

DSpace

THE SOFTWARE OF CHOICE FOR OPEN DIGITAL REPOSITORIES

DSpace, explained:

DSpace is one of the most widely adopted open-source repository software in the world for managing research and scholarly materials across all disciplines, and cultural heritage materials of all types, with a focus on open access, preservation, and storage.

DSpace's mission is to provide superior open-source software by harnessing the skills of an active developer community, the energy and insights of engaged and active users, and the financial support of program members, and registered service providers. DSpace is free to download, easy to install, and completely customizable to fit the needs of any organization. DSpace is used by more than 3,000 academic libraries, research centers, governments, national libraries, not-for-profit, and commercial organizations.

WHY

HAS IT BEEN DEEMED ESSENTIAL INFRASTRUCTURE?

DSpace is one of the world's key open-source repository softwares used by over three thousand organisations globally. It provides free access to research articles, datasets, and reports. SCOSS funding will help sustain DSpace to support current and future software releases to uphold an important part of the international repository ecosystem and serve the global community.

SCOSS FUNDING TARGET

OPERATIONAL FUNDING
FOR 2 YEARS

€ 663,074

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

You can help by committing to help fund DSpace. We recommend that you pledge an annual donation for a period of two years, as shown in the table below, in which funding levels vary according to the size and type of the organisation. Pledging for the full term of two years will provide the service with a secure financial foundation on its path to complete financial sustainability. Your pledge can either be paid in one lump sum, up-front, or on an annual basis.

Financial transactions will take place directly between the funding organisation and the service provider, and not via SCOSS. Organisations wishing to support DSpace should contact them directly at DSpaceSCOSS@lyrasis.org.

DONATION LEVELS

*Contact us if you would like to support DSpace at another level

ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION LEVEL

PLATINUM:

1 leadership seat for every member at this level

16,500 EUR

GOLD:

1 leadership seat for every 2 members at this level

8,500 EUR

SILVER:

1 leadership seat for every 5 members at this level

4,000 EUR

BRONZE:

1 leadership seat for every 8 members at this level

2,000 EUR

COPPER:

eligibility for at-large governance seats

800 EUR

A 25% discount will be deducted from the individual contributions made by members of consortia of 10 or more organisations.

We will consider each SCOSS contributor as a member of DSpace with the same governance eligibility of other members at that level (as long as they are making an annual contribution).

MORE INFORMATION

DSpace website: <https://duraspace.org/dspace/>

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DSpace SCOSS Application Form:

<https://sparceurope.org/download/9826/>

SCOSS website: www.scoss.org