

**Open Access in Practice:  
Dissemination, Visibility, Usage & Impact of Scholarly Research**

**12<sup>th</sup> January 2018  
Breakout Session: 12:00 -12:45**

**OAR@UM**

- 1. What motivates you to deposit publications in OAR@UM? Why do you think that depositing research publications in OAR@UM will enhance your academic profile?**
- 2. What are the barriers, challenges and obstacles you are facing when uploading your research in OAR@UM? And how can the Library help and support researchers and academics with Open Access issues and with the uploading of research output in OAR@UM?**

**UM Open Access Policy**

- 1. 'The underlying principle of the UM Open Access Policy is to encourage self-archiving (aka Green Open Access). What in your opinion are the advantages and disadvantages of the the two prominent Open Access models (ie Green vs Gold)?**

**Green Open Access** refers to the depositing or self-archiving of a copy of the final version (or post-print) of a peer-reviewed article, regardless of the journal (Open Access or non-Open Access) where it is published. If the article is published in Open Access, the copy to be deposited can be the Accepted Author Manuscript (AAM) or Publisher Version/Version of Record (PV/VOR). For articles published in non-Open Access journals where no APC is paid, there will usually be an embargo period to Open Access set by the publisher.

**Gold Open Access** refers to the publishing of a peer-reviewed article in an academic journal which makes the article openly available on the publisher's platform. A growing number of journals charge APCs for Open Access but there are many Open Access journals which do not charge any APC.

- 2. What are the benefits of implementing an Open Access Policy for the UM?**