

**PLEDGING
2025**

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Dear Librarians and Knowledge Unlatched Partners,

This year marks an important new chapter for Knowledge Unlatched (KU). After more than a decade of pioneering collective open access models, KU has found a new nonprofit home with Annual Reviews. The fit is a natural one: both organizations are dedicated to sharing high-quality scholarship as widely as possible, and both believe that collective action is the most effective way to achieve it.

Libraries around the world continue to come together through KU to make thousands of books and journals openly available, generating tens of millions of content interactions from readers each year. This is clear evidence of what can be accomplished through partnership and sustained commitment. We are excited to build on this strong foundation.

Our immediate priorities are the rich programs described in this brochure: the KU Select Books Collection and its eight subcollections, several subject-specific partner collections, three open access platforms, and additional Subscribe to Open journal offerings. With a reenergized KU team, we are ready to continue expanding these initiatives and deepening their impact.

Looking ahead, we are positioning KU to support innovative efforts across the open access landscape, from helping new infrastructure gain a foothold to nurturing emerging Diamond OA initiatives worldwide. Together with your ongoing partnership, we will continue building a strong, sustainable open access future that benefits the global research community for years to come.

Sincerely,



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5,000 +
Books

670 +
Libraries

100 +
Publishers

50 +
Journals

23,500,000 +
Interactions

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Highlights for 2025 Pledging

- **More KU Select Books**

KU's Flagship collection expanded to 200 titles organized into eight thematic subcollections.

- **Backlists are back**

Six new collections of backlist titles are available covering current topics like Film Studies and Latin American Studies.

- **New publishing partners**

We continue to partner with publishers in support of a variety of content formats while recognizing the importance of diversity, innovation, and rich international studies.

- **Additional subject area coverage**

Featuring content from a diverse range of subject areas including Artificial Intelligence, Business Management, and Performing Arts.

- **Sylla is on board**

KU has a new collaboration with Sylla, a digital platform that matches open and affordable resources to local teaching needs for classroom adoption.

- **Extended pledging deadline***

Libraries are invited to support KU's Open Access initiatives (KU Select and Partner collections) through January 31, 2026.

- **Funding goal achieved**

Language Science Press will continue to unlash books through 2026, thanks to support received from more than 100 worldwide institutions in 2023 and 2024!

- **Stay tuned for one more official announcement**

Here's a hint... New S2O journals from Stanford University Press are joining KU!

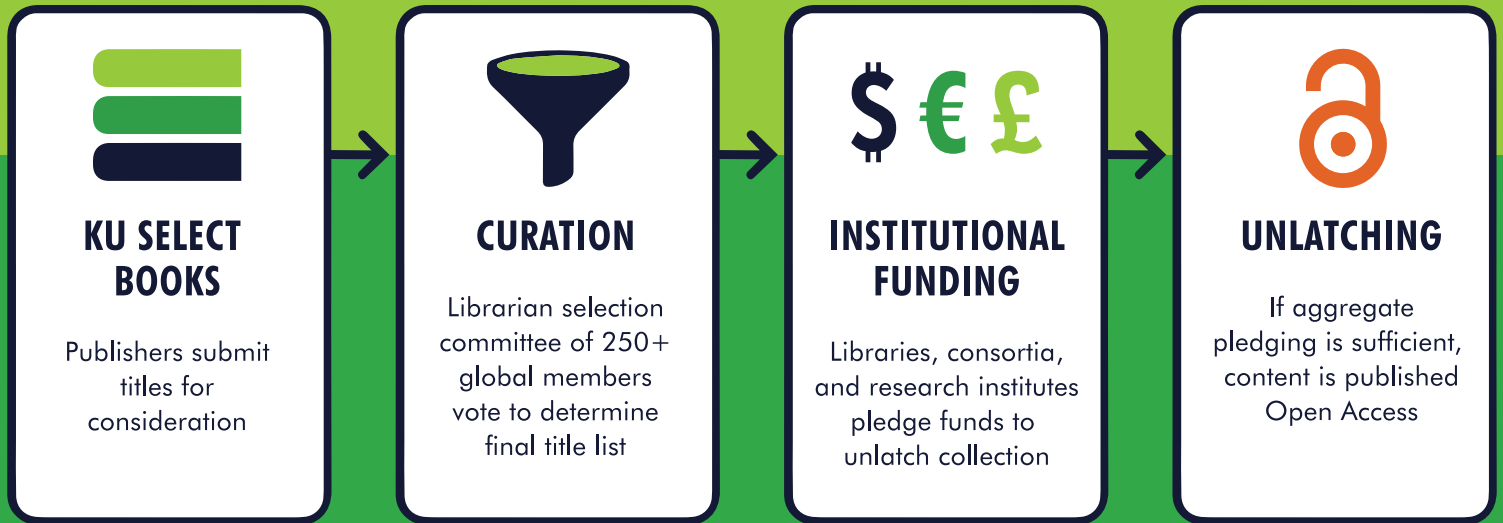
* Subscribe to Open pledging schedules are unique to each publisher.

