



SLUB

Wir führen Wissen.


Green Open Access

Self-Archiving

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Agenda

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An open white door with a brass handle is set in a room with light wood floors and white walls. The door is open, revealing a bright, empty room beyond. The text "What is Open Access?" is centered in the doorway.

What is
Open Access?

Open Access

Definition

What is Open Access?



By "open access" to this literature [= peer-reviewed journal articles / unreviewed preprints], we mean its **free availability on the public internet**, permitting any users to read, download, copy, distribute, print, search, or link to the full texts of these articles, crawl them for indexing, pass them as data to software, or **use** them for any other lawful purpose, **without financial, legal, or technical barriers** other than those inseparable from gaining access to the internet itself. The only constraint on reproduction and distribution, and the only role for copyright in this domain, should be to give **authors control over the integrity of their work** and the right to be **properly acknowledged and cited**.

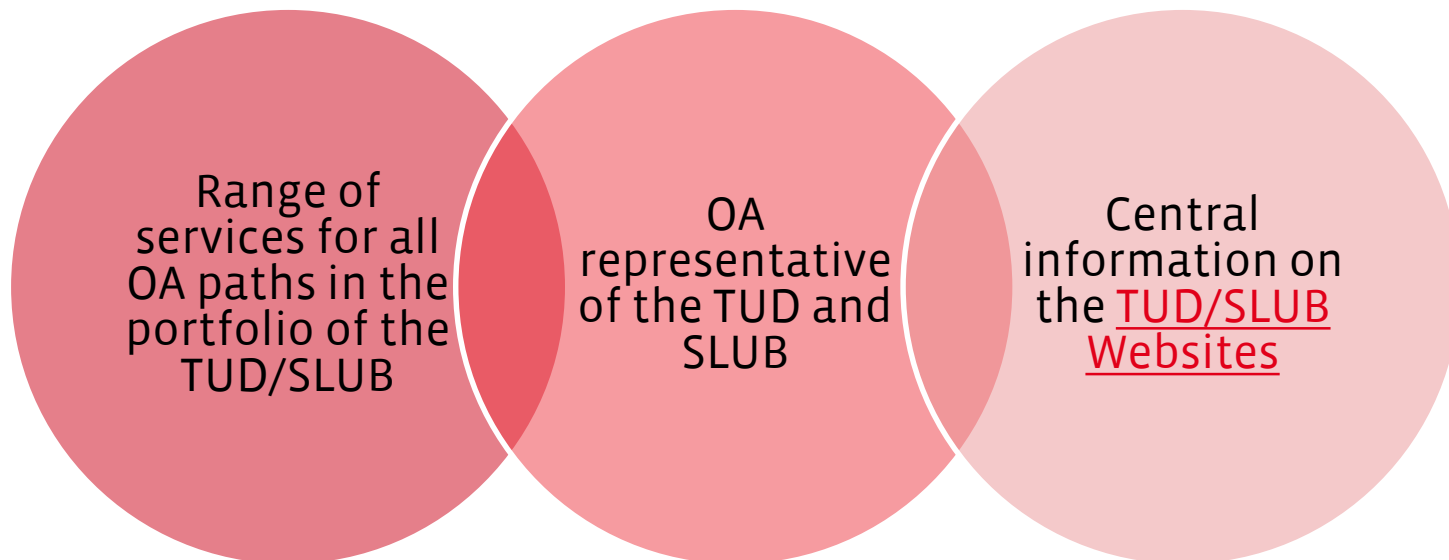
Source: Budapest OA Initiative
<https://www.budapestopenaccessinitiative.org/read>
(February 2002)

Open Access Strategy and Services

Open Access at the Technische Universität Dresden (TUD)

TUD Open Access Resolution (2012)

- Explicit recommendation for publication in OA journals
- Strong recommendation for publishing on Qucosa both as first publication (gold OA) and self-archiving (green OA)



[TUD-Open Access Resolution](#)

A photograph of a lush green wheat field. The wheat stalks are in the foreground, slightly out of focus, with a small butterfly visible in the middle ground. The background shows a line of trees under a clear blue sky.

Green Open Access

Why should I self-archiving my publication?

