Desire for Global Engagement in Independent Library-Published Journals:

A Case Study

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Case study overview...

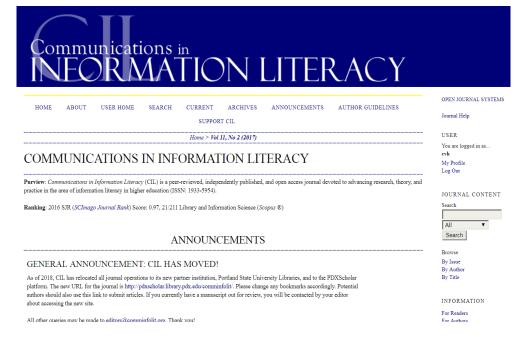
- An independent, library-published, scholarly journal
- Global exchange
 - Experience
 - Successes
 - Challenges
- Professional discourse
 - Research/literature
 - Questions
 - Potential solutions

Communications in Information Literacy (CIL)

- Independent, library-published, scholarly journal
- Peer-reviewed
- Open access (diamond, platinum, pure, real, etc.)
- Purview: IL in higher education
- 2007 present (v. 1–13); semiannual
- Cabell's, Clarivate, DOAJ, Ebsco, ERIC, Elsevier, Google Scholar, Library of Congress, ProQuest, Public Knowledge Project, Ulrichsweb, etc.

Online Journal Systems: 2007-2017 (University at Buffalo)

Digital Commons: 2017-present (Portland State University)





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ACRL INSTRUCTION SECTION

Recognizes

Stewart Prower and Christopher Hollister

for launching

Communications in Information Literacy,

the first born-digital, open-access peer reviewed journal
devoted entirely to information literacy.

July 12, 2009

2018 SJR Score: 1.657, 6/226 Library and Information Science (Scopus ®)

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1	Information Systems Research	journal	3.160 Q1	135	51	151	3176	555	144	2.67	62.27	
2	Scientific data 🔒	journal	3.026 Q1	26	205	252	6719	1514	236	5.94	32.78	
3	Information Communication and Society	journal	2.385 Q1	53	183	286	5230	1132	261	3.98	28.58	
4	Journal of Informetries	journal	2.060 Q1	54	106	280	4233	982	243	4.15	39.93	=
5	Journal of Information Technology	journal	1.752 Q1	66	30	89	2141	333	68	5.09	71.37	
6	Communications in Information Literacy (3)	journal	1.657 Q1	10	22	54	574	75	51	1.36	26.09	
7	European Journal of Information Systems	journal	1.628 Q1	88	43	111	3464	464	107	4.09	80.56	

"Values-driven publishing" (Hoops & Hare, 2019)

- Unfettered open access
- Independent/unaffiliated editorship
- Mentorship for new authors and reviewers
- Diversity/inclusiveness
- Global representation
- Eco-friendly practices

International IL research...

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Soliciting across borders...



13 Az információs műveltség változó szempontjai a 2.0-ás kutatási környezetben. (Hungarian)







Academio Journal

By: Sonia, ŠPIRANEC. Library Review / Konyvtari Figyelo, 2013, Vol. 23 Issue 2, p332-342, 11p; Language: Hungarian

Subjects: Technological innovations; Web 2.0; Information literacy; Social media & society; Learning & scholarship



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- 4. Are librarians and IL decision_makers aware of the problem of Dunning-Kruger Effect?

 To what extent they consider this phenomenon in planning IL programs?
- 5. What special measures IL program planners take to motivate and involve 'low-achievers' of IL skills in training programs?

Limitations

Although our systematic review was rigorous, our search was limited to the English language studies. There may be informative studies published in other languages but missed in this review. Two major abstracting databases from the library and information science field and three general indexing and citation databases were used, and a large number of documents were scanned to maximize the search; however, some relevant studies may have been overlooked. Furthermore, the nature of systematic reviews like this reflects the shortcomings of the studies reviewed; included studies were heterogeneous in terms of the methods of data collection and analysis. Various definitions of information literacy skills were used i.e., ACRL

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Kaplan & Baldauf (2005)...

