« Change we can believe in »

Open Access and Institutional Repositories in Belgium

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What we have done until now

• in Belgium
• in the Frenchspeaking part
  • BICTEL
  • new IRs : ORBI, DIAL, …
  • next steps
• politics
  • Berlin Declaration
  • mandatory deposit (on the way)
Why we have done it

• journal prices
  • price increases
  • what value for your money?
  • each one his job
  • back to some market rules

• archiving issues
  • from ownership to access
  • keep care of your (scientific) capital
Why we have done it (2)

- the changing paradigm of scholarly communication
  - overlay journals
  - immediate release
  - + data
  - work in progress
  - …

IR are the best way to accompany the changes in scholarly communication