Arguments

Green Open Access

Greater
visibility and
citation
frequency of
publications

Fair use of
Taxpayers'
money,
Research
funders
guidelines

Promotion of
Research
Efficiency

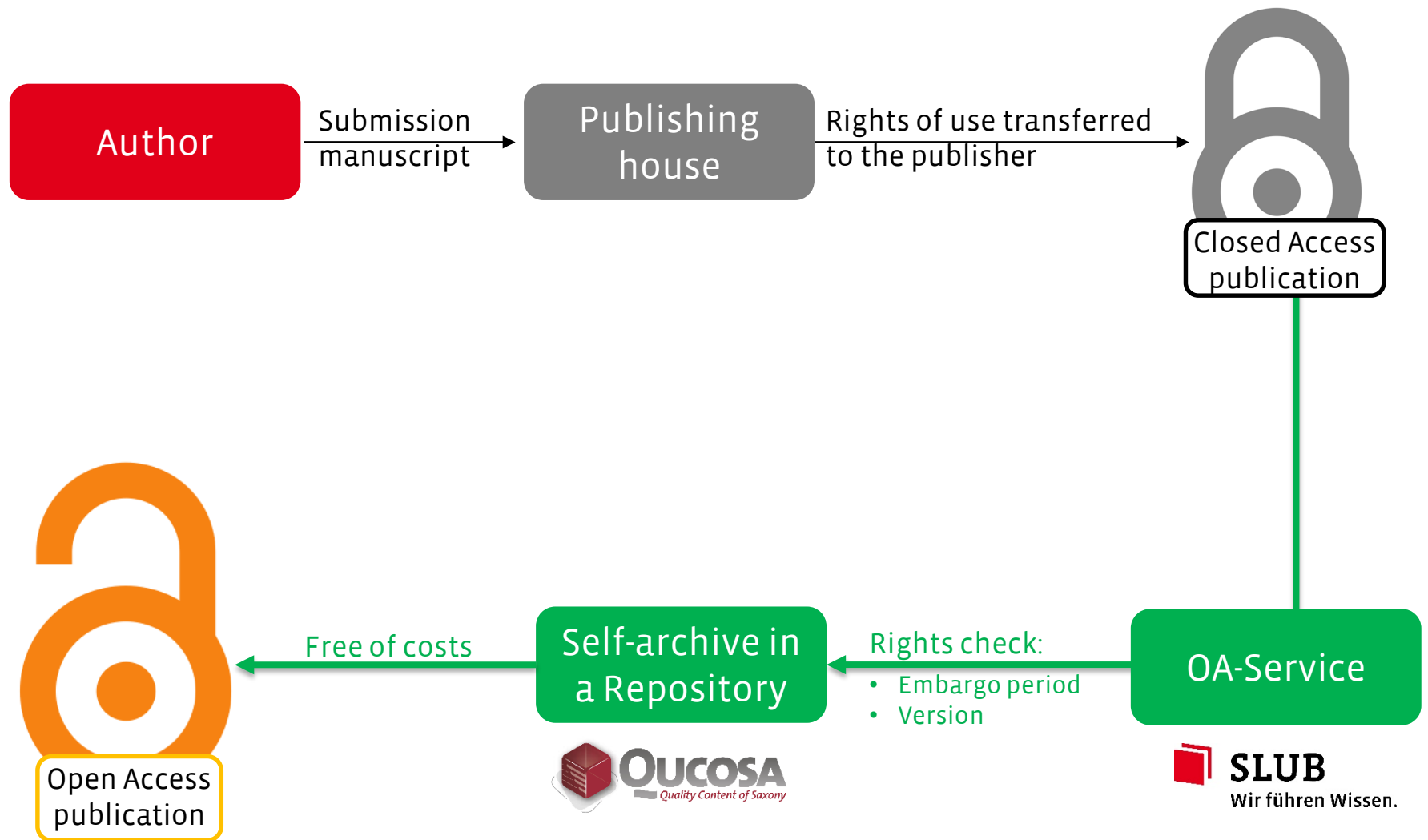
Good
findability
via search
engines and
indexing
services

Promotion of
international
and inter-
disciplinary
cooperation

[🔗 Arguments for Open Access](#)

