

PEERE Newsletter 1 (Nov. 2015): PEERE reached 30 countries!

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PEERE Newsletter (10th November 2015)

This is the newsletter of TD1306 COST Action PEERE "New frontiers of peer review" (www.peere.org)

News

PEERE reached 30 Countries on board! Welcome to Lithuania, which will be represented by Andrius Pucksas and Agne Tvaronaviciene

Stephen Cowley (University of Southern Denmark, WG 1 leader) published "How peer review constrains cognition: on the frontline in the knowledge sector" in *Frontiers in Psychology*, on 3 November 2015 (<http://www.peere.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/Cowley2015Frontiers.pdf>)

Elizabeth Moylan (BioMed Central), Andrew Preston (Publons), László Sándor (Harvard University) and Tim Vines (Axios Review) will talk at the PEERE Workshop on "New models of peer review", Amarilia Hotel, Athens, 17-19 November 2015

PEERE Upcoming Meetings

Workshop on "***New models of peer review***", Amarilia Hotel, Athens, 17-19 November 2015 (including WG & MC meetings)

Invited speakers: Elizabeth Moylan (BioMed Central), Andrew Preston (Publons), László Sándor (Harvard University) and Tim Vines (Axios Review)

Workshop on "***The role of peer review and open access in university knowledge dissemination and evaluation***", co-located with Annual EA Conference on Innovating the Gutenberg Galaxis, Academy of Science & Literature, Mainz 26-27 January 2016 (see <http://www.ea-aw.org/peerreview2016>)

Invited speakers: Paul Wouters (University of Leiden), Joshua Nicholson (Winnover,

NY), Jeffrey Beall (University of Colorado) and Birgit Schmidt (University of Goettingen)

News from PEERE STSMs

A call for an STSM at EA (European Academy, Germany) to perform a small-scale study on what peer review and open access policies mean for different areas of university management. If you are interested, please contact Petra Ahrweiler (petra.Ahrweiler@ea-aw.de).

To apply for a STSM, please visit the STSM page on the Action website (www.peere.org)

PEERE peer-reviewed (what else?) recent publications

Casnici N., Grimaldo F., Gilbert N. and Squazzoni F. (2015) Attitudes of referees in a multidisciplinary journal: An empirical analysis, *JASIST (Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology)*, forthcoming

Bianchi F. and Squazzoni F. (2015) Is Three Better Than One? Simulating the Effect of Multiple Reviewer Selection on the Quality and Efficiency of Peer Review, Yilmaz et al. (Eds), *Proceedings of the 2015 Winter Simulation Conference*

Cowley S. (2015) How peer review constrains cognition: on the frontline in the knowledge sector, *Frontiers in Psychology* <http://www.peere.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/Cowley2015Frontiers.pdf>

Nedić O. and Dekanski A. (2015) A survey on publishing policies of the Journal of the Serbian Chemical Society – On the occasion of the 80th volume, *The Journal of the Serbian Chemical Society*, 959-969, 2015

Caram L.F., Caiafa C. F., Ausloos, M. and Proto A. N. (2015) Cooperative peer-to-peer multiagent-based systems, *Physical Review E*, E **92**, 022805
<http://journals.aps.org/pre/abstract/10.1103/PhysRevE.92.022805>

Huutoniemi K. (2015) Interdisciplinarity as Academic Accountability: Prospects for Quality Control Across Disciplinary Boundaries, *Social Epistemology A Journal of Knowledge, Culture and Policy* (DOI:10.1080/02691728.2015.1015061)
<http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/02691728.2015.1015061>

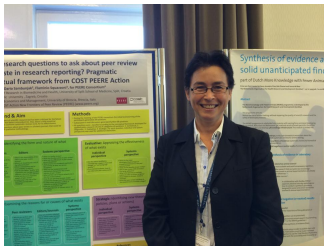
PEERE Dissemination

Aliaksandr Birukou presented PEERE in a Springer Nature Seminar in Milan, Italy, on 5th November 2015. His talk was entitled "PEERE: improving peer review". Below the

reaction of a group of journal editors where they were asked if they would like to have their internal peer review process systematically analysed! Thanks Alex!



Ana Marušić presented PEERE at [WAME International Conference for Medical Journal Editors](#) in New Delhi, India on 1-4 October 2015



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