Product information

KOALA Environment 2025-2027							
Product	Bundle with the following journals:						
 Environmental Psychology Open (EPO) 							
	Worldwide Waste: A Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies						
	Global Environment: A Journal of Transdisciplinary History						
	Environmental Psychology Open (EPO) is a Diamond-OA journal that has evolved from the journal Umweltpsychologie (> 25 years, Ø 15 articles p.a.) and is endorsed by the DGPs Environmental Psychology Section. EPO aims to make psychological knowledge visible and usable for sustainable improvements of the living environment − with a focus on the research fields environmental psychology and sustainability sciences as well as their areas of application. Submissions are possible in German or English (as research reports, practice reports, case studies, commentaries or registered reports) and are subject to an open peer review process. EPO deliberately has no focus on specific geographical regions. Apart from EPO, there is only one other Diamond OA journal dedicated to environmental psychology research; this journal focuses on contributions with an international orientation and publishes in English only.						
	Worldwide Waste: A Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies This English-language journal applies double blind peer review to seven research articles per annum, and also publishes editorials. It is interdisciplinary with a focus in history and social science. Its perspective is worldwide. Worldwide Waste presents innovative research on waste from around the world. It provides the first scholarly platform for open-access scholarship that critically interrogates the cultural, social, economic and political systems within which waste is created, managed and circulated. Devoted to scholarship, the journal privileges no particular theories, debates or trends. Its goal is to actively stimulate publications of innovative scholarship on relatively unexplored topics and/or from geographical areas that have thus far been underrepresented in waste studies.						
	Global Environment: A Journal of Transdisciplinary History This English-language journal applies double blind peer review to 15 research articles per annum, and publishes editorials, book reviews and notes. It is interdisciplinary with a focus in history and social science. Its perspective is worldwide with an emphasis on the Global South. Global Environment acts as a forum for studies on the environment and world history, with special focus on modern and contemporary topics. The journals intent is to stimulate scholarship that, despite a diversity of approaches, shares an environmental perspective on world history in its various facets, including economic development, social relations, production government, and international relations. The journal aims to facilitate a common language in the study of history by bringing together the natural and the social sciences.						
Subjects	Environmental sciences, environmental psychology, environmental history						
Category	International consortium						

Authorised	Universities and universities of applied sciences (also private), research
participants	institutions worldwide
	Civil society organisations
	Private companies
	Private individuals
Contract terms	01.01.2025 – 31.12.2027
Entry/exit option	New customers can join at the beginning of the year.
	It is not possible to terminate the contract before the end of the term.
Access rights / Open	With funding from KOALA consortia, the participating journals are made
Access	open access, i.e. access to the publications appearing during the term is
	free of charge worldwide and remains so after the term.
Pricing	Participation fee (all figures in EUR plus VAT):

	Participation fee					
Tier	2025	2026	2027			
1	200.00€	200.00 €	200.00 €			
2	300.00€	300.00€	300.00€			
3	600.00€	600.00€	600.00€			
4	900.00€	900.00€	900.00€			
5	1,100.00€	1,100.00€	1,100.00€			
6	1,600.00€	1,600.00€	1,600.00€			
7	2,000.00€	2,000.00€	2,000.00€			

If the funding target is exceeded, the annual participation fees will be reduced proportionately

Basis of tiering:

Universities, colleges, universities of applied sciences

Calculation basis: FTE Stud + FTE Researchers

Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3	Tier 4	Tier 5	Tier 6	Tier 7
<300	301+	1001+	3001+	10001+	20001+	35001+

Research institutions

Calculation basis: Number of FTE researchers x 4

Special libraries, hospital libraries (which are not connected to a university), libraries for company employees only

Calculation basis: Number of FTEs in the institution x 0.5

Industry sector

Calculation basis: Number of FTE researchers x 4

	Pure regio	nal and st	ate librarie	es			
	Calculation basis: number of FTE employees + number of FTE registered users x 0.5						
	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3	Tier 4	Tier 5	Tier 6	Tier 7
	<300	301+	1001+	3001+	10001+	20001+	35001+
	Museums, galleries, archives (without own library)						
	Calculation basis: total annual budget for material resources (in EUR)						n EUR)
	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3	Tier 4	Tier 5		
	<50.000	50.001+	150.001+	450.00	1+ 10000	00+	
	State libraries, national specialised libraries Calculation basis: fixed categorisation in tier 7 Tier 7 fixed						
	Specialised information services						
	Calculation basis: Choice from Tier 4 Tier 4 Tier 5 Tier 6 Tier 7						
				Free choic	e		
	Private individuals and others						
	Calculation	n basis: fre	e choice of	amount			
Terms of use	All publications in the above-mentioned journals will be published as Open Access under the CC BY 4.0 or CC BY-SA 4.0 licence for the duration of the project and can therefore be accessed and reused worldwide.						
Note	Worldwide Waste and Global Environment are participating in a parallel Subscribe to Open initiative from Whitehorse Press. The revenue will be used to reduce the funding amount of all organisations participating in KOALA for the respective year.						
Invoicing	By the SLL	IB in the cι	ırrent cont	ract year.			
Registration deadline	Please sen			istration v	ia the web	-based par	ticipant
	If you have not received a link to the participant survey, please contact the KOALA SLUB Dresden team (see below).						

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This offer corresponds to the current state of negotiations, we reserve the right to modify it.

Contact for queries about the participation procedure and the participation survey:

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