- Examples of misrepresentation of the research of other scholars
- Extensive repetition
- Lack of effective parallelism
- Peculiar word choice
- Contradictions across large texts
- Descriptions of situations in a given polity without noticing that the particular situation is
- Widespread across many polities

- Leaps from the specific to the general
- Inclusion of irrelevant material
- Problem oversimplification
- Lack of evidence
- Over/under estimation
- Insufficient discussion of important elements
- Over/under assumption of audience knowledge
- And so on...

Mišak, Marušić, & Marušić (2005)...

"...<u>specialized translators</u> may contribute to the quality of a paper by assuming the role of critical readers or language reviewers and act as authors' editors."



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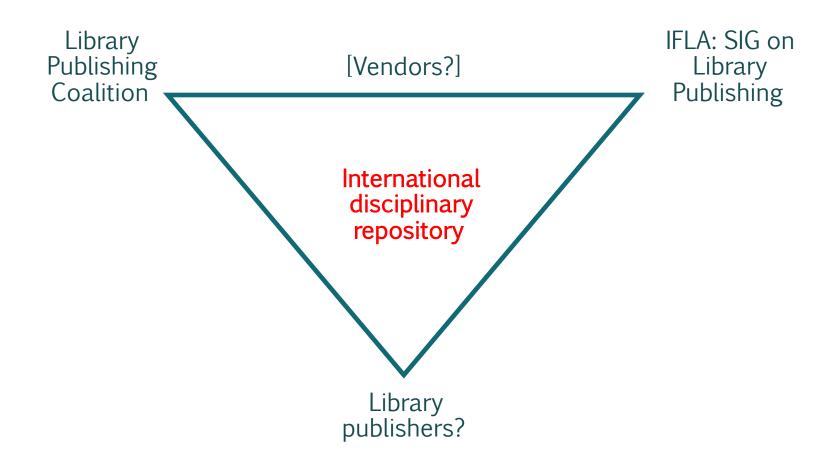
Flowerdew (2008)...

"...results in an unnecessary impoverishment of global knowledge, because contributions from [non-native English] writers may go unrecognized."

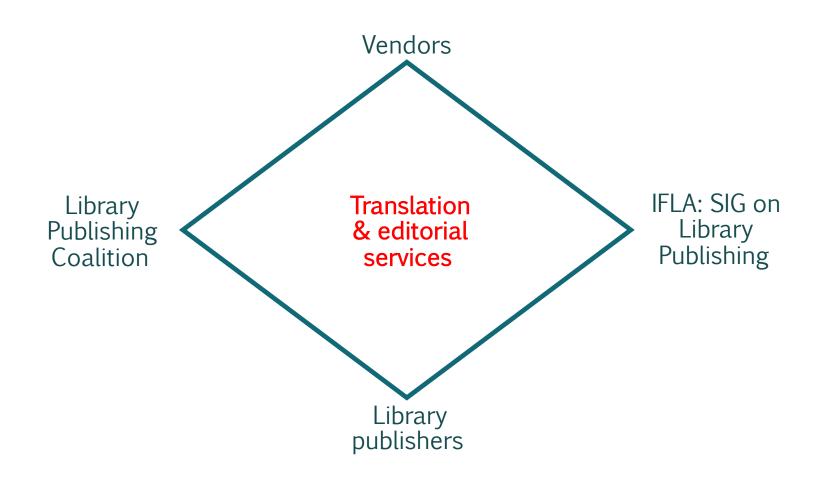
"English belongs to everyone and this includes the particular disciplinary communities, which have their own particular varieties of the language."

"This means that what is acceptable to the disciplinary community is up to the members of that community [regardless of native language]. Perhaps editors should therefore be encouraged to accept forms of English which, as long as they are intelligible, may not conform to 'standard English'."

Global exchange option A...



Global exchange option B...



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