

Update from the Office of Library and Information Services (OLIS) & SUNY Libraries Consortia (SLC)



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Current Elsevier Negotiations

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Please note: This presentation contains details about an ongoing negotiation.

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Context

**Annual costs \$9.5;
Total costs of contract \$45 mil**

**Asking for reduction in expenditures;
Major disparity between CUNY and
SUNY costs**

**National and International
institutions recent experiences
informing our strategies**

Moving Forward

**This is a campus decision not a
library decision**

**Unlikely to get to YES without
significant reduction in costs**

**This by NO means impacts where
or how faculty publish**

Recommendations and Q&A

**Continue open dialog between
your office, your libraries, and your
faculty**

**Campuses need to be prepared if we
walk away for a time**

**WE will need to support each other
through this transition**



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