



Predatory Academic Journals and Conferences

An online webinar 19 November 2021, 10:00-12:00 CET

Webinar Objectives:

- 1. To raise awareness of predatory journals and conferences in the region
- 2. To help researchers practice due diligence to minimise their (and their students') risk
- 3. To discuss the threat of predatory practices and why addressing them is so important
- 4. To preview some of the recommendations of the IAP study on predatory academic practices.
- 10:00-10:10 Welcome and introduction Professor Christina Moberg, EASAC President

Demographic slide from registration forms: who is participating? Short pre-webinar poll to assist webinar evaluation

- **10:10-10:30** Introducing predatory journals and conferences: key messages of the IAP study IAP Working Group members Prof. Diane Negra and Prof. Stefan Eriksson
- 10:30-11:50 Panel discussion: predatory academic practices in the European research community
 - Professor Stefan Eriksson, IAP Working Group member (Sweden)
 - Professor Diane Negra, IAP Working Group member (Ireland)
 - Professor Wim van Saarloos, Incoming EASAC President (Netherlands)
 - Professor Donald Dingwell, EASAC Council Member (Academia Europaea)
 - Professor Mats Gyllenberg, EASAC Council Member (Finland)
 - GYA Panelist (to be confirmed shortly)

Moderated by Tracey Elliott (IAP Project Director) and Christiane Diehl (EASAC Executive Director)

Interactive questions and answers with online registrants.

- 11:50-12:00 Closing remarks Tracey Elliott and Christiane Diehl
 - Forthcoming IAP report and IAP small grants programme
 - A call to action: countering predatory academic practices in Europe and globally

Short post-webinar survey to assist webinar evaluation