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Scientific Publisher

Academic Publishing Group

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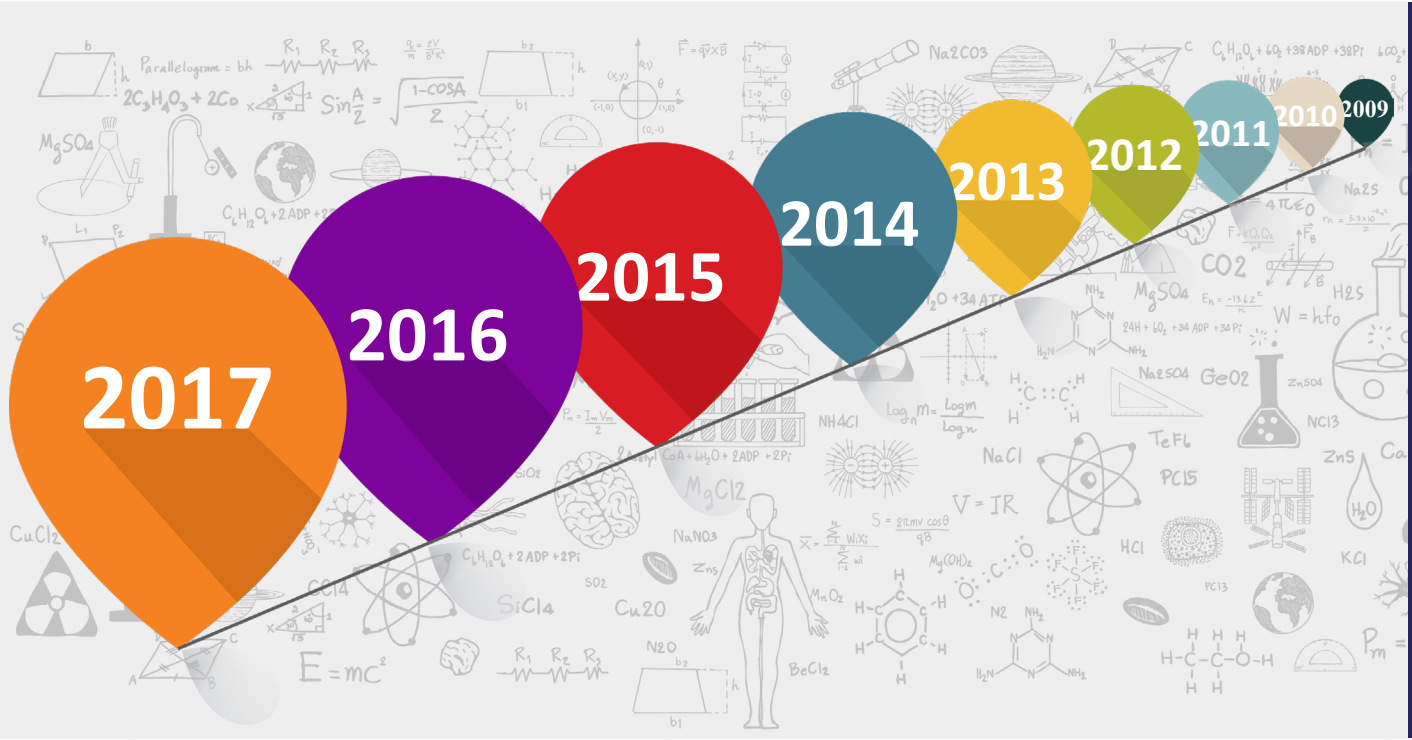
History

