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Dear colleagues and students,

In Research Newsletter 8, we report on the latest developments with respect to the debate on open access online publications. We do so in the context of impact of costs for publication in a number of journals on the citation frequency as well as on the scientific reputation of authors and institutions.

The SFU scientific staff of all sites has reported a total of 129 publications in 2015, including 12 books, 61 articles in books, and 56 articles in scientific journals. I would like to reiterate to report publications with SFU affiliation to me!

Noteworthy is the frequency of Internet access to the Research Bulletin: Overall, in January 2016 the SFU Open Access Journals website [„SFU-Forschungsbulletin/SFU Research Bulletin“](http://www.sfu.at/forschungsbulletin/) was accessed 2,216 times, according to Google Analytics. This outcome justifies the taking of measures to further improve both technical and visual features of the journal. We hope for an early implementation. Fortunately, submissions of contributions to the Research Bulletin are also increasing. Therefore, we were not only able to publish the next edition (2015/2) but also contributions for the next edition, which successfully passed the peer review process, are ready.

Likewise, another issue of our journal „Zeitschrift für freie psychoanalytische Forschung und Individualpsychologie“ will be published within the next few days, (addressing the topic "aggression"). The next issue of this journal is also already in progress.

Furthermore, application to the Ethics Commission has been improved by processing a database application. This software facilitates both the applicants' and the Ethics Commission's tasks – which appeared to be an urgently needed measure considering the constant increase of applications. (In the last three years, the Ethics Commission processed by far more than 300 applications).

We provide a summary table as an output of an information event session regarding Horizon 2020 by FFG on research topics, which are promoted in Horizon 2020.

And: I am looking forward to an active participation during the upcoming research meeting on 9th March!

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## 1 Open Access Publication

The possibility for open access online publication in scientific journals is a new challenge for research and science policies. Currently, the open access publication is often subject to charge, particularly in journals with high impact factor, - with significant costs for publication fees. For example: open access online publication of an article in the “Journal of Clinical Psychology” or in “Psychology and Psychotherapy: Theory, Research and Practice”: US \$ 3,000; “Health”: US \$ 1.199; “European Journal of Psychotherapy & Counselling: free of charge for text, and € 315 for each colour graphic. Many journals offer the choice to either publish an accepted article free of charge in print or chargeable as an open access publication.

The advantage of an open access publication is obvious: Internet articles which are available for free are noticed and disseminated more frequently. Therefore, they are also quoted more frequently and sustainably adopted, which affects the impact and as such the authors’ or institution’s scientific reputation respectively. – Studies and their meta studies have already assessed this question in which an up to 600 percentage of higher citation frequency was found in open access publications versus closed access publications (Swan, Alma (2010). The open access citation advantage: Studies and results to date. Open access available: <http://eprints.soton.ac.uk/268516/>; Swan, A. & Houghton, J.W. (2012). Going for Gold? The costs and benefits of Gold Open Access for UK research institutions: further economic modelling. Joint Information Systems Committee (JISC). Available under:

[http://repository.jisc.ac.uk/610/2/Modelling\\_Gold\\_Open\\_Access\\_for\\_institutions\\_-\\_final\\_draft3.pdf](http://repository.jisc.ac.uk/610/2/Modelling_Gold_Open_Access_for_institutions_-_final_draft3.pdf).

Certainly, the cost for open access online publications significantly restrict the freedom of science, because the reception of research results is tied to the researchers’ and their institutions’ budgetary opportunities respectively. They point the way towards an exclusivity, which is defined by financial resources research facilities can provide for open access publications.

As a result, initiatives increase to counteract restrictions caused by publication fees in the interest of accessibility to scientific findings for the global scientific community, and as a counter-strategy to an impact factor acquisition, which depends on funding. For example, there is a joint statement by EU Commissioner Moedas and Dutch Government as well as a signature initiative "Moving Forwards on Open Access" by the League of European Research Universities (LERU). Last year, the Dutch Government decided that all Dutch Universities’ publications to be at 100 percent by means of open access by 2024.

