



**Publish and Perish? How to Avoid Predatory Journals,
Unscrupulous Publishers, and other Publishing Hazards**

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Scientific publishing has changed dramatically in the past two decades. Technological advances and the Open Access/Open Science movement have made research more accessible to a wider audience than ever before. Millions of journal articles, preprints, theses, and other research outputs are now freely available to read, download, and share on the web. However, these developments have also given rise to negative consequences in the form of so-called predatory journals: low quality, high-cost journals published by unscrupulous publishers. This talk will discuss the current publishing landscape, tools and techniques for evaluating journals, and how researchers can avoid predatory journals and publishers.