#### Consortium of Swiss Academic Libraries

Coordinated supply of electronic Information for Swiss universities

### **Beyond Licensing? Library Consortia in the Digital Age**

Symposium on the occasion of the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Consortium of Swiss Academic Libraries Zurich, 6th December 2010

# What's next? The Consortium of Swiss Academic Libraries today and tomorrow

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# The consortium today

### **WHO ARE WE?**

### Five persons working for the consortium

- Licence negotiations
  - → 3.25 FTE
- Projects e-lib.ch
  - → 0.7 FTE financed via the consortium









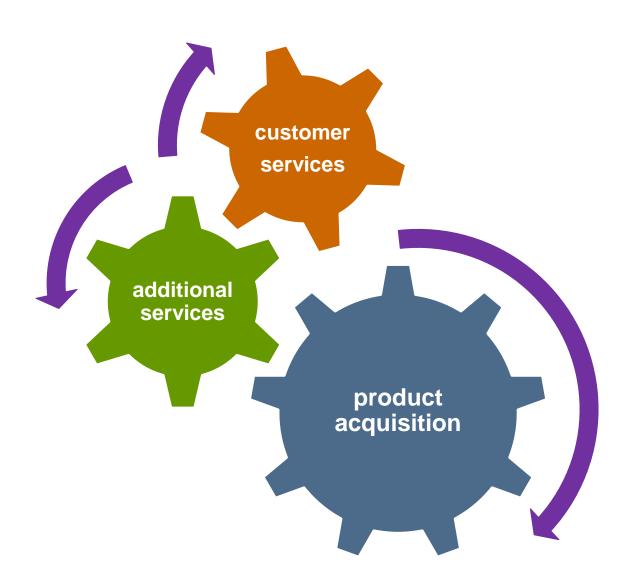


### STAFF OF CENTRAL OFFICE



## Our business

### **RANGE OF ACTIVITY**



### **FURTHER SERVICES**



### **ADVANTAGES VIA THE CONSORTIUM (A)**

### For libraries

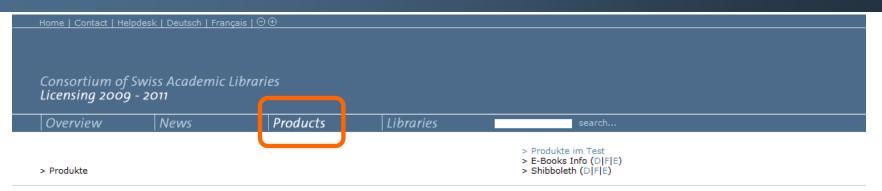
- Saving for licences due to centrally managed negotiations
- One licence agreement
- Know-how and technical support for access problems
- Consulting service
- Usage statistics
- Dealing with current issues (e-books, ERM-systems, national licences etc.)
- Training courses, workshops, information sessions

### ADVANTAGES VIA THE CONSORTIUM (B)

### For publishers

- Only one negotiating party
- One billing
- One payment
- market penetration via the consortium

### PRODUCTS (A)



Overall view user statistics
Overall view title lists
Overall view contracts / Overview of the contract terms
Responsible persons of the products
Simultaneous users

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Science, Technology,	Agricola	Info access authorizations
Medicine	Agris	Info access authorizations
	Avery Index to Architectural Periodicals	Info access authorizations
	Biosis Previews	Info access authorizations
	CAB Abstracts	Info access authorizations
	CINAHL	Info access authorizations
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	Reaxys	Info access authorizations
	SciFinder Scholar	Info access authorizations
	Zentralblatt für Mathematik	Info access authorizations
Arts and Humanities	ABI/ Inform	Info access authorizations
	Art Museum Image Gallery	Info access authorizations
	ARTbibliographies Modern	Info access authorizations
	ATLA Religion Database	Info access authorizations

### PRODUCTS (B)

### **E-Journals and E-Books**

- About 30 e-journal packages
- In total: more than 11'000 titles with fulltext

### About 81 databases and reference works

- STM
- Arts & Humanities
- Social Sciences
- Interdisciplinary databases
- → Cooperation with about 40 publishers/content providers