OANA (Open Access Network Austria) is an initiative in Austria, initiated by UNIKO and FWF – refer to <http://www.oana.at>. Following the Presidents’ of the Austrian Private Universities



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Conference (ÖPUK), Univ. Prof. Dr. Karl Wöber, Rector of MODUL University Vienna, initiative, I contacted Dr. Falck Recklinghausen, head of the FWF Department for strategic analyses. As a result, the SFU Rectorate has decided to join OANA (free membership). Dr. Michael Reichmayr in his function as head of the SFU library has accepted to be focal person for OANA:

<http://www.oana.at/mitglieder-ansprechpersonen/privatuniversitaeten/>.

A working group from OANA has drafted recommendations on how the entire scientific publication activity in Austria may be switched to open access by 2025: <http://dx.doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.33178>

"By 2025, the entire scientific publication activity in Austria will be converted to open access. That means that all scientific publications emerging from public funding are available for free without delay and in the final version (Gold Open Access). The necessary resources will either be allocated to the authors or the scientific organizations directly bear the cost of publication media."

These initiatives are currently particularly relevant in view of the Dutch EU-Presidency in the first half of 2016, when open access and open science will be made priorities.

Brigitte Sindelar

## 2 News from the library

Dr. Michael Reichmayr informs:

As of 2016, the SFU participates in the "Electronic library for journals" (EZB) and the "Database Information System" (DBIS). Thus, the SFU has available both the EZB and the DBIS as of 2016 (fully searchable approximately by beginning of February). Those two very useful research tools will then "automatically" allow relatively simple searching for all SFU licensed products PLUS all freely accessible Internet resources (journals and date based sorted by subject areas) on one clear platform.

**Reminder:** All scientific journals subscribed by SFU are available in the library in printed version or entirely digital (in full text).



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Below, the current list of subscribed journals or databases, sorted by publishers (providers) ordered (as of December 2015):

**1. About EBSCO:**

PsycInfo – online (unlimited access)

PsycArticles – online (unlimited access)

Psyn dex: Literature and audio-visual media with Psyn dex tests – online (unlimited access)

**2. Thieme Verlag:**

Psychotherapie · Psychosomatik · Medizinische Psychologie – PPM – Print and online

Psychotherapie im Dialog – PiD – Print and online

**3. Springer:**

Psychotherapeut – Print und online

**4. Vandenhoeck and Ruprecht**

Zeitschrift für Individualpsychologie – Print

**5. Psychosocial-publisher (complete or single edition):**

Psychosozial – Print

Psychoanalyse und Körper – Print

Psychoanalyse im Widerspruch – Print

Psychoanalytische Familientherapie – Print

Freie Assoziation – Print

**6. Brandes & Apsel (single editions):**

Luzifer-Amor – Print

**7. Klett Cotta:**

Psyche – Print (complete, since 1948!)



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## Pschyrembel

From now on and until 26<sup>th</sup> February 2016, the SFU Vienna has free of charge access via the link [www.degruyter.com/db/pschyprem](http://www.degruyter.com/db/pschyprem) to the data base „Pschyrembel Premium Online“ (test access).

The only requirement is the onsite use of SFU internal computers (also available at computers in the library) (IP-bound access).

The content of the database is shown in the link below ("Pschyrembel\_online\_inhalt"):

[http://www.sfu.ac.at/data/Pschyrembel\\_online\\_inhalt.pdf](http://www.sfu.ac.at/data/Pschyrembel_online_inhalt.pdf)

The submission of brief feedback to [michael.reichmayr@sfu.ac.at](mailto:michael.reichmayr@sfu.ac.at) on the relevance and usefulness of this database for your area of study/work is appreciated.

