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Services

What's Worked

- Team model for reviewing applications
- Borrowing heavily from other APC funds for policy, procedure
- Funding available to all Students, Faculty, and Staff doing research at UO
- Successful funding of UO Research
 - 20 articles and 2 books in 2021–22 (so far!)
 - 24 articles and 1 book in 2020–21

What's Not Worked

- Still some confusion about what we'll fund from faculty, staff, students
 - And disappointment that *Your Hybrid Journal Here* isn't included
- What to do about hybrid journals that have committed to the transformative process through Coalition S
- More awareness raising! We've had good uptake, but there's still more to do in outreach

Other OA things we've funded

- Membership supported publishing
- Subscribe to Open
- UO's OA Policy
- Scholars' Bank
- OERs

Expanding Support for OA

Increased Advocacy

- Education around OA Assessment
 - Workshop for librarians to answer FAQs
 - How to use Sherpa/Romeo, DOAJ
 - Setting the stage on campus in the lead up to the open access policy (see our talk at 3!)