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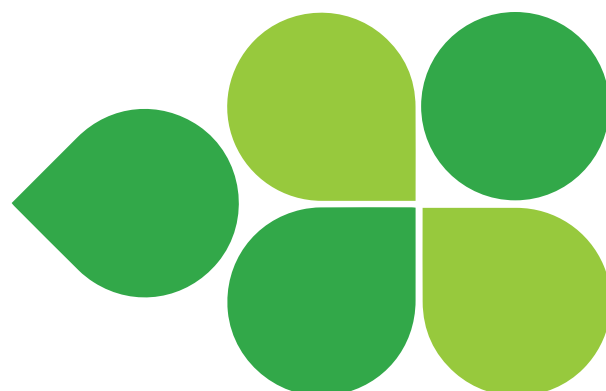
How KU Works: KU Select Books



How to Support KU Select 2026

Institutions can pledge to KU Select 2026 in two ways: support the entire collection, or select from one or more of the eight specialized sub-collections to target specific academic disciplines.

Libraries may choose to make a one-year or three-year commitment. Those that support for three years will receive a 10% discount on the first year.



FULL COLLECTION (200 TITLES)

- KU Select 2026 Books is our flagship, multi-publisher, multi-disciplinary collection, featuring 200 frontlist titles in the Humanities and Social Sciences (HSS). Curated in collaboration with KU's global Librarian Committee, the collection reflects some of the most pressing issues shaping our world today.
- Organized around a thematic approach, KU Select 2026 comprises eight sub-collections of 25 titles each, addressing urgent societal, environmental, and political issues.
- Books are scheduled for publication throughout 2026, 2027, and 2028.

SUB COLLECTIONS (25 TITLES EACH)

- Climate Change & Global Warming
- Education & Lifelong Learning
- Gender & Social Change
- Global Health & Resilience
- Inequalities in Social Contexts
- New Economies of Work
- Power, Governance & Conflict
- Urban Life & Accountability

COLLECTION	CONTENT DEFINITION	PLEDGING TERM IN YEARS	PRICE PER YEAR	NECESSARY SUPPORTERS	GUARANTEED ACCESS	MARC RECORDS	DISCOVERABILITY	USAGE DATA
KU SELECT 2026 FULL COLLECTION	UP TO 200 BOOKS	1 or 3	€10,585.00 \$12,385.00 £9,103.00	165		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
KU SELECT 2026 INDIVIDUAL SUBCOLLECTIONS	UP TO 25 BOOKS	1 or 3	€1,624.00 \$1,900.00 £1,397.00	165		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

KU Select Full Collection pricing listed above includes a collection discount. Multi-year pledges qualify for additional savings.