## 3 Ethics commission 2.0 – We are online

Since 18th January 2016, applications to the Ethics Commission must take place online. For this purpose, a comprehensive database has been established that can be accessed via the website [ethik.sfu.ac.at](http://ethik.sfu.ac.at). By using an encrypted connection (bank security standard), an online transaction of the applications to the Ethics Commission can be made. Due to the establishment and implementation of the relevant software by Mr. Mihalits, BSc., BA.pth., no cost incurred for the programme. The operation of the database requires only minimum expenditure (less than two movie tickets per month for all applications). The saving of working hours for administrative expenses compensates those costs by far: Apart from the saving effect, there are many innovations, which primarily benefit the applicants: Thus, applications can now be submitted worldwide at any time, no physical presence at the university necessary. After successful submission of an application the applicants, supervisors and the members of the Ethics Commission receive a copy of the entire application via e-mail for confirmation. Submitted applications may be revised also online (upon prior consent of the Commission). For revision no resubmission is required, since each application is individually identifiable by a unique project ID number. Approval by the Commission is granted exclusively via e-mail. When sending an authorization of application, a digital signature is allocated to each application, figured by a programmed algorithm calculating from the project ID number of the application and the date of approval. A special safety feature, which Mr. Mihalits has developed, prevents counterfeiting: The Ethics Commission may verify the authenticity of an approval any time. Templates for required additional files, such as consent forms, can be downloaded via [ethik.sfu.ac.at](http://ethik.sfu.ac.at) and be attached to the online form after appropriate revision without any problems. Illustrated instructions both in German and English are available on the internal area of the SFU homepage to facilitate the use of the new software applications.



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## 4 New outfit for the online-journals

We are working intensively on the new posting of the online journals “SFU Forschungsbulletin/SFU Research Bulletin” und “Zeitschrift für freie psychoanalytische Forschung und Individualpsychologie”. A graphical presentation should facilitate the future implementation of the SFU corporate design. However, predominant are technical innovations: The implementation of the OJS (Open Journal Systems) software provides numerous new features, such as automated submission of manuscripts, complete peer review management, an online reading tool, independent DOI-setting and the autonomous reporting of royalty claims to VG Wort. Likewise, all technical conditions will be established to ensure visibility and easy locating in many scientific databases, such as Crossref, Psyn dex, EBSCO, Thomson Reuters Science Citation Index or Google Scholar. By means of an advanced analysis tool, specific access evaluations may be performed, enabling higher visibility of journals in open source.

## 5 Horizon 2020: The EU-programme for Research and Innovation

Nearly 75 billion euros are available for research and innovation from 2014 to 2020 on EU - level. The financing and funding schemes range from basic research to innovative product development. Individual researchers and companies or cooperation between science and industry are the key target groups of Horizon 2020.

Horizon provides a common framework for three challenges/objectives :

- Scientific excellence
- Competitiveness and industrial leadership
- Social challenges

**The budget is allocated as follows:**

- Scientific excellence (24 billion. €)
- Competitiveness and industrial leadership (16 billion. €)
- Social challenges (29 billion. €)
- Cross-section materials (6 billion. €)

Announcements, or any other research funding programs including, the deadlines for submission can be found here: <https://www.ffg.at/foerderungen>

## 6 News

- In April 2016, the FWF project will be launched: "Psychology in the Ostmark. Between ideology and servitude " under the lead of Univ. Prof. Dr. Gerhard Benetka, SFU Vienna, and DDr. Martin Wieser and Dr. Thomas Mayer, SFU Berlin, as the project team.
- In November 2015, a FFG/FTI funded project was launched: "Impetus - Collaborative supply platform for age depression". The project will be lead under the SFU Univ. Prof. Dr. Christiane Eichenberg's patronage in cooperation with Johanniter Austria Education and Research GmbH.
- We congratulate Mr. Christoph Bendas, MSc. for obtaining the scientific scholarship of the City of Vienna for the project: "But first, let me take a selfie!"
- SFU was represented at the DGPPN Congress in Berlin ([www.dgppn.de](http://www.dgppn.de)) with 5 contributions, including such from students:

Eichenberg, C., & Stetina, B. (2015). *Misserfolgsvorschung in der Online-Therapie: Schulenübergreifende Analyse der Risiken und Nebenwirkungen*. Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Psychiatrie, Psychotherapie und Nervenheilkunde, 25.-28.11.2015, Berlin.