Open Access

The Green Path



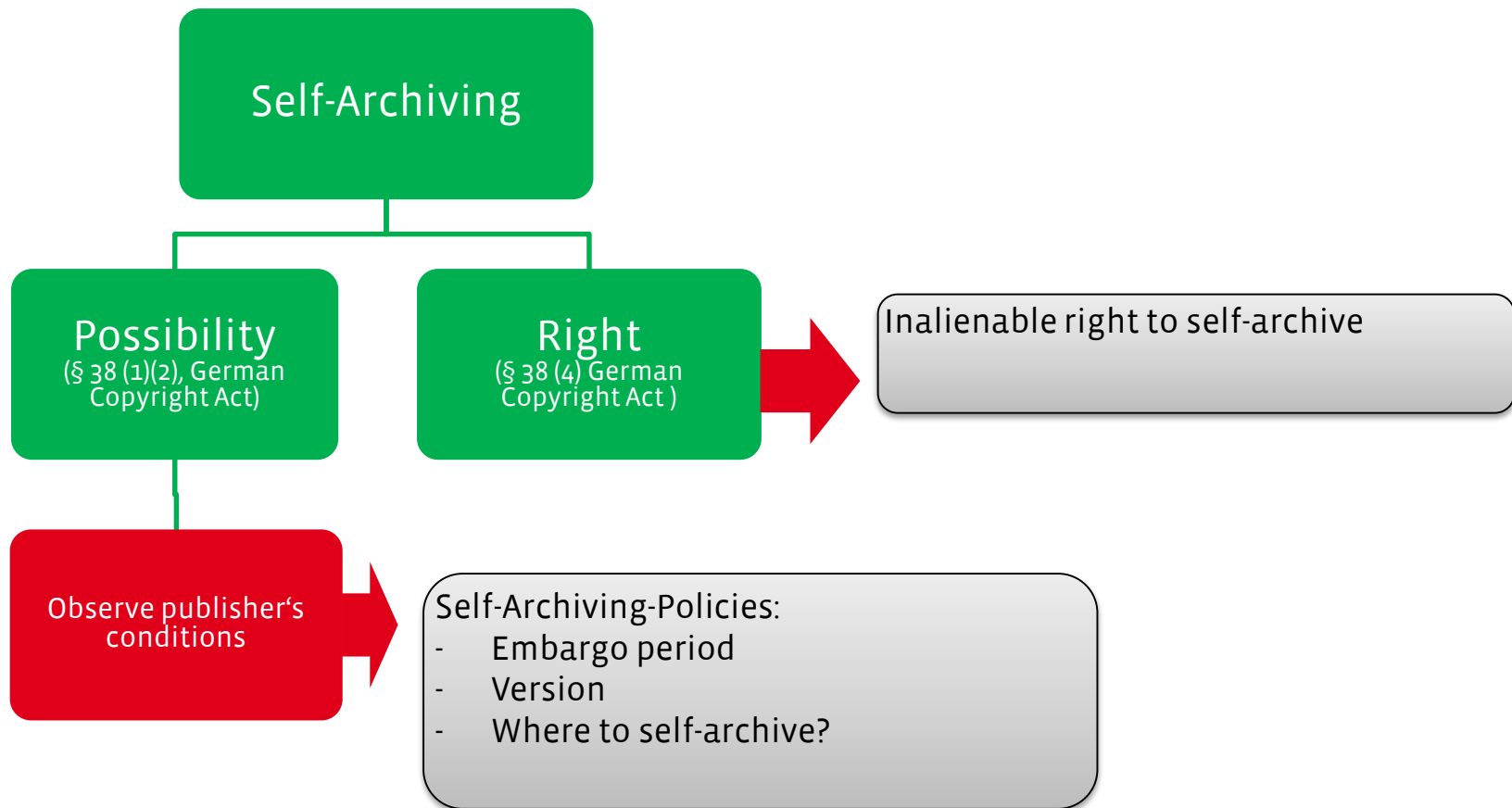
German legal framework



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German legal framework

Am I simple allowed to self-archive my publication?