"Negah Scientific Publisher", is an academic publisher. In 2013, it was established to provide professional services for academic journals. As an open access publisher, it works by its own professional team and collaborate with international service providers to maintain its commitment to publish journals, books and other scientific media content of high quality that reflects a passion for knowledge and education.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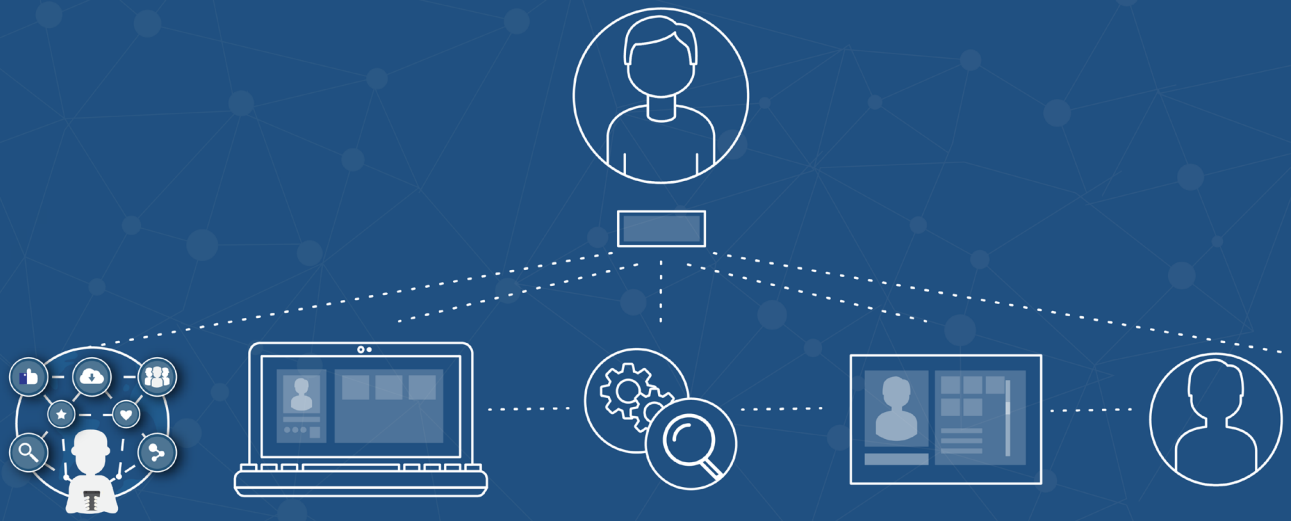
Journal Management

Journal Start-up

- Journal start-up consultation (Editorial policy development, Select the appropriate title, etc.)
- Establishment and management of scientific journals
- Establishment of an online system of management, reviewing, and publishing the journals
- ISSN registration
- Training for editorial staff/faculty
- Journal hosting