Eichenberg, C., & Bendas, C. (2015). „But first, let me take a Selfie“: Zum Zusammenhang von Selfie-Postings in sozialen Netzwerken und klinischen Ausprägungen der Persönlichkeit. Posterpräsentation auf dem Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Psychiatrie, Psychotherapie und Nervenheilkunde, 25.-28.11.2015, Berlin.

Eichenberg, C., & Grabmayer, G. & Green, N. (2015). *Akzeptanz von Serious Games in der Psychotherapie: Eine Befragung von Therapeuten und Patienten*. Posterpräsentation auf dem Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Psychiatrie, Psychotherapie und Nervenheilkunde, 25.-28.11.2015, Berlin.

Eichenberg, C., Mihalits, D. & Hübner, L. (2015). *Patient-Targeted Googling: An empirical comparative study between German therapists and their patients*. Posterpräsentation auf dem Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Psychiatrie, Psychotherapie und Nervenheilkunde, 25.-28.11.2015, Berlin.

Eichenberg, C., & Sindelar, B. (2015). *Serious Games im Rahmen von Interventionen zur Behandlung von Adipositas im Kindes- und Jugendalter: Ein systematisches Review*. Posterpräsentation auf dem Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Psychiatrie, Psychotherapie und Nervenheilkunde, 25.-28.11.2015, Berlin.



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- In summer-term 2016, the research project Transcultural Mindfulness will be launched, led by Dr. Virtbauer. In cooperation with: Oxford Centre for Buddhist Studies ([www.ocbs.org](http://www.ocbs.org)), Oxford Mindfulness Centre ([www.oxfordmindfulness.org](http://www.oxfordmindfulness.org))
- Under the lead of Dr.<sup>in</sup> Christine Korischek, a group of students will travel to Talamanca/Costa Rica in the summer semester 2016 to conduct an ethnopschoanalytical field research. Topic of this field research is the dream culture, explored along with encounters with the indigenous population Bribri in Costa Rica.
- SFU student Lisa-Marie Koch and Mag. Dr. Stefan Hampl have received the Call4Europe Prize on 27th January 2016 at the Erste Bank for their Crowd-Funding Project "Generation Innovation across Europe". This project was particularly acknowledged by the CEO, Thomas Uher, considering the support of young scientists and the networking among different Universities in Europe. Project kick-off is from 8th to 11th February 2016 in Lemberg. After further workshops conducted in Olomouc and Magdeburg, a final presentation will take place by end of this year at SFU in Vienna.

## 7 Students Research Award

Since winter semester 2014/15 every semester the „Students Research Award“ has been awarded by the SFU Rectorate to students of all areas academic programmes (psychology, psychotherapy science) who actively presented their research work at a scientific congress (lecture or poster presentation). Students may submit their abstract for this award to the Vice Rector Research. A committee selects five contributions of highest scientific quality. The five winners of the SFU Student Research Awards receive a tuition reduction of 500 Euros for the following semester.

Criteria for the rating are:

- Abstract – formal
- Abstract – content
- Relevance of the topic
- Relevance of the topic for the further development of theory and/or practice
- Level of innovation of research design and methods
- Relevance of results for the further development of theory and/or practice
- Relevance of the conference for the scientific community





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### **List of winners of the Students' Research Award:**

(The winners are listed based on the committee's given score)

#### **WINTER SEMESTER 2014/15:**

1. Dominik Stefan Mihalits

Lecture at the Congress „Rhythms of Resistance“ (New Delhi, India), 24th to 26th September 2014

