Management information

September 2017
Hello and welcome to another USIR update.

Open Access Week 2017
As I mentioned in last month’s update, we’ll be hosting events to celebrate this year’s Open Access Week, which has a theme of “Open in order to…”. We want to explore researcher’s motivations for making their research openly available and encourage discussion about the benefits of open research. We have Dr Erinma Ochu and Dr Caroline Magennis talking about two very different open topics at two lunchtime events and we hope to get a discussion going on Twitter throughout the week too.

To sign up for one of the Open Access Week talks, go to our Eventbrite page. Crucially, lunch will be provided at both. If you could circulate information about these events to your colleagues that would be very much appreciated.

IEEE Unlimited
You might remember that this time last year we announced an agreement with IEEE whereby University of Salford authors could get their work published open access in 140+ IEEE journal titles without needing to pay any open access fees. We’ve renewed that agreement for another year (until October 31st 2018). When your article has been accepted you should be able to choose to publish open access but if you’re unsure about anything, do get in touch. Again, if you could circulate this to staff and students who might want to publish with IEEE, that’d be great.

Many thanks,

Steve Carlton
On behalf of the Research Support Team (The Library)
## General Overview for Research

April 2017 – September 2017

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School of Health Sciences


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### School of Computing, Science & Engineering


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School of the Built Environment


Salford Business School


Delamaire, L, Abdou, HAH and Pointon, J 2009, 'Credit card fraud and detection techniques : a review' , Banks and Bank Systems, 4 (2) , pp. 57-68.


McCullagh, K 2011, Click happy?: an analysis of the use of an Electronic Voting System (EVS) in large group lectures to improve interaction and engagement , in: Education in a Changing Environment (ECE) 6th International Conference : Creativity and Engagement in Higher Education, 6 - 8 July 2011, The University of Salford, Greater Manchester, UK.

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Live e-theses records

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1,485 e-theses records
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864 of which are publicly accessible

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Aissi, L 1987, An analytical study of the process of translation: with special reference to English/Arabic, PhD thesis, University of Salford. | 541
Kidger, PJK 1999, Human resource management in multinational enterprises, PhD thesis, University of Salford. | 485
Atkinson, D 2013, Nursing observation and assessment of patients in the acute medical unit, DProf thesis, University of Salford. | 449
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