Journal Management and Online Editorial Management System

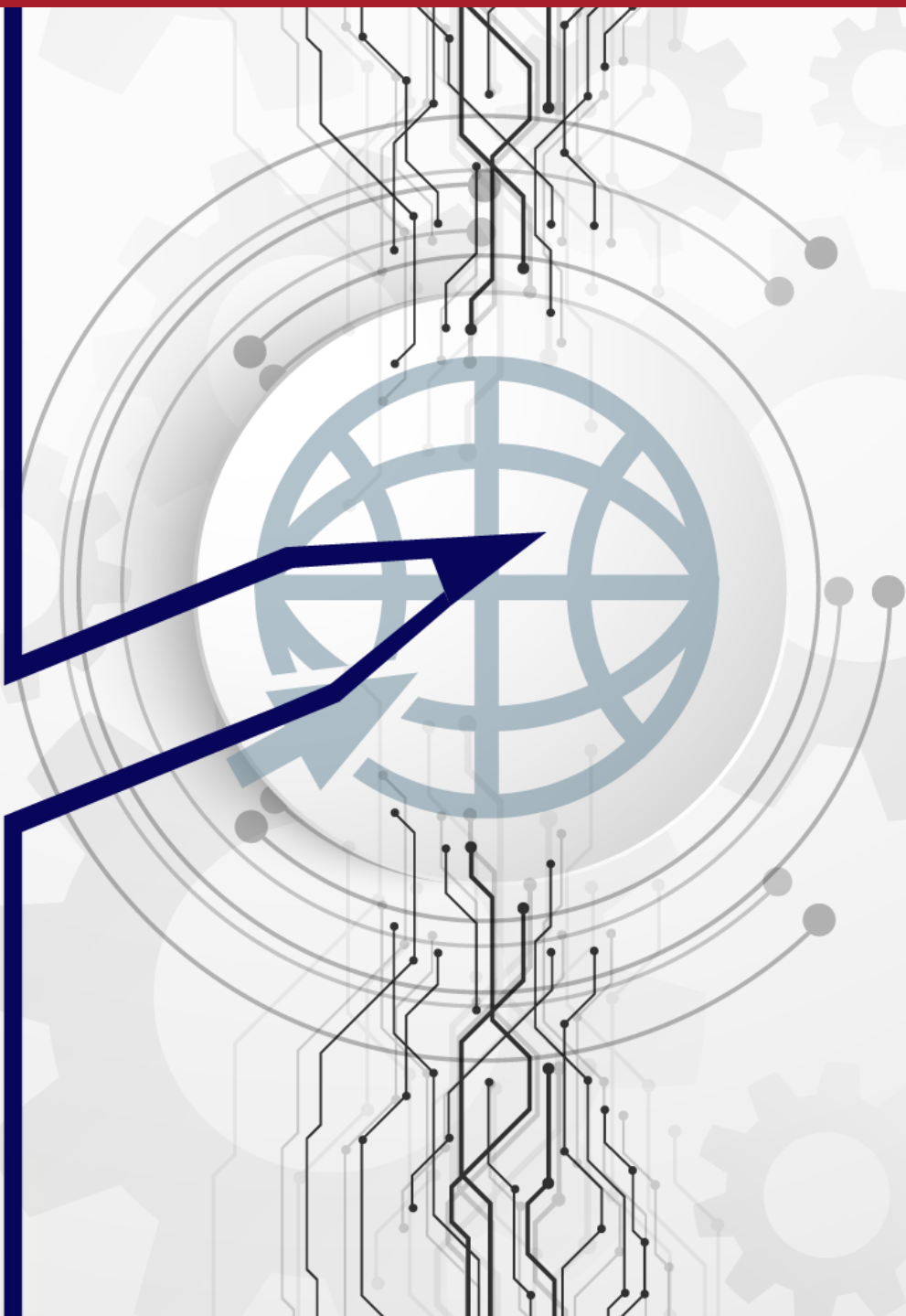


- Handling and control of the overall editorial process
- Assignment of subject editors
- Correspondence with authors, reviewers and editors
- Technical support
- Setup of online editorial management system

Journal Management Services

- Highly automated but customized email notification system.
- Customized manuscript submission tool
- Customization of publishing policies (e.g. pricing, discounts, society membership etc.)
- Customization of subject, geographical, taxonomic and other classifications
- Setup of preferred peer review process: conventional (single-blind or double-blind), community-sourced, public and/or post-publication
- Identification of conflicts of interest and author contributions in the submission metadata
- Technical support to authors, editors and reviewers
- Online manuscript flow control and internal email communication tool for editors, authors, reviewers
- Access to reviewer's database of all Negah journals
- Automated email acknowledgments to editors and reviewers upon article publication

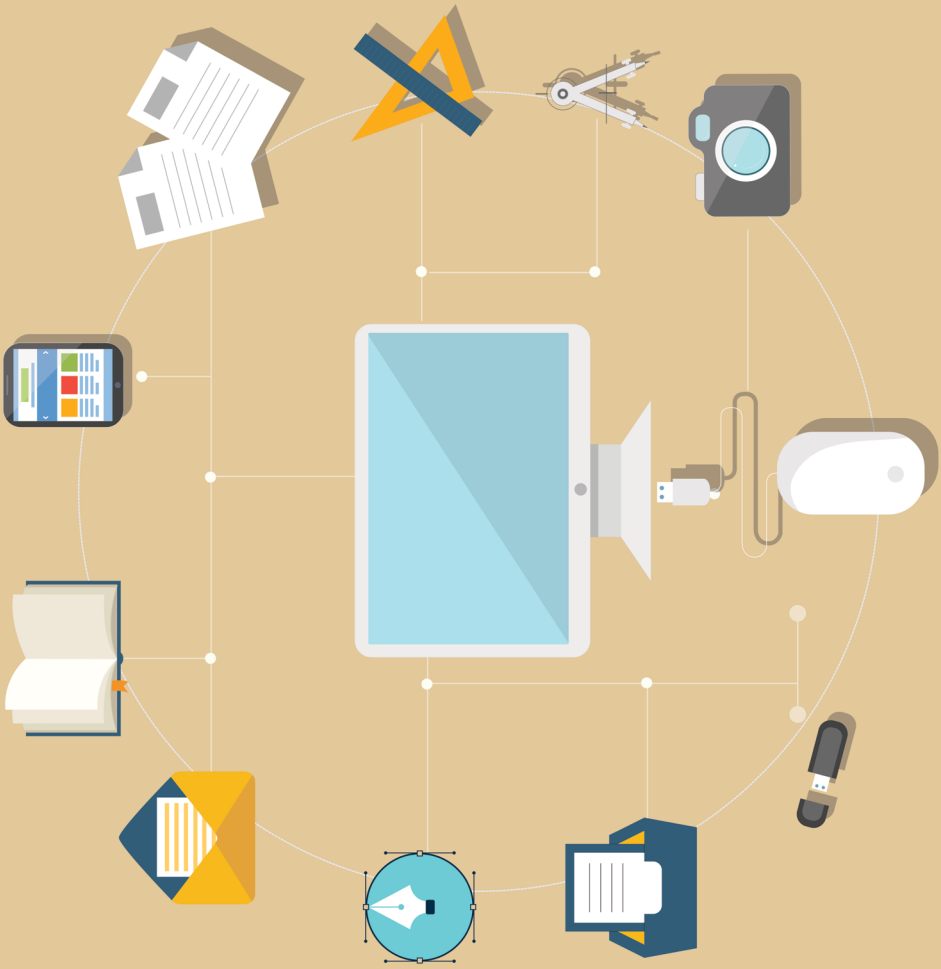
Journal Website Design, Setup, Maintenance & Hosting



- Design of journal websites and publisher platforms
- Setup of journal websites and associated services
- Technical maintenance of the websites
- Hosting of three online article versions (HTML, PDF and XML) and associated supplementary materials