Inalienable right to self-archive

§ 38(4) German Copyright Act

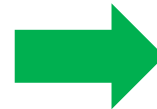
- Author's right to self-archive, despite transfer of exclusive rights to the publisher

Scientific publication as of
January 1, 2014

Publication developed within a
research activity

At least half publicly funded

Journal of the original publication
publishes at least twice a year



Embargo period: 1 year

Manuscript version (post-
print)

Exclusion of commercial
purpose

Reference of the original
publication

Keep the Postprint!

Preprint

- Draft of the manuscript
- before formal peer review

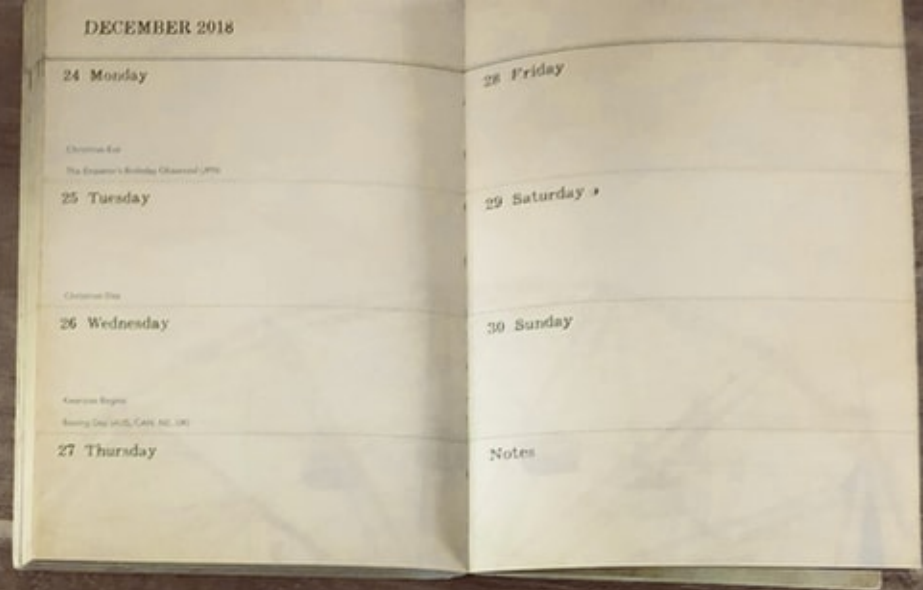
Postprint

- after formal peer review
- Author's Accepted Manuscript
- Not formally formatted

Published version

- Official version
- Reviewed and formally formatted

Postprint
can mostly
be self-
archived.



Useful Tools



Useful tools for self-archiving

Sherpa Romeo

The screenshot shows the Sherpa Romeo interface for the ACM Journal on Experimental Algorithmics. The top navigation bar includes links for About, Search, Statistics, Help, Support Us, Contact, and Admin. The main content is divided into two sections: Publication Information and Publisher Policy.

Publication Information

Title	ACM Journal on Experimental Algorithmics (JEA) [English]
ISSNs	Electronic: 1084-6654
URL	http://www.jea.acm.org/
Publishers	Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) [Society Publisher]

Publisher Policy

Open Access pathways permitted by this journal's policy are listed below by article version. Click on a pathway for a more detailed view.

Article Version	Open Access Pathways	Expand
Published Version	None Any Website, Journal Website	+
Accepted Version	None Non-Commercial Institutional Repository, Funder Designated Location, +3	+
Submitted Version	None Non-Commercial Repository	+

<https://v2.sherpa.ac.uk/romeo/>

Useful tools for self-archiving

Dissemin

Welcome to Dissemin

Dissemin detects papers behind paywalls and helps their authors to upload them in one click to an open repository.

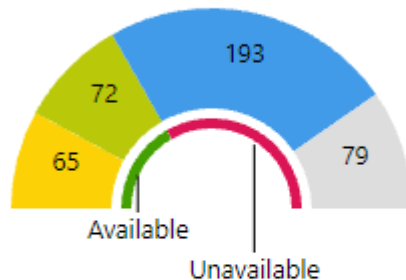
Try any author name



Advanced search

Statistics

409 papers found



- Available from the publisher 65
- Available from the author 72
- Could be shared by the authors 193
- Unknown/unclear sharing policy 79
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Preprint: archiving allowed

