

Lyrasis Open Access Community Investment Program

The Lyrasis Open Access Community Investment Program (OACIP) provides a community-driven framework that enables multiple stakeholders — including academic and public libraries, academic departments, institutions, research centers, museums, and funding agencies — to evaluate and collectively fund Diamond Open Access (OA) journals.



The investment window is open now through **March 31, 2025**.

The program is designed to be:

- **Sustainable** - Investments in OACIP support costs of labor, infrastructure, contingency, and innovation of each journal.
- **Principle-aligned** - The OACIP Criteria Form enables investors to make principled spending decisions and strategically fund programs that align with their missions.
- **Inclusive** - OACIP provides a hub for Diamond OA content published by nonprofit, academic-led publishers to sustain bibliodiversity, equity, and inclusion of scholarship.
- **Collaborative** - OACIP enables an array of communities to share the costs of funding scholarship.
- **Efficient** - OACIP centralizes the administration and funding of individual journals or across the entire OACIP portfolio.

For additional information or to make pledge, please email oacip@lyrasis.org.



How to Participate in OACIP

1 Step 1: Evaluate the OACIP Journals

Visit the OACIP Journals' webpages or review the **2024 Lyrisis OACIP Catalog** to learn more about the journals and read their responses to the OACIP Criteria Form.

2 Step 2: Consider Your Organization's Capacity for Support

There are several ways you can support OACIP:

- **Support Specific OACIP Journals**
 - Support one or many **individual OACIP Journals**; or
 - Support all eight (8) 2024 OACIP Journals through the **OACIP All 2024 Journals Bundle**
- **Contribute to the OACIP General Fund**
 - Contributions to the **OACIP General Fund** are not dedicated to any one journal. Instead, these contributions are distributed at the end of the campaign to fill any funding gaps.

3 Step 3: Complete the OACIP Supporter Information Form

Once you are ready to commit support, complete the **2024 OACIP Supporter Information Form** and an OACIP Administrator will be in touch to confirm and finalize your order.



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