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Dedicated to OA books

• OAPEN Library
  – Hosting full text collection of OA books (+ chapters)
  – Only peer reviewed content
  – 200+ publishers, 5000+ books
  – Deposit service

• Directory of Open Access Books
  – Discovery service, modelled after DOAJ
  – Metadata of peer reviewed books with open licenses
  – 280 publishers, 12.500+ books
OAPEN platform
• Discovery service for OA books
• Searchable index to peer reviewed monographs
• Links back to Open Access publication
• + links to webshop and vendors
DOAB growth

DOAB: new titles, new publishers (cumulated)
Recommendations

• Agree on minimum set of metadata
• Include metadata about project (TOME + funding institution)
• Upload to various platforms
  +
• Set up a central workflow or upload service
• Collect, review and decide on best practices
• List the OA books in DOAB
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