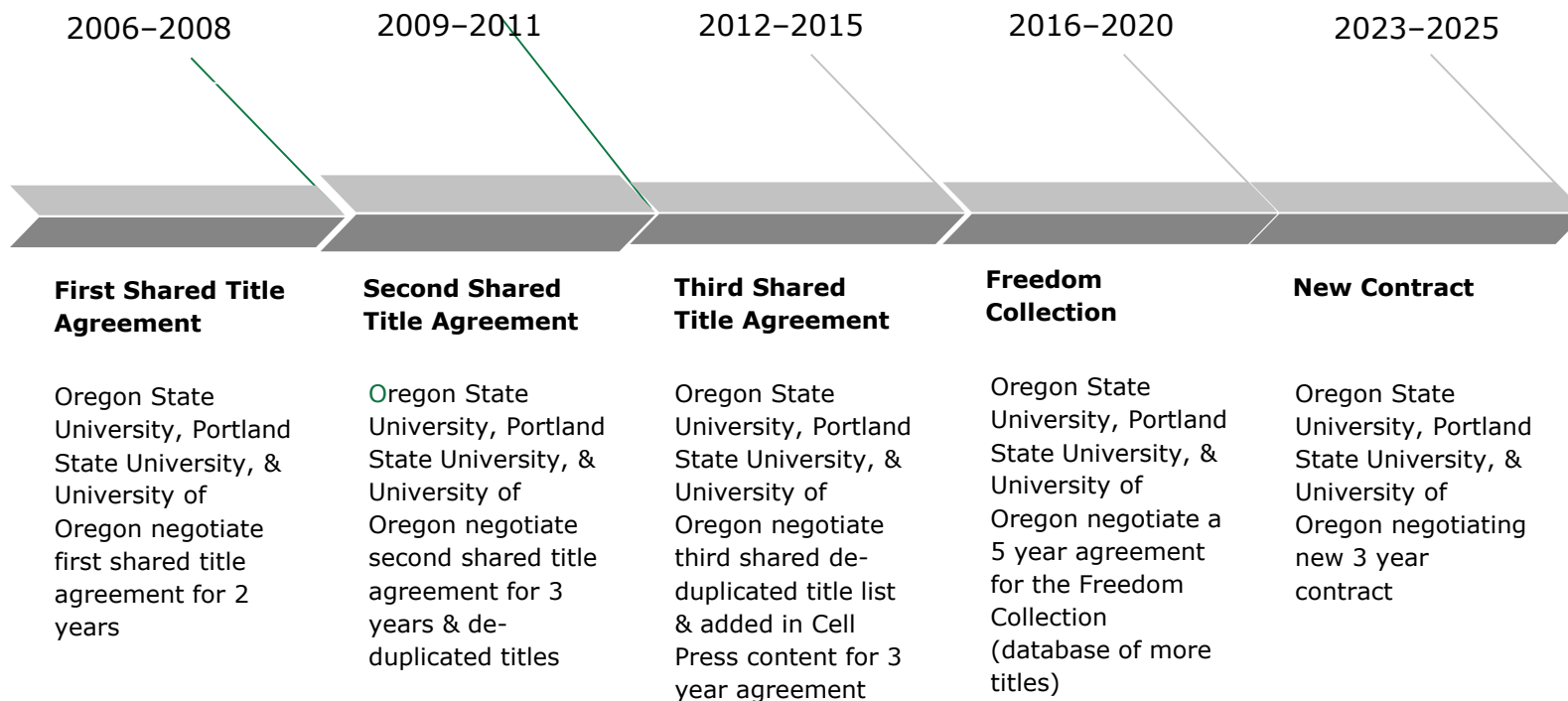


# **Portland State University Library Overview of Elsevier Negotiation**

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# History of Elsevier negotiations



# Subscription Details

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# Library subscription overview

- Current subscription cost for the Elsevier package: \$5XX,XXX.XX
  - Based on 155 historically purchased titles plus add-on costs for the current database model of additional titles adding up to ~1,600 titles
  - Significant usage occurs on 238 titles (1,000 or more downloads over past 5 years)
  - 658 of titles available have little to no usage
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# Negotiation Proposal

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# Negotiation goals of all three institutions

- Reduce cost of subscriptions by half
  - Allow for open access deposit into scholarly repositories of all author accepted manuscripts from OSU, PSU, & UO to be published with Elsevier
  - Removal of limitations on interlibrary lending (ILL)
  - End-users' data privacy maintained
  - Open disclosure of contract details
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# Where Negotiations Stumbled

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## Points on Negotiation Breakdown

- Reduction in cost proposal came with lack of transparency on title pricing and a significant reduction in access
  - Refusal to allow for immediate deposit of author accepted manuscripts from all three OR institutions
  - Refusal of unrestricted ILL
  - Lack of transparency on end-users' data privacy
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# What This Means to the PSU Campus

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## PSU Available Access in January 2023

- PSU will retain online access to 150 titles subscribed titles from 1997–2022.
  - PSU will retain full back access to titles where backfile access was purchased.
  - PSU will have access to all new Elsevier content published on an open access basis, including: all publications in fully open SCOAP3 journals such as Physics Letters B; 50% of new Cell Press articles and 100% of Cell Press articles older than 12 months; and all articles in any journal with a corresponding author affiliated with one of [these institutions](#) covered by a blanket OA publishing agreement.
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## PSU Available Access in January 2023

- PSU will be able to access closed/subscription Elsevier articles through the [interlibrary loan service](#) (ILL), with most requested articles delivered in one business day.
  - [Discovery of Scholarly Open Access Content](#) This guide provides access information for scholarly open access content which includes Elsevier journal content
  - Oregon Health & Science University will retain access to journals for now
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## What PSU Will Lose in January 2023

PSU will ***not*** have *subscription* access to new Elsevier content published on a closed/subscription basis from January 1, 2023 onward, until a new agreement is reached.

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# **What Reinvestments Will Occur for PSU Faculty**

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## Library Reinvestments

- Reserve 50% of savings to put toward a new agreement with Elsevier (will use as one-time funding of books, reference materials, journal backfiles)
  - Bolster interlibrary loan (ILL) service to reduce turnaround times for article requests
  - Paying post cancellation access fees (maybe)
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# Library Reinvestments

- Expanding the Library APC Fund to cover additional faculty requests
  - Enter into a Transformation Deal to support OA publishing with Wiley Journals
  - Enter into a Read and Publish Deal with Taylor & Francis to support OA publishing with Routledge and Taylor & Francis journals
  - Support PLOS Journals to allow for APC free publishing with these publications
  
  - 25% of cost covers FY23 budget cut – not a reinvestment
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