LPC Community in Conversation: Let’s Discuss Publishing Platforms

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CHANGE OF PLAN
Our initial plan was an interactive, collaborative experimental session with folks gathered in person around tables, having discussions.

Zoom breakout rooms will be the next best thing!
Pre-Forum Survey Data and Discussion

What softwares/platforms are you interested in? (Check all that apply.)

- Open Journal Systems (OJS): 44 (71%)
- Janeway: 26 (41.9%)
- Vega: 20 (32.3%)
- Wordpress: 17 (27.4%)
- PubPub: 29 (46.8%)
- Digital Commons: 20 (32.3%)
- Pressbooks: 39 (62.9%)
- Editoria: 19 (30.6%)
- OMP: 26 (41.9%)
- Manifold: 27 (43.5%)
- Fulcrum: 19 (30.6%)
- Scalar: 17 (27.4%)
- Open Science Foundation: 1 (1.6%)
- open source plugins: 1 (1.6%)
- Jekyll, git: 1 (1.6%)

Are you more interested in print or digital outputs?

- Print: 98.4%
- Digital: 1.6%

Please rank your interest in publishing formats (greatest to least).

- Journals: 63.9%
- Monographs: 8.2%
- Experimental Formats: 27.9%
Time for polls
Objectives

- Talk with others about how our programs are using various platforms
- Begin to create communities of practice around these platforms
- Discuss ways you feel these platforms are working well, or could be improved, better supported, or better utilized
- Opportunity for collaboration, continued discussion, and support across institutions even after the conference has ended
How this will work...
Schedule and Ground Rules

1:15-1:30 Intro discussion and polls
1:30-1:55 Breakout discussion
1:55-2:10 Reconvene and takeaways
2:10-2:15 Final polls

Please....
Be courteous
Use chat if you don’t wish to unmute
Adhere to [LPC Code of Conduct](#)
Workshop Overview

Process

- Breakout rooms
- Discuss questions on shared Google Doc
- Reconvene at the end

Facilitators

- Room 1: Ally
- Room 2: Amanda H.
- Room 3: Race
- Room 4: Matt
- Room 5: Cheryl
- Room 6: Amanda L.
- Room 7: Rebel
- Room 8: Amanda W.
Time for breakouts!
Takeaways

What surprised you about how others are using a platform?

What did you learn about the platform(s) you discussed?

What ways could you collaborate with others around the platform(s) you use or discussed?

What benefits do you see from having communities of practice around publishing platforms?

What discussion are you most excited to continue and take action on after the Forum?
Time for polls (again!)