KU FOCUS COLLECTION 2026: DIGITAL LIVES—TECHNOLOGY’S INFLUENCE ON CONTEMPORARY LIFE

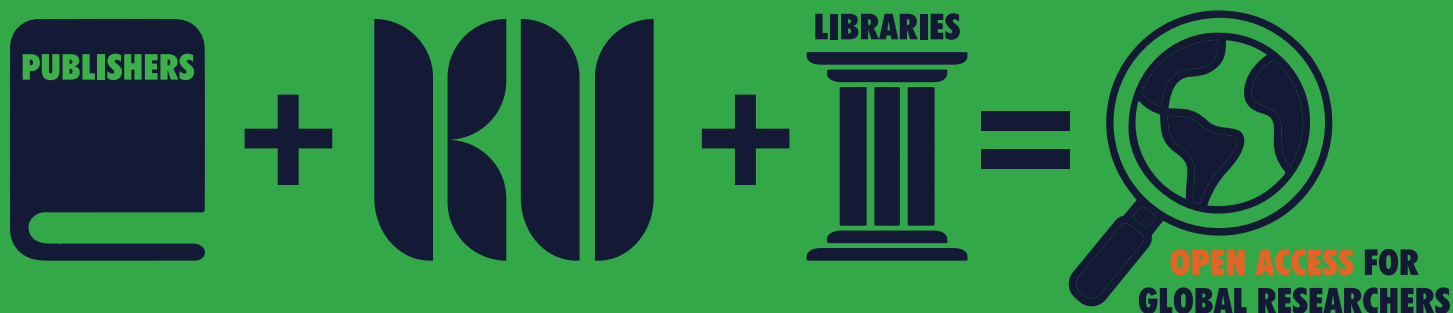
- This year, KU is pleased to offer a single, focused collection of 20 frontlist books under the theme “Digital Lives—Technology’s Influence on Contemporary Life.” Titles in the collection offer fresh insights into the digital condition, including critical studies of AI, surveillance, online culture, digital labor, and virtual creativity.
- The KU Focus Collection 2026: Digital Lives—Technology’s Influence on Contemporary Life was curated through a new, collaborative process. We invited publishers to submit titles that address urgent and emerging topics not typically covered in existing KU offerings. The result is a compelling new multi-publisher collection that explores how digital technologies are reshaping every aspect of human life, from identity, creativity, and communication to work, governance, and social relationships.
- Books are scheduled for publication throughout 2026.

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KU FOCUS COLLECTION 2026: DIGITAL LIVES—TECHNOLOGY’S INFLUENCE ON CONTEMPORARY LIFE	20 BOOKS	1	€2,564.00 \$3,000.00 £2,205.00	85		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

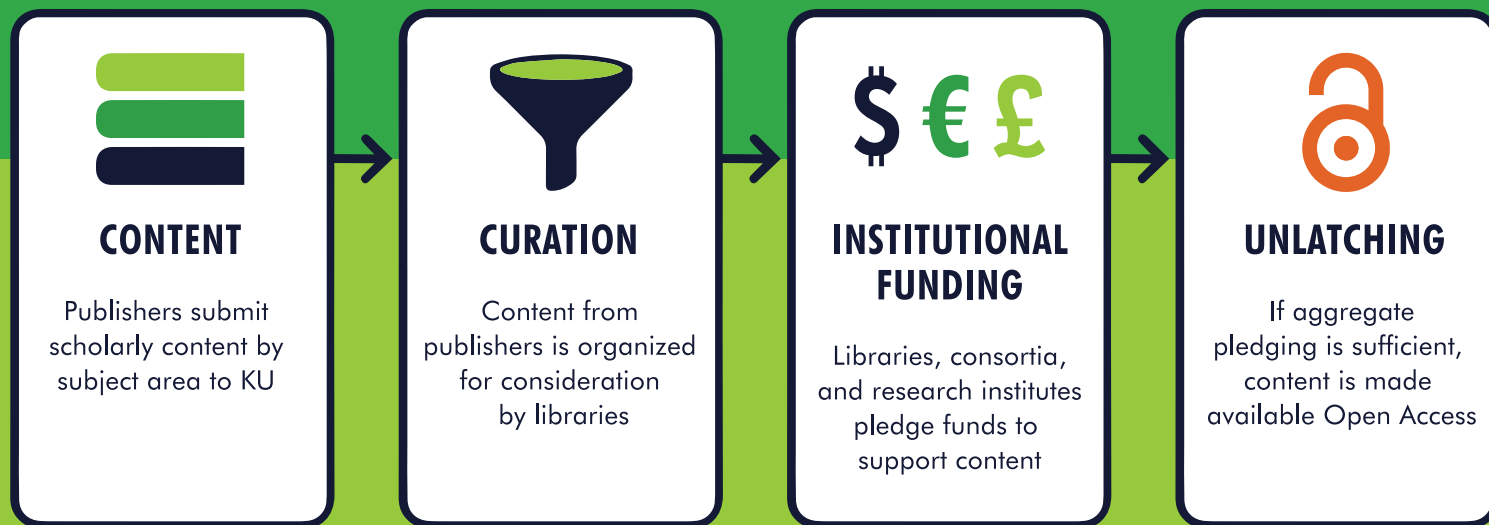


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How KU Works: Partner Collections





