

Scottish Declaration on Open Access

- **All Scottish Universities have now signed the Scottish Declaration**
- **Commits HEIs to:**
 - ✚ **Setup institutional repositories, and/or liaise with other organisations to establish a joint repository.**
 - ✚ **Encourage, and where practical mandate, researchers to deposit copies of their outputs (articles, reports, conference papers, etc) in an institutional or co-operative repository.**
 - ✚ **Review intellectual property policies, to ensure that researchers have the right and duty to provide an open access version of their research.**

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