Publication Services

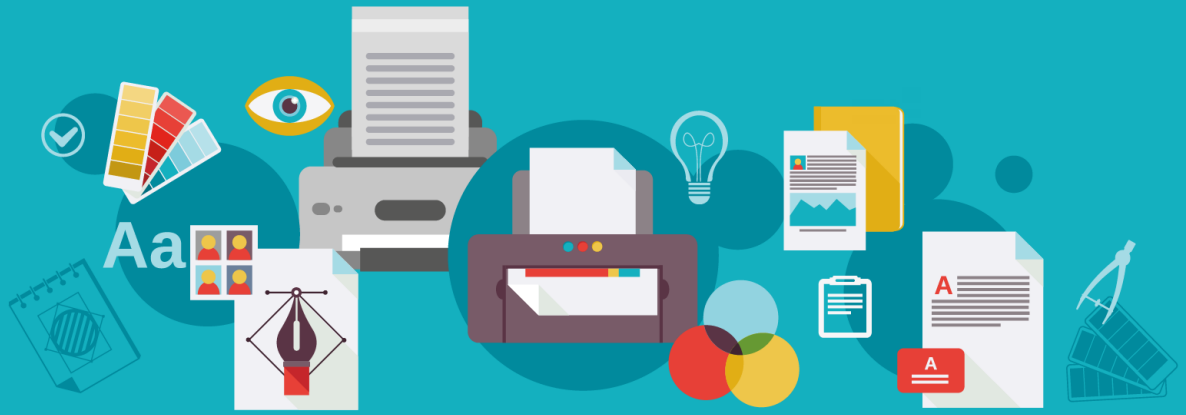
Technical Editing, Copy Editing, Proof Editing



- Editing based on International Manuals of Styles, such as AMA, IEEE, APA, APSA, etc.
- Editing by native editors
- Plagiarism checking through iThenticate Software
- Scientific and Methodological editing
- Proof editing of articles
- Copy editing & screening the quality of the English language; checking/correcting article/ writing structure and metadata to conform with journal's style)

Graphic Designing

- Cover design based on Negah journals template
- Professional layout designing
- Designing other graphic elements of journals such as Logo, Flyer, Call for Paper, etc.
- Template development (e.g. article layout and design)



Printing

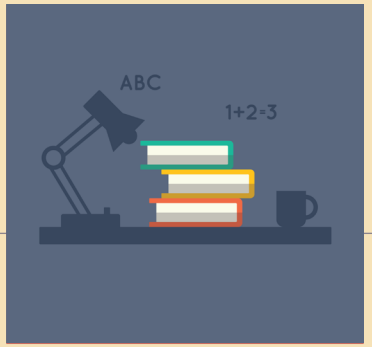
- Digital Printing
- Offset Printing

Online Publication in PDF, HTML and XML

- Publishing papers in high quality semantically enriched XML, HTML and PDF.
- Creating accessible enriched PDFs in compatible with indexing centers & search engines

Publishing: Improving Visibility of Articles

- Improving visibility of the journal's articles and increasing their impact factor
- Management of online and offline publishing of articles
- Establishing online management of journals
- Publishing articles in academic social networks, including Mendeley, ResearchGate, Academia, CiteULike, LinkedIn, etc.
- Registration CrossRef doi & CrossMark for articles



Indexing & Abstracting

- Preparing & indexing in: ISI Web of Science, Scopus, Medline, Pubmed Central, Medline, PsychInfo, Google Scholar, CAB Abstracts, DOAJ, and others
- Consulting to editors for improving journals' quality based on bibliographies databases criteria
- Automated posting of article metadata and other relevant information to social networks including (Twitter, Mendeley, ResearchGate, LinkedIn, Academia, CiteULike, etc.
- Sharing and bookmarking tools
- Article email alerts and RSS feeds on newly published articles/issues
- Back issue digitization, upload and metadata creation

Archiving

- Customization of Archiving Policies
- Archiving on the Journal's Website
- Archiving in Zenodo
- Archiving in Sherpa Romeo
- Archiving in Negah Journals Database
- Archiving in other International Repositories by agreement, including:
  Disciplinary repository: such as SSRN, CiteSeerX. etc.
  Institutional repository: available at OpenDOAR

Scientometric Services

- Scientometric analysis for Journals, Institutions, Universities, Scholars, etc.
- Altimetric analysis for Journals, Institutions, Universities, Scholars, etc.
- Consulting to Journals, Institutions, Universities, Scholars, etc. for improving scientometric indicators
- Design and implementation scientometric dashboard for Journals,Institutions, Universities, Scholars, etc.

Research & Publication Ethics

Publication Ethics

Code of Publishing Ethics

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International Standards for Authors Based on Committee on Publication Ethics Standards

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Ethical Principles for Medical Research

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