

Scholarly communication workflow survey: Interview questions

The survey highlighted a number of tools used in scholarly communication such as those for searching the literature, annotating or analysing the literature, sharing work and staying up to date. (Provide examples if necessary).

- Would you like to comment on the tools that you use most?
- Are there any tools that you use or would like to use during the scholarly communication workflow process that were NOT listed?

Discovery

- How important are *discipline specific* tools for discovery? (e.g. CINAHL, Medline, Cochrane)

Collaboration

- Which tools do you use for collaborating within Monash (internally)? (Sharing notebooks, protocols, workflows etc.)
- Which tools do you use in collaborating externally?

Publication

- Do you share preprints?
- How difficult/easy is it to share data or code?
- How do you come to a decision regarding where to publish? (Which journal to publish in?)
Team decision or individual decision?
- Do other factors influence your decision? (e.g. Funder requirements, open access)
- Have you experienced approaches from 'predatory publishers'?

Outreach

- In addition to your published work, do you share related/complementary material such as conference presentations, posters, videos?
- Which social media platforms do you use to promote your research? (e.g. Blogs, Twitter)
- Do you have any online profiles other than a Monash staff profile (e.g. Google Scholar, ResearchGate, LinkedIn) - If yes, how often do you update these?

Assessment

- Peer review process - any thoughts or opinions based on your experience? Open peer review? Any opinions?
- Have you considered using altmetrics to complement your research metrics, or to demonstrate engagement?
- How have you discovered various useful tools?

Important developments in scholarly communication

- What do you think will be the most important developments in scholarly communication in the coming years?

Open Access and Open Science

- Do you support the goal of Open Access and/or Open Science? Any opinions?