BERGHAHN BOOKS: MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES 2026–2028

- Frontlist publications covering the topics of international migration and movement as well as the social implications of economic and environmental change on communities.
- Includes titles from the Forced Migration series as well as Integration and Conflict Studies and the Environmental Anthropology and Ethnobiology series, among others.
- The collection features Berghahn Books most action-oriented anthropology portfolio aimed at achieving the widest impact that its research insights make possible.

HAU BOOKS: STUDIES IN ANTHROPOLOGY AND GLOBAL ETHNOGRAPHIES 2026–2028

- HAU Books publishes distinguished texts in classic and contemporary ethnographic theory, returning ethnography to the forefront of conceptual innovation in anthropology.
- Works come from non-Anglophone anthropological traditions, preserving vital intellectual heritage and enriching the global anthropological dialogue.
- Guided by renowned anthropologists, HAU Books upholds rigorous editorial standards—producing titles that have earned multiple awards and advanced the field.

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BERGHAHN BOOKS: MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES 2026–2028	20 BOOKS	3	€3,435.00 \$3,750.00 £3,120.00	43	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
HAU BOOKS: STUDIES IN ANTHROPOLOGY AND GLOBAL ETHNOGRAPHIES 2026–2028	10 BOOKS	3	€2,300.00 \$2,691.00 £1,978.00	31		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>





BERGHAHN BOOKS: FILM AND MEDIA STUDIES 2026 (BACKLIST)

- Includes 10 of Berghahn Books’ leading film and media titles spanning a wide array of subject areas, three of which have been highly recommended by CHOICE.
- The collection features everything from British documentary filmmaking and the role of television in post-WWII Germany to boyhood in film and views on gender, sexuality, and domesticity in the 1960’s.
- The collection also includes titles from the Film Europa series emphasizing connections, influences, and exchanges of German cinema across national borders, as well as its links with other media and art forms.



PETER LANG: CULTURAL STUDIES: INTERSECTIONS OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, AND IDENTITY 2026–2028

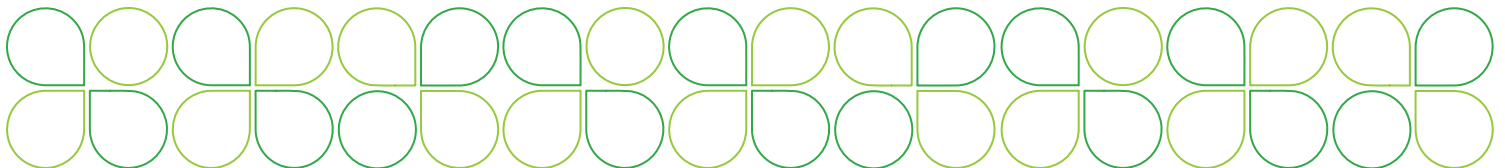
- Offers peer-reviewed, interdisciplinary titles in the humanities and social sciences. The collection examines how culture, identity, and memory are shaped through literature, music, media, and myth. Includes research on intermediality, digital culture, AI, sustainability, and cultural transformation.



INTELLECT BOOKS: CONTEMPORARY PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIP 2026

- The Intellect Contemporary Performing Arts Scholarship collection includes titles at the forefront of the performing arts in its widest sense, with cutting edge scholarship from the disciplines of theatre, dance, music, and live art.
- The collection will explore a range of modern and experimental practices; performance art education; and contemporary themes such as identity, race, gender, disability, globalization, decolonialism, activism, and artificial intelligence within the context of performance.
- Case studies and critical theory rooted in today’s cultural context.

