

## SUNY Delhi Open Access Policy

The faculty and staff of SUNY Delhi recognize the need to develop a campus Open Access policy in response to the SUNY Board of Trustees (BOT) Campus Open Access Policies Memo distributed in 2018. We, the faculty and staff, also feel committed to the sharing and dissemination of knowledge through scholarly and creative work. The sharing of knowledge is at the core of teaching, and as such we recognize that sharing our work through open access journals, websites, and repositories benefits everyone as greater visibility leads to greater discovery.

To this purpose we pledge to submit/share our scholarly and creative work with the campus Library, who will then review the self-archiving policy for each work submitted and post the scholarly/creative work in the Delhi Digital Open Repository as permitted (final version of the work submitted to the publisher). *We encourage the deposit of other types of scholarly communication as well, such as monographs, posters, book chapters, conference presentations, theses and dissertations, working papers, workbooks, projects, and datasets.* For each scholarly and/or creative work voluntarily deposited into the Delhi Digital Open Repository, the author grants to SUNY Delhi nonexclusive permission to make available that work for the purpose of open access. In the event that an item is unable to be shared due to the research scope, copyright, or other considerations a waiver may be supplied, or an embargo period may be put in place.

*The SUNY Delhi Open Access Policy has been adapted from open access policies from SUNY Binghamton, SUNY Brockport, SPARC's Campus Open-Access "Choice Points", The College of Wooster "Open Works, and the Harvard Open Access Project.*

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