

Hannah's reflections

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Friday 2022-04-11

aRxiv:

- “Open research” produced many irrelevant results
- Forgot to apply date filter - Can re-run once when we have confirmed that the search strategy is suitable

rScopus:

- scopus_search doesn't attach abstracts, and I couldn't get abstract_retrieval to work (seemed to produce all metadata other than the abstract)
- Many irrelevant journal articles due to abstracts mentioning “Data/material being available on the Open Science Framework” – Should we filter this out now or later (manually)?
- Do we want to exclude “corrections” and “corrigendum” results?
- **Next time: Find out how to attach abstracts**

Friday 2022-05-08

- Still unsure what we are expecting from the data, though I guess that is the point!
- I am super keen on Luke's idea RE: using a broad search strategy and then using filtering afterwards, once we know what sort of search results we get
- Struggling to get up and running with rscopus, but just need more time

Thursday 2022-07-04

- I'm wondering how “systematic” we should be in conducting the database searches, without turning this into a systematic review
- Updated protocol
- Tried search of MEDLINE (via Ovid)
- Need to get a better sense of the data analysis approach (e.g., come up with step-by-step guide to share with SC)

Friday 2023-08-04

- Today, I worked mostly on building a list of terms we will automatically exclude
- This list is provided via <https://github.com/science-collective/scoping-review/issues/56#issuecomment-1576677260>
- I wrote some preliminary code on this and created a Pull Request to upload this to R/
- Note: These terms will be particularly helpful with the PubMed search (i.e., 947 to 583 results) but less so with the Zenodo search (i.e., only removed a handful of records)
- It appears that most of the Zenodo search results include “open science” and “open source” in the title
- I didn't get a chance to work on writing but I will start with this next time

Bibliography