COLLECTION	CONTENT DEFINITION	PLEDGING TERM IN YEARS	PRICE PER YEAR	NECESSARY SUPPORTERS	GUARANTEED ACCESS	MARC RECORDS	DISCOVERABILITY	USAGE DATA
BERGHAHN BOOKS: FILM AND MEDIA STUDIES 2026 (BACKLIST)	10 BOOKS	1	€1,710.00 \$2,000.00 £1,470.00	18	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PETER LANG: CULTURAL STUDIES: INTERSECTIONS OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, AND IDENTITY 2026–2028	10 BOOKS	3	€2,250.00 \$2,632.00 £1,935.00	23		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
INTELLECT BOOKS: CONTEMPORARY PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIP 2026	10 BOOKS	1	€2,500.00 \$2,925.00 £2,150.00	33	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>





EMERALD PUBLISHING: RESPONSIBLE MANAGEMENT IN A CHANGING WORLD 2026–2028

- The collection will feature books from the fields of business and management, HR and organisation studies, economics, tourism and hospitality, and other related fields.
- Books in the package offer new research on core areas of responsible management in rapidly evolving environments, offering new and crucial insights for researchers, students, and practitioners. Titles will also be aligned to the United Nations’ Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), with a particular focus on SDGs 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth), 9 (Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure), and 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production).
- Some key topics to be featured in the collection include Sustainable Business Practices, Corporate Social Responsibility, and Responsible Management and Leadership, among several others.

COLLECTIONS	CONTENT DEFINITION	PLEDGING TERM IN YEARS	PRICE PER YEAR	NECESSARY SUPPORTERS	GUARANTEED ACCESS	MARC RECORDS	DISCOVERABILITY	USAGE DATA
EMERALD PUBLISHING: RESPONSIBLE MANAGEMENT IN A CHANGING WORLD 2026–2028	10 BOOKS	3	€2,500.00 \$2,150.00 £2,925.00	33	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>





BOYDELL & BREWER: LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES 2026

The Latin American Studies Collection offers access to expertly curated titles that reflect the diversity, complexity, and dynamism of Latin American thought and culture. The collection is divided into two complementary segments. Together, the frontlist and backlist form a comprehensive and interdisciplinary collection that reflects the intellectual vibrancy of Latin American Studies today. Ideal for libraries seeking to support faculty research, enrich student learning, and build collections that reflect global diversity and scholarly excellence.

Frontlist Titles 2026

10 new works from leading scholars and emerging voices that engage with contemporary debates and historical reinterpretations across Latin America. These titles offer timely, original scholarship that supports evolving curricula and research agendas in Latin American Studies, History, Literature, Gender Studies, and Cultural Anthropology. Topics covered include:

- Historical and Political Reappraisal
- Gender, Media, and Identity
- Cultural and Artistic Expression

Backlist Titles (2020–2024)

15 established works that have already made significant contributions to the field and remain essential for teaching and research. These backlist titles provide depth and continuity, anchoring the collection in foundational debates while complementing the newer works with enduring relevance.

Topics covered include:

- Cultural and Literary Studies
- Political and Religious Inquiry
- Gender and Violence

ROUTLEDGE: AFRICAN STUDIES 2026–2028

- Open access provides unprecedented opportunities to disseminate and promote research on the Global South.
- This collection covers a broad range of social, cultural, political and economic issues, that impact the African continent and beyond.



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BOYDELL & BREWER: LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES FRONTLIST TITLES	10 BOOKS	1	€2,500.00 \$2,925.00 £2,150.00	33		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BOYDELL & BREWER: LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES BACKLIST TITLES	15 BOOKS	1	€2,137.00 \$2,522.00 £1,854.00	18		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ROUTLEDGE: AFRICAN STUDIES 2026–2028	20 BOOKS	3	€4,750.00 \$5,557.00 £4,085.00	40	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>





UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN PRESS: EUROPEAN STUDIES 2026 (BACKLIST)

Navigating Europe’s Socio-Political Landscape and Cultural Legacies

- The UMP European Studies Collection is an essential resource for understanding the complex socio-political fabric of Europe. It includes insightful analyses of coalition politics, minority representation, and the impact of far-right parties.
- This collection also explores the cultural and political legacies of Central and Eastern Europe, Turkey’s unique geopolitical position, and the EU’s ever-evolving influence.
- Ideal for scholars and policymakers, these titles provide an interdisciplinary perspective on Europe’s challenges and opportunities, making this collection indispensable for libraries seeking an in-depth understanding of contemporary European dynamics.



UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN PRESS: GERMAN STUDIES 2026 (BACKLIST)

Illuminating Germany’s Historical and Cultural Tapestry

- The UMP German Studies Collection offers an unparalleled exploration of Germany’s rich historical and cultural tapestry from the medieval era to the modern day.
- The collection delves into critical periods such as the Ottoman Empire, Weimar democracy, and post-war transformations. It addresses significant social issues, including interculturality, civil society development, and the Holocaust’s legacy.
- These selections offer a comprehensive view of various dimensions of German studies, including historical, cultural, political, and literary perspectives. This collection is an invaluable resource for German libraries aiming to enrich their shelves with diverse and profound scholarship.



UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN PRESS: INTERNATIONAL STUDIES IN DEMOCRACY 2026 (BACKLIST)

Democracy and Authoritarianism: A Global Struggle

- The Democracy and Authoritarianism Collection examines the global struggle between democratic ideals and authoritarian practices.
- This selection addresses key issues such as political transitions, the role of religion in politics, and conflicts affecting democratic stability. It also covers post-revolution dynamics, governance challenges, and the impact of foreign policy on democracy.
- Multifaceted and globally oriented, the collection is an invaluable resource for libraries aiming to deepen their patrons’ understanding of the tensions shaping modern political landscapes and the enduring fight for democratic governance worldwide.

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN PRESS: EUROPEAN STUDIES 2026 (BACKLIST)	15 BOOKS	1	€2,137.00 \$2,500.00 £1,837.00	15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN PRESS: GERMAN STUDIES 2026 (BACKLIST)	15 BOOKS	1	€2,137.00 \$2,500.00 £1,837.00	15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN PRESS: INTERNATIONAL STUDIES IN DEMOCRACY 2026 (BACKLIST)	15 BOOKS	1	€2,137.00 \$2,500.00 £1,837.00	15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



CRC PRESS: ENERGY TRANSITION 2026–2028

- A multi-disciplinary collection addressing one of the most critical global issues.
- Drawing from across a range of key STEM subject areas within engineering and technology, chemistry, manufacturing and materials science, the collection of titles showcase leading research and initiatives within these areas.
- The global climate emergency requires technological solutions, and this collection will cover some of the latest practical steps within the applied sciences to address this issue.



CRC PRESS: APPLIED MATHEMATICS, STATISTICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE 2026–2028

- Draws together three distinct but closely related subject areas: mathematics, statistics and computer science.
- Cutting-edge, practical research on hot topics such as artificial intelligence, data science, and cybersecurity.
- The titles provide insight into some of the latest developments across these fundamental subject areas and address the potential future impact to all.



IWA PUBLISHING: FRONTLIST BOOKS 2026–2028

- The books in this collection explore a variety of topics related to water and wastewater.
- Includes research on water quality and filtration in evolving countries.



INTECHOPEN: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE-INNOVATION, LEARNING, AND ETHICS IN AN AI-POWERED WORLD 2026

- The collection will explore how emerging technologies — including AI, data science, and digital platforms — are reshaping education, industry, governance, and mobility. With a focus on sustainable, ethical, and human-centered approaches, the collection will encourage new perspectives on how innovation can better serve society.
- Covering topics such as responsible AI, data quality, open knowledge systems, and immersive technologies, the collection will offer practical insights alongside critical reflection. Aimed at researchers, professionals, and policymakers, it will support transparent, inclusive, and forward-thinking approaches to technology through openly accessible, expert-driven content.
- All books will be published as part of the IntechOpen Book Series: “Artificial Intelligence” (ISSN 2633-1403) fundamental subject areas and address the potential future impact to all.

COLLECTION	CONTENT DEFINITION	PLEDGING TERM IN YEARS	PRICE PER YEAR	NECESSARY SUPPORTERS	GUARANTEED ACCESS	MARC RECORDS	DISCOVERABILITY	USAGE DATA
CRC PRESS: ENERGY TRANSITION 2026–2028	10 BOOKS	3	€2,674.00 \$3,129.00 £2,300.00	44	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CRC PRESS: APPLIED MATHEMATICS, STATISTICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE 2026–2028	10 BOOKS	3	€2,674.00 \$3,129.00 £2,300.00	44	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
IWA PUBLISHING FRONTLIST BOOKS 2026–2028	10 BOOKS	3	€2,506.00 \$2,932.00 £2,155.00	28	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
INTECHOPEN: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE-INNOVATION, LEARNING, AND ETHICS IN AN AI-POWERED WORLD 2026	10 BOOKS	1	€2,600.00 \$3,042.00 £2,236.00	26	NA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



