

An easy and cost-effective solution for setting up institutional repositories

What is Open Repository?

Open Repository is a service, from BioMed Central, that builds and maintains repositories on behalf of institutions and organizations.

Built on the Open Source technology platform: DSpace, but with additional features, Open Repository offers institutions an easy way to have their own personalized repository.

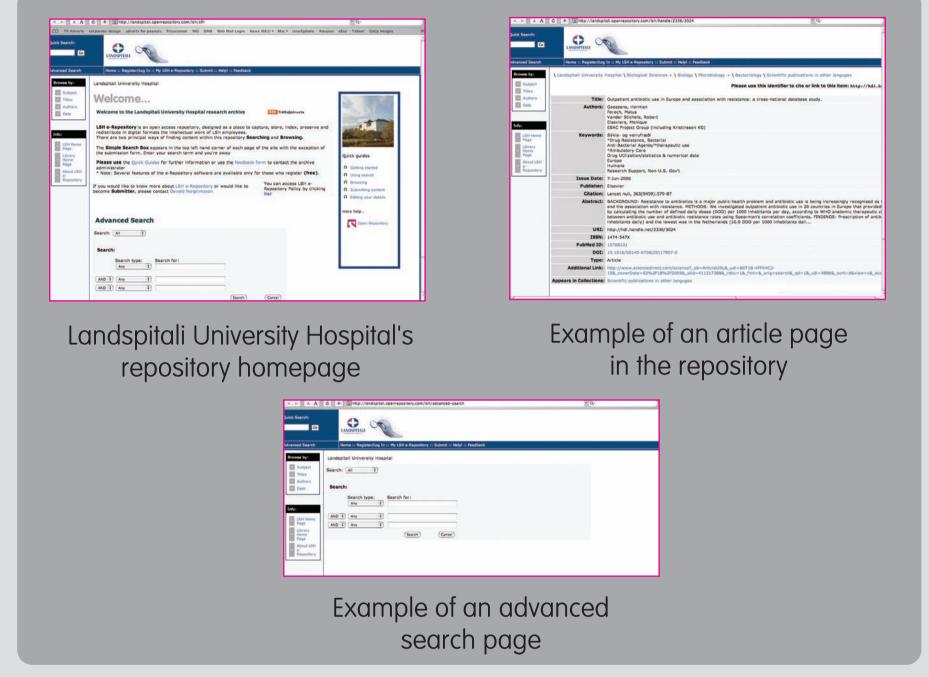
Why choose a hosted solution?

A hosted repository offers all the benefits of an in-house built repository but without the huge strain on financial and personnel resources.

A hosted solution removes the pressure from both servers and IT teams and allows institutions to concentrate on the running and population of their repository.

What are the benefits of Open Repository?

- Rapid deployment
 Repositories are set up quickly and always within 3 months
- Personalization
 Offering extensive personalization, Open Repository is able to provide a tailored solution to an organization's needs, complete with logo, colors and institutional branding
- Cost-effective solution
 Offering affordable, transparent and predictable pricing
- Control and ownership Institutions retain ownership of their repository at all times and are able to migrate to their own in-house DSpace repository if required



Open Repository features

- Document uploading/ wide article types accepted
 Open Repository accepts a wide variety of publication types for uploading including articles, reports, movies, monographs and preprints
- Quick and easy submission
 Users can enter the PubMed ID or publisher's DOI of their item and the system will auto-fill the submission fields with the item's details
- Data feeds
 Metadata from all PubMed Central open access articles that have been published by the institution can be fed directly into the repository

Document formatting and preservation
 Proprietary file formats can be converted

Proprietary file formats can be converted into PDF and metadata on all articles in the repository is made available via the Open Archive Initiative protocol, ensuring interoperability with other institutional repositories, and that the content can be found through search engines

- Sophisticated search functionality
 Users can search by a wide variety of criteria including subject area, author's name, article type and date.

 Results can be stored and set up as email alerts
- Customer service and support
 BioMed Central's experienced team provide training
 and support to the administrators who will manage an
 institution's repository

Try before you buy

Open Repository offers a FREE 3-month personalized pilot repository so users can try, without obligation, the service for themselves.

Further information - Contact info@openrepository.com or visit www.openrepository.com

Pricing

Open Repository is highly flexible, offering different levels of service to fit with an organization's requirements. Set up fees start from \$9900, with annual maintenance charges starting from \$4950.

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