**OPEN MONOGRAPH PRESS: AN OPEN SOURCE APPLICATION FOR ACADEMIC PUBLISHING**

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**Abstract**

The scholarly publishing field is undergoing revolutionary changes with Open Access (OA) movement. Until now, the primary focus and concern was the publication of scholarly research articles and research reports. However, the publication of non-serials such as monographs, books and conference proceedings have been of great concern, especially for the University Presses in developing countries whose main focus is the publication of non-serials. Open Monograph Press is an open source tool for publishing non-serial publications developed by the Public Knowledge Project under GNU License GPL V2. This paper presents an overview of Open Monograph Press by explaining its user roles, publication workflow, features and advantages, and drawbacks.