ROUTLEDGE: GENDER & SEXUALITY STUDIES 2026–2028

- Global, cutting-edge research that spans key cross-disciplines including cultural studies, sociology, art, sports, literature, media and film studies.
- This diverse collection of titles also covers a range of hot topics including trans studies, LGBTQIA+ rights, activism, gender inequality, feminism, and motherhood.



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA PRESS | LUMINOS MEMBERSHIP 2025

- UC Press Open Access monographs provide free, unrestricted online access to high-quality, peer-reviewed scholarly works spanning the humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences, breaking down barriers to knowledge worldwide and enabling scholars, students, and the public to engage deeply with cutting-edge research across a wide range of critical academic fields.
- Our publishing model is designed for sustainability and collaboration, sharing costs and benefits among authors, libraries, and UC Press while maintaining rigorous academic standards; this approach supports the production of innovative monographs that explore complex social, cultural, historical, and scientific topics, ensuring these vital contributions remain accessible and preserved for future generations.
- By making scholarship openly accessible, our monographs significantly increase the global reach, visibility, and impact of authors' research, connecting specialized academic insights with broader audiences and fostering cross-disciplinary dialogue that advances understanding in areas such as history, literature, environmental studies, and beyond.

COLLECTION	CONTENT DEFINITION	PLEDGING TERM IN YEARS	PRICE PER YEAR	NECESSARY SUPPORTERS	GUARANTEED ACCESS	MARC RECORDS	DISCOVERABILITY	USAGE DATA
ROUTLEDGE: GENDER & SEXUALITY STUDIES 2026–2028	20 BOOKS	3	€4,750.00 \$5,557.00 £4,085.00	40	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA PRESS LUMINOS MEMBERSHIP 2025	35 BOOKS	1	Upon Request (See Below*)	30		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

*4 Membership levels with unique benefits are available. Pricing from \$1,000.00 USD–\$19,999.00 USD.





NOMOS: GERMAN STUDIES ZU GESELLSCHAFT, POLITIK UND MEDIEN 2026

- Das Paket „Nomos German Studies zu Gesellschaft, Politik und Medien“ umfasst Monografien und Sammelbände aus verschiedenen Disziplinen der Sozial- und Geisteswissenschaften, hauptsächlich aus den Bereichen Politikwissenschaft, Soziologie und Medien- und Kommunikationswissenschaft. Die Werke sind wissenschaftlich auf höchstem Niveau, basieren auf fundierter Forschung und analysieren zentrale Fragen unserer Zeit.
- Sie eröffnen neue Forschungsperspektiven, fördern den interdisziplinären Diskurs und verbinden wissenschaftliche Exzellenz mit gesellschaftlicher Relevanz.



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- 10 deutschsprachige Neuerscheinungen aus dem Themenfeld Berufs- und Wirtschaftspädagogik | Berufsbildung.
- Alle Titel (Monografien & Sammelbände) sind Teil etablierter, herausgebergeführter Reihen unseres Verlages.
- Titelauswahl für das OpenLibrary-Paket erfolgt in Abstimmung mit den Editorial Boards.

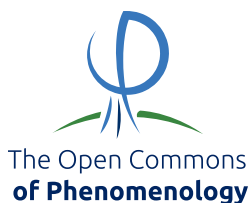


PETER LANG: STIMMEN DER GEISTESWISSENSCHAFTEN (BACKLIST)

- 20 geisteswissenschaftliche Monografien, die zwischen 2021 und 2025 in deutscher Sprache erschienen sind. Die Titel behandeln Themen wie Erinnerung, Identität, Kulturgeschichte, Diskurs und Ästhetik – mit Bezügen zu Literatur, Medien, Musik und Philosophie. Alle Titel wurden einem Peer Review oder sonstigem Gutachten unterzogen und bleiben im Print weiter erhältlich.

