True/False

A Digital Object Identifier (DOI) uniquely identifies an electronic publication.

Answer: True

Multiple choice

ORCID is...

- A) A flower?
- B) A scientific journal title?
- C) An international personal identifier?

Answer: C)

ORCID is the acronym for: Open Researcher and Contributor Identifier

True/False

The main purpose of ORCID identifiers is to differentiate homonyms.

Answer: True

The number of scientists holding the same name is increasing with the rise of science in Asia. An international numerical identifier makes it possible to correctly associate publications with their authors.

Multiple choice

Switzerland has passed a national open access strategy for scientific publications. It aims for 100% Open Access by:

- A) 2020
- B) 2024
- C) 2034

Answer: B)

True/False

By choosing to publish my document under a Creative Commons (CC) license, I waive my rights on my publication.

Answer: False

With CC licenses, I give up part of my rights but not, for example, the right to be cited.

True/False

The Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF) funds the publication of articles, books or chapters in Open Access ("Gold Road").

Answer: True

The SNSF has strengthened its Open Access policy and aims for all publications resulting from the projects it finances to be available in open access by 2020.

True/False

It is possible to get a grant from the Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF) for the publication of an Open Access book, even if it is not associated with a project funded by the SNSF.

Answer: True

Multiple choice

For an article that is not in Open Access, what is the maximum embargo period allowed by the Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF) before this article must be available in a repository ("Green Road")?

A) 6 months

B) 12 months

C) 24 months

Answer: A)

The deadline is 12 months for books and book chapters.

True/False

Swiss copyright law allows for articles to be downloaded from a pirate platform such as Sci-Hub.

Answer: True

Downloading for personal use is allowed in Switzerland. However, the provision of copyrighted content is prohibited.

Multiple choice

In my profile on ResearchGate, which following situation is always allowed?

- A) To cite my last publication
- B) To upload the final copy of my last publication
- C) Both previous answers

Answer: A)

Surprise!

You have just obtained SNSF funding for the publication of your book in Open Access.

You can take a spare card from another player if you like!

Surprise!

You have included an image in your book without asking permission from its author and your fraud has been detected.

Take a bacteria piece out of the Petri dish!