

OPEN SCIENCE

in Stable Funding and ARIS Projects

Decree on open science



PROVISIONS OF THE DECREE ON OPEN SCIENCE

- Preparation of a **Data Management Plan (DMP)**
- **Immediate open access to scientific publications via the [Repository of the UL](#) (RUL)**
- **Publication of research data and other types of research results in digital forms (e.g. code) in a trusted repository**

ARIS-UL AGREEMENT ON STABLE FUNDING

Article 33 (open science)

When carrying out activities, **the contractor will follow open science guidelines**, specifically regarding enabling open access to research results, including publications; on the findability, accessibility, interoperability, and reusability of open research data; and on access to infrastructure that has been (co-) financed from the Agency's public funds.

PUBLICATION OF RESEARCH DATA

We publish research data primarily in **national or international domain-specific data repositories**.

To find suitable repositories, we can use [Registry of Research Data Repositories](#) and [FAIRsharing.org](#).

If no such repository exists for a particular scientific field, we publish the data in the [Repository of the UL](#) or in **international general repositories**.

We prepare the data in line with the FAIR principles. They should be as **open as possible and as closed as necessary**. We publish them at the latest by the end of the research. Data underlying a scientific publication should be cited therein with a persistent identifier and made available at the latest at the time of publication.

Good to know:

- Data should be in **open and non-proprietary formats**.
- The data collection must be accompanied by a description of the data.
- Data in a repository can be open, subject to access restrictions, or temporarily or permanently unavailable.

For help with research data management, contact the network of data stewards and contacts at the UL: raziskovalni.podatki@uni-lj.si.

DATA MANAGEMENT PLAN

The Data Management Plan (**DMP**) is a document in which we explain how we will collect, store, document, process, and publish research data and related materials, taking into account the research methodology.

We prepare a DMP for research within **stable funding** and **ARIS projects**. For the latter, the use of the [ARIS DMP template](#) is mandatory.

We prepare the DMP as a **PDF file** and publish it on the project website:

- the **first version** within six months of the start of the project,
- we update the DMP during the research as necessary.

If the research is theoretical and we will not use existing data or create new data or other research results in digital form, we explain this in the DMP.

OPEN ACCESS TO SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS

You can check the open access policies of journals at [Jisc Open Policy Finder](#).

To search for open access journals, use the [Directory of Open Access Journals](#).

APC (Article Processing Charges) **vouchers** enable the publication of articles in open access without payment. Vouchers can be used by corresponding authors from the members of UL.

A list of benefits regarding vouchers for corresponding authors from the UL is available [here](#).

If there are no APC vouchers available, the payment of **APCs** for articles in **subscription (hybrid) journals** is an **eligible cost** for Slovene funders **until June 30, 2029**.

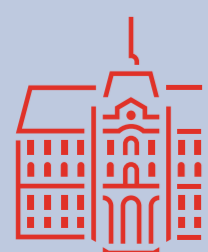
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- The **published version** (Version of Record) or
- The **peer-reviewed manuscript** (Author Accepted Manuscript).

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