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NOMOS: GERMAN STUDIES ZU GESELLSCHAFT, POLITIK UND MEDIEN 2026	10 BOOKS	1	€2,000.00 \$2,340.00 £1,720.00	25		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
WBV OPENLIBRARY BERUFS- UND WIRTSCHAFTSPÄDAGOGIK 2026	10 BOOKS	1	€1,980.00 \$2,317.00 £1,703.00	25		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PETER LANG: STIMMEN DER GEISTESWISSENSCHAFTEN (BACKLIST)	20 BOOKS	1	€2,250.00 \$2,633.00 £1,935.00	23		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>





THE OPEN COMMONS OF PHENOMENOLOGY 2026–2028

- Online research platform bringing Open Access to scholarly materials and resources in the field of phenomenology.
- Library funding since 2017 has helped to build a comprehensive corpus of phenomenological sources including: four platinum OA journals, comprehensive and actualized bibliographical index of research in phenomenology (100k+ entries, with 10k+ open access texts), and hosting of society, conference or project websites.
- Tech support offered to five of your researchers to design and manage blogs or conference websites and to strengthen the visibility of their work.



OPEN ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ANTHROPOLOGY (OEA) 2026–2028

- Introductory texts on basic anthropological concepts, ranging from classical concepts like “tribe” to contemporary concepts like “climate change” or “deep sea.”
- Each text is written, edited and peer reviewed by at least five leading experts in the field, making the OEA one of the most reliable online sources in the social sciences.
- Texts are widely cited and reach a global audience of over a million readers, with a third of readers based in non-high-income countries.



LATEST THINKING: CLIMATE CHANGE VIDEO COLLECTION 2026–2028

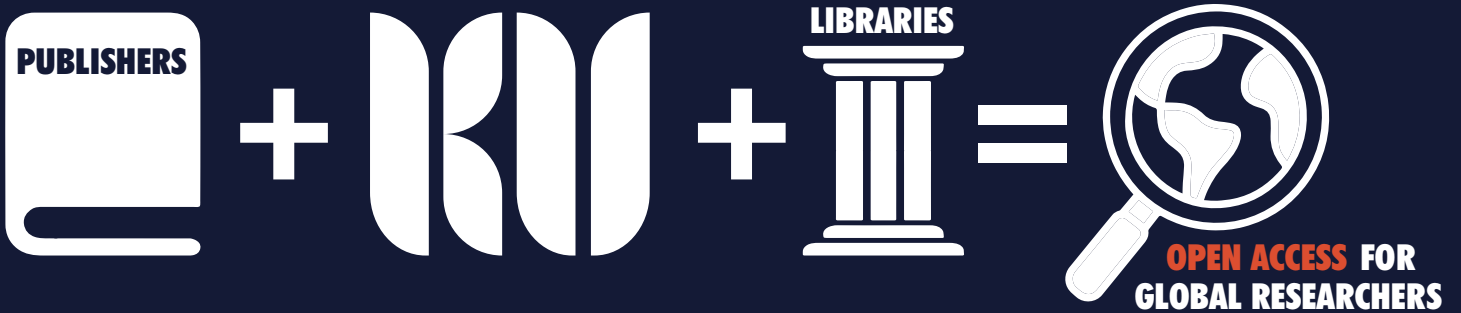
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BERGHAHN OPEN ANTHRO (BOA-S2O) 2026–2028	16 JOURNALS	1 or 3	€3,615.00 \$4,430.00 £2,930.00	S2O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BERGHAGN OPEN SOCIETY (BOS-S2O) 2026–2028	14 JOURNALS	1 or 3	€3,375.00 \$4,180.00 £2,785.00	S2O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BERGHAHN COMPLETE 2026–2028	30 JOURNALS	3	€5,610.00 \$6,900.00 £4,610.00	S2O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>





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COLLECTION	CONTENT DEFINITION	PLEDGING TERM IN YEARS	PRICE PER YEAR	NECESSARY SUPPORTERS	GUARANTEED ACCESS	USAGE DATA
EDP SCIENCES: OPEN MATHEMATICS 2026–2028	6 JOURNALS	3	€3,301.00 \$4,232.00 £2,912.00	S2O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
IWA PUBLISHING OPEN JOURNALS 2026–2028	12 JOURNALS	3	UPON REQUEST	S2O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



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