



ORI Monthly Bulletin

Welcome to the monthly bulletin from Open Repositories Ireland, which aims to keep you up to date with recent activity in the community!

ORI ONBOARDING COORDINATOR

Bianca Pereira joined ORI in late January as the Onboarding Coordinator for the OpenAIRE v4 Adopter Assistance Programme. She will be supporting repository managers who want to accelerate their repository's adoption of OpenAIRE.

We already have 6 repositories availing of support and 3 more on the queue.

Interested in learning more about OpenAIRE adoption?

Contact her at: bianca.deOliveiraPereira@universityofgalway.ie

OPENAIRE v4 ADOPTION

What are the steps for OpenAIRE v4 adoption? Bianca has developed a video explaining each step and how our Adopter Assistance Programme can help you. Watch the video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t7Ojd-XsAhE>

ALMA & PRIMO REMOVE OPENAIRE

Discussions to get OpenAIRE reinstated in the Primo CDI are ongoing. We will keep you updated on any development.

OPEN RESEARCH WEEK

Congratulations to the organisers and presenters of Open Research Week 2026 which took place earlier this month. If you were unable to attend or missed any presentations, they can be found on the [event programme page](#) or directly using the links below:

- Session 1: Open Access Publishing, Open Humanities
https://youtu.be/E_v_YhLo0mU
- Session 2: Open Access Publishing, Open Humanities
<https://youtu.be/jp5EmbY5kgQ>
- Session 3: Open Research, Citizen Science, Open Data
https://youtu.be/_ASalvGyiDQ
- Session 4: Citizen Science, Open Data, Open Software
<https://youtu.be/BL4DqbZ3RRc>
- Session 5: Open Access, Rights Retention
<https://youtu.be/Pu5lxc7N50o>
- Session 6: Open Research, Open Access Publishing, Rights Retention
<https://youtu.be/6tsTAXcO2Dw>
- Playlist containing all six recordings:
<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLR7vIXp1FBn257KHJJ-r5CthkY3OBfO6>

ORI COMMUNITY MEETING

A community meeting was held on the 19th of January 2026. During the meeting Cillian Joy provided an update on [repository adopter](#) assistance. Following this Pdraig Manning discussed his role as the HSE repository manager and answered questions from the community.

For further information on these and other related topics, please check the ORI website: <https://www.universityofgalway.ie/openrepositories/ori/>