↑ Upload



Postprint: archiving restricted

↑ Upload



Published version: archiving forbidden

Policy details

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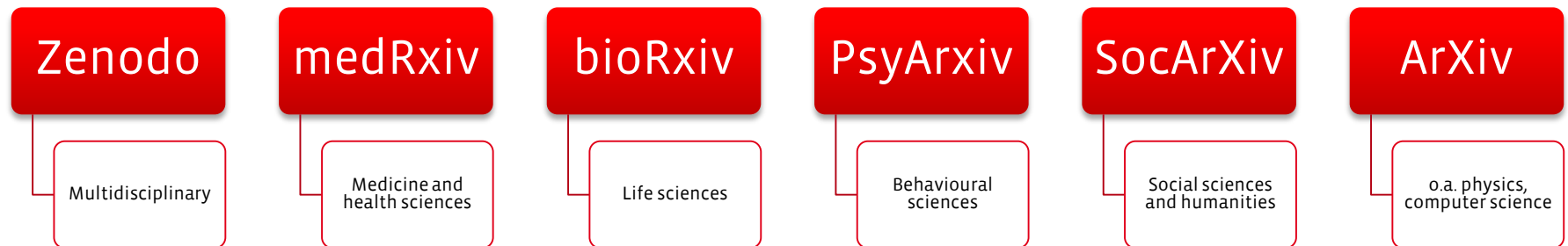
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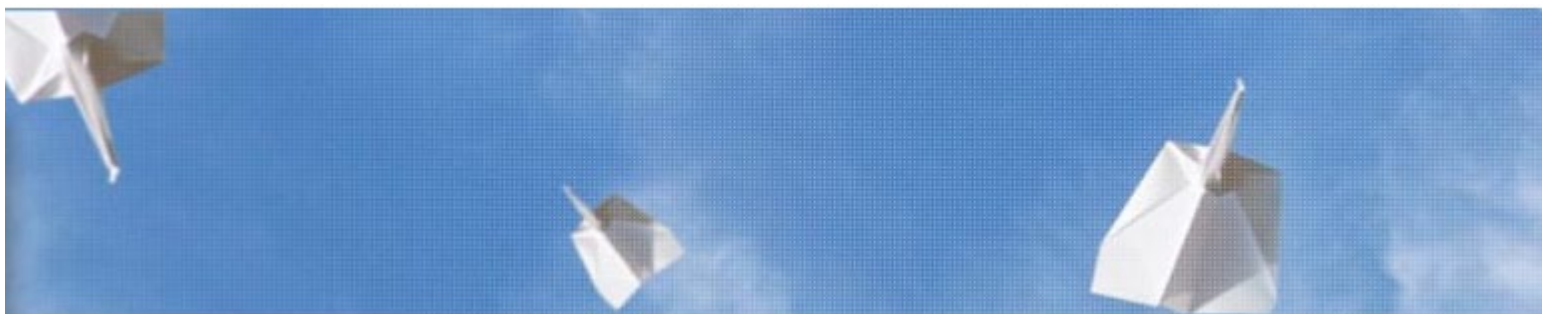
Preprint Servers

Publishing on Preprint servers (examples)

