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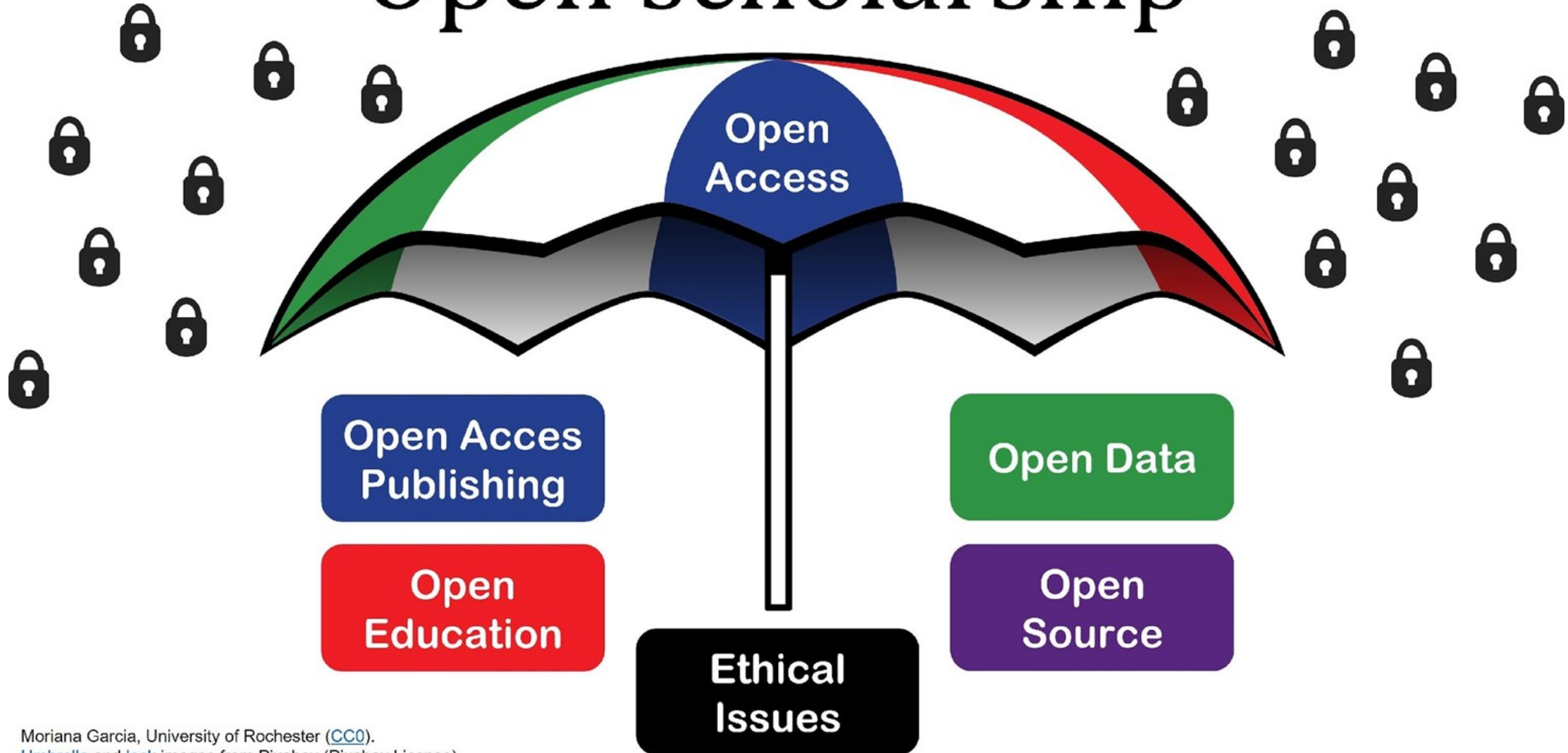
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# Open scholarship



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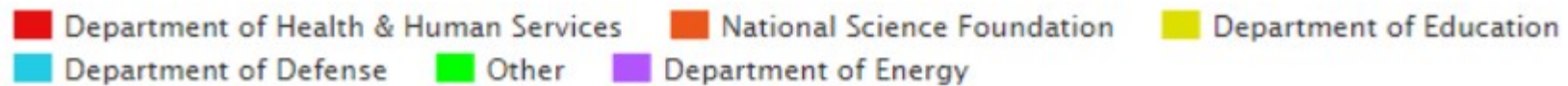
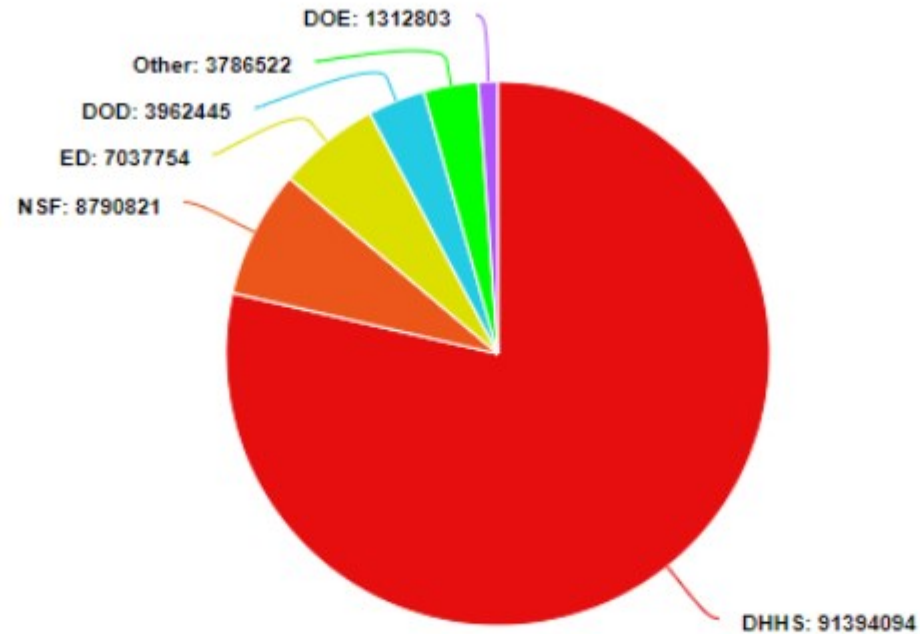
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# THE CURRENT LANDSCAPE OF OA

- Funding agencies are requiring OA
- Article Processing Charges (APCs) are a major barrier to publishing OA
- Researchers can write APCs into grant
- Librarians can support researchers with identifying repositories to meet funding requirements
- ThinkIR can meet certain requirements

# UofL FY 2022 FEDERAL FUNDING BY AGENCY



# FUNDING REQUIREMENTS & RESOURCES

Funder	Article Repository	Requirements
Department of Defense (DoD)	DoD public access archive system	Freely available no more than 12 months after publication
Department of Education (ED)	Education Resources Information Center (ERIC)	Funded research OR employees producing peer-reviewed publications. Available no later than 12 months after publication.
Department of Energy (DoE)	Office of Scientific and Technical Information (OSTI)	Metadata and full-text Complete OR partial funding
Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS): NIH, FDA, AHRQ, ACL	PubMed Central (PMC)	Available no later than 12 months after publication.



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# THINKIR

## UofL's INSTITUTIONAL REPOSITORY

- Since 2015, ThinkIR has provided access to UofL student theses/dissertations (required) and faculty scholarship (opt-in), hosts 9 OA journals
- Can fulfill OA requirements for other funders
- Faculty should be aware of the IR and what can be deposited (pre-prints, post-prints, version of record)



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## Questions?

The Open Scholarship Task Force  
welcomes your input!

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