

# The COAR Notify Initiative: Accelerating an Innovative and Lightweight Model for Overlay Publishing

**What is it?** The COAR Notify Initiative is developing and accelerating community adoption of a standard and interoperable approach to linking manuscripts hosted in the distributed network of repositories with resources from external peer review and overlay publishing services.

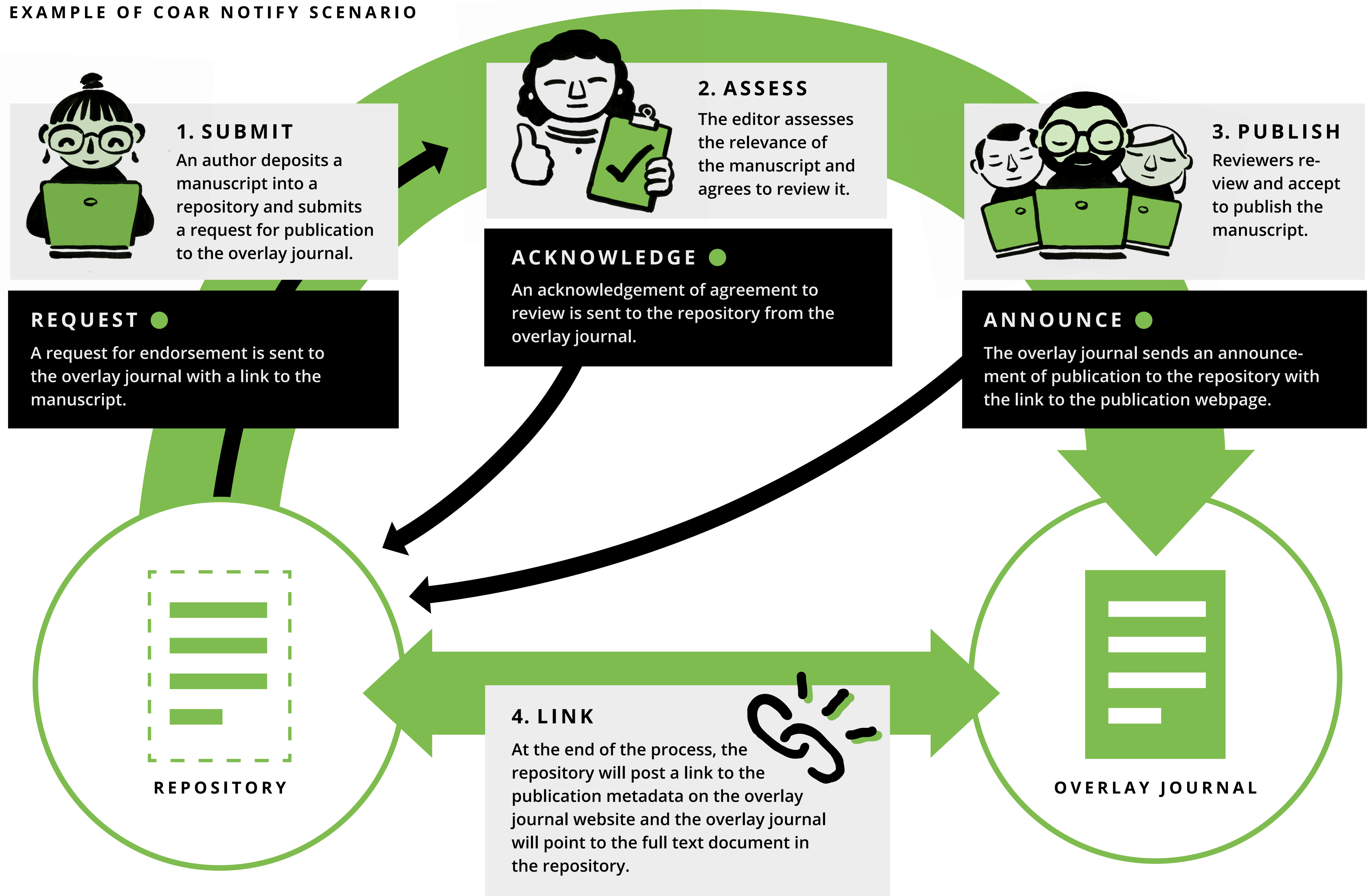
**Benefits of this model:**

- lowers publishing costs
- can scale to different preprint servers, repositories, review services, journals
- modest technical investment
- flexible and interoperable

**Technologies:**

COAR Notify is based on well-established technologies and standards: Linked Data Notifications, Activity Streams 2.0, and Event Notifications.

**EXAMPLE OF COAR NOTIFY SCENARIO**



**FIRST PHASE IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS**

Workshopping Scenarios	Developing Implementation Plans	Technical Development Underway	Technical Development Completed
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Humanities Commons</li> <li>• LA Referencia</li> <li>• Redalyc</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CSIC: National Repository of Spain</li> <li>• Open Journal Systems</li> <li>• Zenodo</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• bioRxiv</li> <li>• DSpace@University of Minho</li> <li>• eLife</li> <li>• Kotahi</li> <li>• medRxiv</li> <li>• Open Preprint System</li> <li>• Peer Community In</li> <li>• PREreview</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DASH@Harvard University Library</li> <li>• Dataverse</li> <li>• Episcience</li> <li>• HAL: National Repository of France</li> </ul>

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