (e.g., Dryad, Zenodo, Open Science Framework)

☐ Commercial repository (e.g., Academia.edu, ResearchGate, GitHub)

☐ Other (please specify)

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2e. What types of scholarly work did you make available via a repository or website? Please mark all that apply.

☐ Data sets

☐ Working papers

☐ Journal articles (includes submitted, accepted/peer-reviewed, pre-print, and published manuscripts)

☐ Technical reports

☐ Conference papers/presentations

☐ Code/software

☐ Images/video

☐ Other (please specify)

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Rest of the survey

3. Beyond journal reputation/impact factor, how important are the following factors in your decision on where to publish journal articles?

	Very important 5	4	3	2	Not important 1
Open access (available to anyone at no cost)	○	○	○	○	○

	Very important 5	4	3	2	Not important 1
No page or other publication charges for authors	○	○	○	○	○
Ability to put version of article on website / repository	○	○	○	○	○
Retain copyright to your work	○	○	○	○	○
Timeliness of publication process	○	○	○	○	○
Cost of journal subscription to the Libraries	○	○	○	○	○
Other (please specify)	○	○	○	○	○

Comments:

4. How important are the following library resources to your research?

	Very important 5	4	3	2	Not important 1	Don't use
Journal articles	○	○	○	○	○	○
Research databases (e.g., Web of Science, PubMed)	○	○	○	○	○	○
Books	○	○	○	○	○	○
Conference papers/proceedings	○	○	○	○	○	○
Numeric and scientific datasets	○	○	○	○	○	○
Lab protocols (e.g., SpringerNature Experiments, JoVE)	○	○	○	○	○	○
Other (please specify)	○	○	○	○	○	○

Comments:

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5. How often are you able to find and access the journal articles you need through the UW Libraries system?

Usually 5	4	3	2	Rarely 1
○	○	○	○	○

5a. When you want a journal article that you do not have immediate access to through UW Libraries, how often do you use the following methods to get that material?

	Usually 5	4	3	2	Rarely 1
Use interlibrary loan or document delivery services	○	○	○	○	○
Search for a freely available version online	○	○	○	○	○
Purchase it from the publisher or a vendor	○	○	○	○	○
Contact the author or a colleague at another institution	○	○	○	○	○
Look for an alternative article/resource to access immediately	○	○	○	○	○

Comments:

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6. What contribution does the UW Libraries make to your ability to:

	Major 5	4	3	2	Minor 1	Not applicable
Keep current in your field	○	○	○	○	○	○

	Major 5	4	3	2	Minor 1	Not applicable
Get research funding/grants	○	○	○	○	○	○
Be a more productive researcher	○	○	○	○	○	○
Make more efficient use of your time	○	○	○	○	○	○

Comments:

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7. Which of the following services would be useful to your research and scholarly activity? Please mark up to four choices.

☐ Assistance with literature searches or systematic reviews

☐ Assistance with strategies for monitoring literature in your field (e.g., setting up RSS feeds, Web of Science/PubMed alerts)

☐ Assistance with understanding copyright and author rights issues

☐ Guidance on finding alternatives to commercial publishing (e.g., identifying Open Access journals in your field)

☐ Assistance with describing, organizing, and preparing data or other types of digital files for discovery and reuse

☐ Guidance on depositing data into a repository for long-term storage and/or sharing

☐ Assistance with assessing and communicating the impact of your work (e.g., citation metrics, social/web-based metrics)

☐ Assistance with establishing an online professional identity (e.g., setting up Google Scholar profile/ORCID)

7a. Which of the following would be most helpful in assessing and communicating the impact of your research? Please mark all that apply.

☐ Communicating the impact of your work after publication using citation metrics

☐ Communicating the impact of your work using social/web-based metrics (altmetrics)

☐ Communicating the impact of your work after publication using journal impact factors

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Communicating the impact of <u>community-engaged research and scholarship</u> (including citizen science)

☐ Communicating your research to the public

8. Overall, how satisfied are you with UW Libraries?

Very satisfied 5	4	3	2	Not satisfied 1
○	○	○	○	○

9. Tell us in a few sentences about a time that Libraries staff, services, or resources had a positive impact on your work.

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10. Additional comments on UW Libraries, including areas for improvement.

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Thank you for completing the 2019 UW Libraries survey. Please click the forward arrow button below to opt out of future reminders. You will be redirected to a separate form.