Topic of the lecture: „Resistance in Love? Which form of arrangements do we take into consideration when we talk about love and marriage and can we differ in between cultural entities as much as we believe in?“

2. Tatiana Pysarenko

Lecture at the 7th World Congress for Psychotherapy (Durban, South Africa), 25th to 28th August 2014

Topic of the lecture: „Woman's Search for Identity: Defining Self in a Generational Context“

3. Mariia Demianchuk

Poster presentation at the 22nd European Congress of Psychiatry (EPA 2014) (Munich, Germany), 1st to 4th March 2014

Title of the Posters: “PTSD: Between Scylla of horror of the past and Charybdis of future uncertainty”

4. Urska Klemenc

Lecture at the Conference: International Conference on Media and Popular Culture (Vienna, Austria), 30th to 31st May 2014

Topic of the lecture: „Movies as a valuable teaching tool“

#### **SUMMER SEMESTER 2015:**

ex aequo:

1. Dominik Stefan Mihalits

Poster presentation: Deutscher Kongress für Psychosomatische Medizin und Psychotherapie (Berlin, Germany), 25th to 28th March 2015

Title of the posters: Patient Targeted Googling: An empirical comparative study between German therapists and their patients

1. Harald Erik Tichy

Lecture at the Congress: „25 Years Constructive Realism“ (Vienna, Austria), 4th to 6th May 2015

Topic of the lecture: Annäherungen an eine Theorie der Meditation im personenzentrierten Ansatz



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ex aequo:

2. Mariia Demianchuk

Poster presentation at the 23rd European Congress of Psychiatry (Vienna, Austria), 28th to 31st March 2015

Title of the posters: Perspectives of short-term psychotherapy with asylum seekers. Preliminary commentary on the project "Mobile Psychotherapy" (Lower Austria).

2. Christoph Bendas

Poster presentation

Title of the posters: Mobbing und Cybermobbing bei Jugendlichen – Ergebnisse einer empirischen Untersuchung

3. Oksana Pavlenko

Poster presentation (together with Mariia Demianchuk) at the 23rd European Congress of Psychiatry (Vienna, Austria), 28th to 31st March 2015

Title of the posters: Critical review of asylum seeking policy in Austria

The winners of the Students Research Awards in winter semester 2015/16 will be announced in early March 2016. The deadline for the Students Research Award for the summer semester 2016 is the 31st August 2016.

## 8 Publications

Find lists of registered publications (2010-2016) with a specified SFU affiliation of at least one author under the following link:

<http://forschung.sfu.ac.at/index.php/e-publikationen/>

Publications 2015: <http://forschung.sfu.ac.at/index.php/e-publikationen/publications-2015>

Publications 2016: <http://forschung.sfu.ac.at/index.php/e-publikationen/publications-2016/>

**Please check listed publications of all years in terms of completeness.** If a publication with an explicitly specified SFU affiliation has not been listed there, please report the required information to [forschung@sfu.ac.at](mailto:forschung@sfu.ac.at) **as soon as possible.**



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## Reporting of congress participations

Please report conference participations of SFU staff to [forschung@sfu.ac.at](mailto:forschung@sfu.ac.at)! Those **reports are required for the next annual report.** Thank you!

## 9 Announcement Research Meeting (9<sup>th</sup> March 2016)

On **9<sup>th</sup> March 2016 from 14:00-17:00** a research meeting will be held in the SFU premises in Vienna. Its purpose is the mutual information on and communication of ongoing and planned research meetings, aiming to optimize the utilization of the SFU research potential and specifying the SFU research profile. All research staff members from all SFU branches are cordially invited. Communication with all branches will take place via Skype.

We kindly request participants to register and announce topics of interest for discussion at this meeting not later than **29<sup>th</sup> February 2016** under [forschung@sfu.ac.at](mailto:forschung@sfu.ac.at). In case you wish to present any information at this meeting, you may submit it beforehand to facilitate our appropriate preparation.