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Psicológica is the journal of the Spanish Society for Experimental Psychology

The collaboration, started in 2021, enabled the relaunch of the journal as Diamond OA



Repository Diamond OA

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Bernal, I., & Perakakis, P. (2023). No-pay publishing: use institutional repositories. Nature, 619, 698.



AWAY FROM COMMERCIAL PUBLISHER

Transferred in 2022 from a commercial publisher, Psicológica publishes about 50 articles, preprints and peer reviews annually.



SUSTAINABLE COST

Publication costs are shared between the society and publicly funded DIGITAL.CSIC.

Estimated cost of €30 (US\$34) per publication.



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Submissions rate has increased.

A model for other scholarly societies and research groups.