Horizon Europe Programme Guide Version 1.2 04 October 2021 p.43

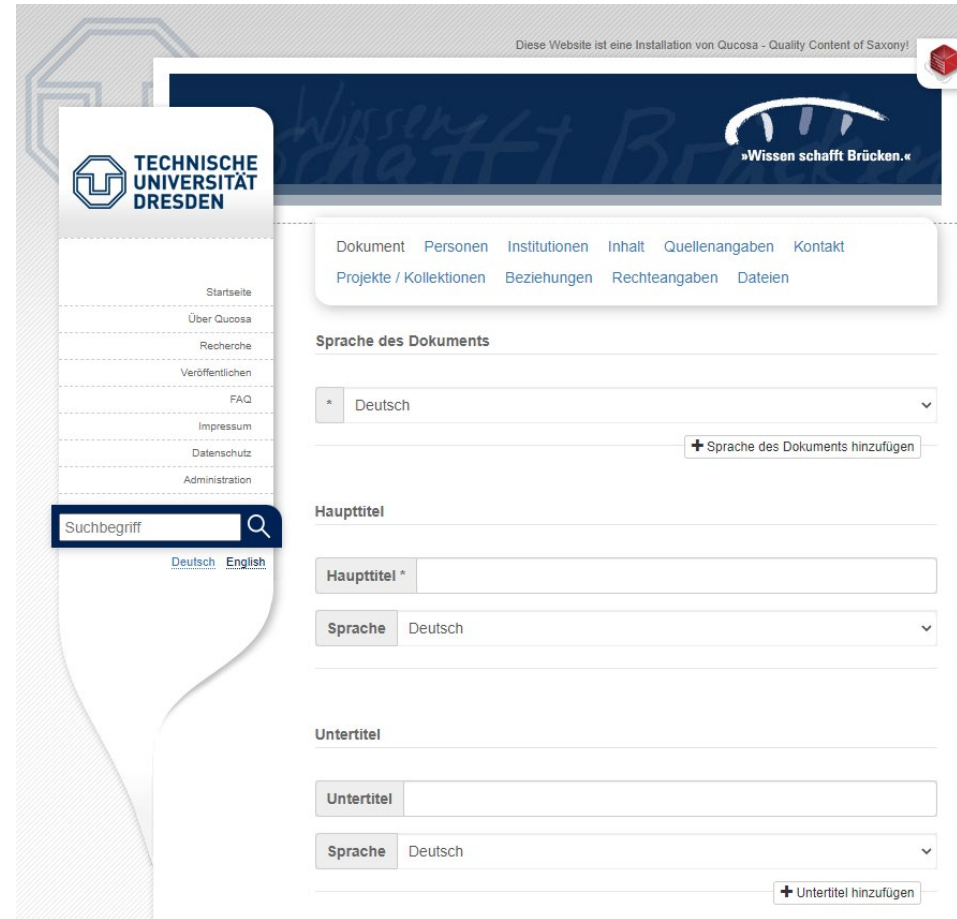
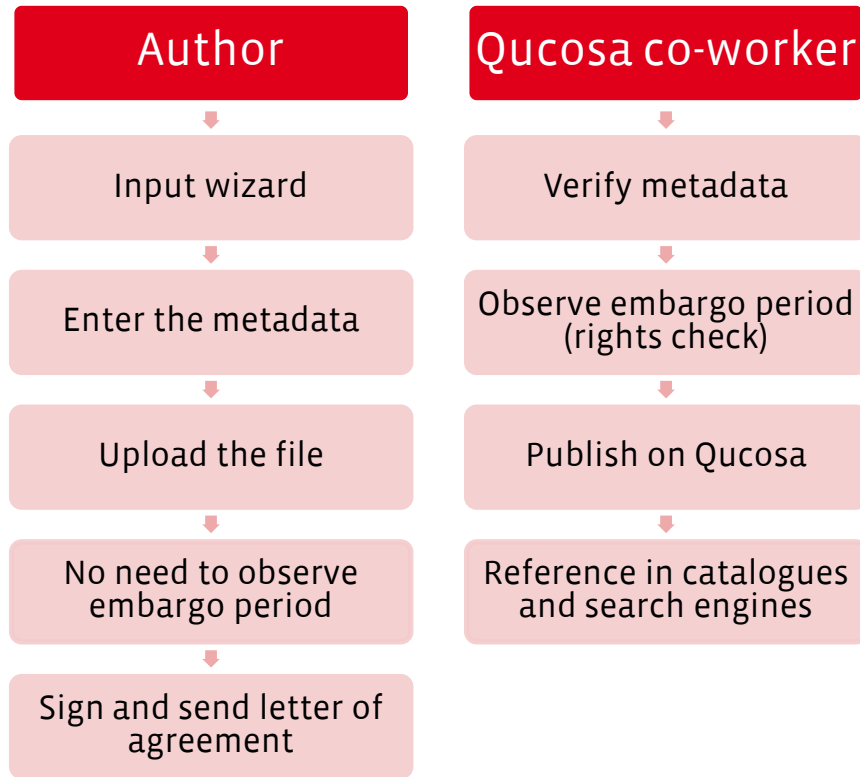


Swan (2010) attributed the high citation figures of open access publications to, among other things, their rapid availability.



Self-archiving on Qucosa

Saxonian document and publication server



<https://www.qucosa.de/startseite/>

Thank you for your attention! 😊

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