### **NEGOTIATION OF LICENCES (A)**

### Negotiations

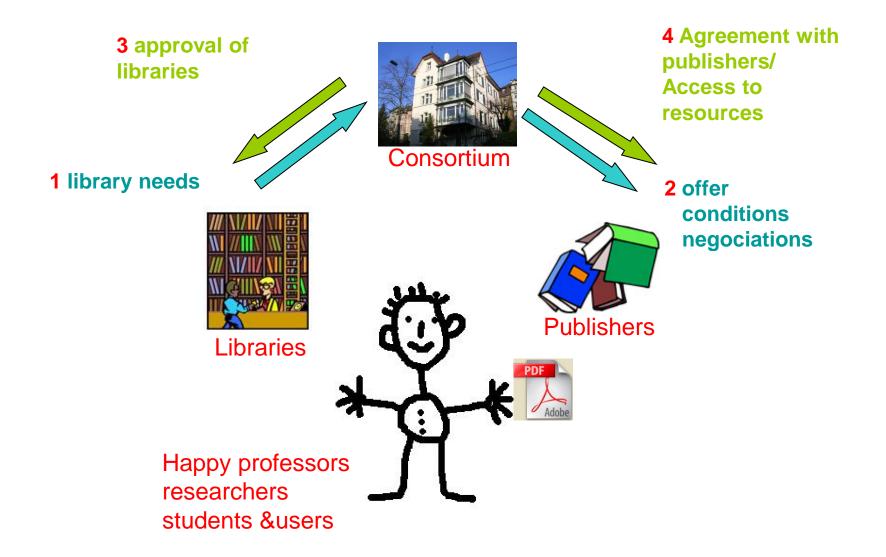
- Annual survey
  - Determining the needs, requirements and wishes of the member libraries
- Getting quotes from publishers
- Organising product tests for libraries
- Start negotiations for licence agreement
- Consortium enters into an agreement with publishers if conditions are favourable for its members

### **NEGOTIATION OF LICENCES (B)**

## After Agreement

- Fees are invoiced to libraries
  - Via SWETS (subscription services company)
- Acces to content
  - Organised by the consortium
  - Consortium helpdesk for access problems

### **WORKFLOW: LICENCE NEGOTIATIONS**



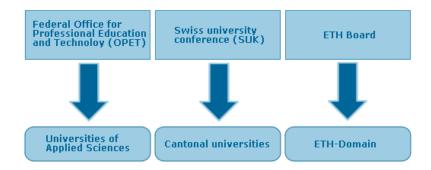
## **Projects**

### E-LIB.CH – SWISS ELECTRONIC LIBRARY

## Innovation and cooperation project

- During the contributing period of 2008-2011
- 20 projects are realized with a multitude of partners within the framework of Elib.ch
- Common aim is to provide fast and easy access to a wide range of different information resources
- Extension of funding period for 2012

### Project funding

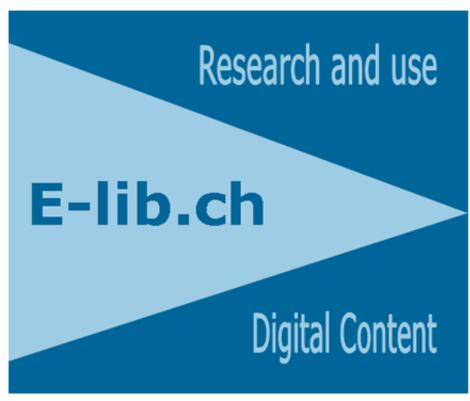


The funding model requires contributions from the supported institutions which match the granted funding.

Money source	Financial aide
SUK	7 mio.
ETH-Domain	2 mio.
OPET	1 mio.
Total	10 mio.

Source: www.e-lib.ch

### AREAS OF ACTIVITY OF E-LIB.CH



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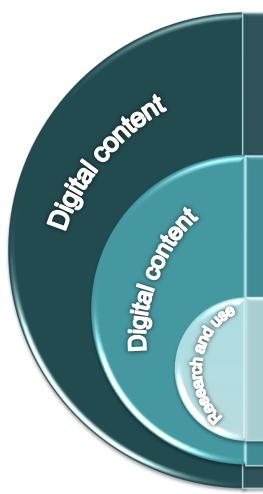
### Research and use

- Portal and website presentation
- Application of single sign-on solutions
- Subject-specific portals and meta search functions
- Enhancement and linking-up of Swiss document service
- Joint standards for communication media and information skills

### Digital content

- Development of pan-Swiss joint standards for communication media and information skills
- Retro-digitisation of old stock
- Permanent provision and availability of electronic journals, e-books, databases...

### **CONSORTIUM PROJECTS E-LIB.CH**



retro.seals.ch

- Digitisation of Swiss scholarly journals
- opening of the platform for additions of further titles (regional content)

**E-Depot** 

• Service for the storage and long-term preservation of licensed electronic content (post cancellation access)

Metadata server

- Integration of the metadata server into the environment of E-lib.ch
- enlargement of coverage among Swiss universities

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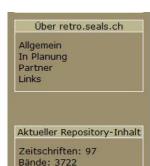


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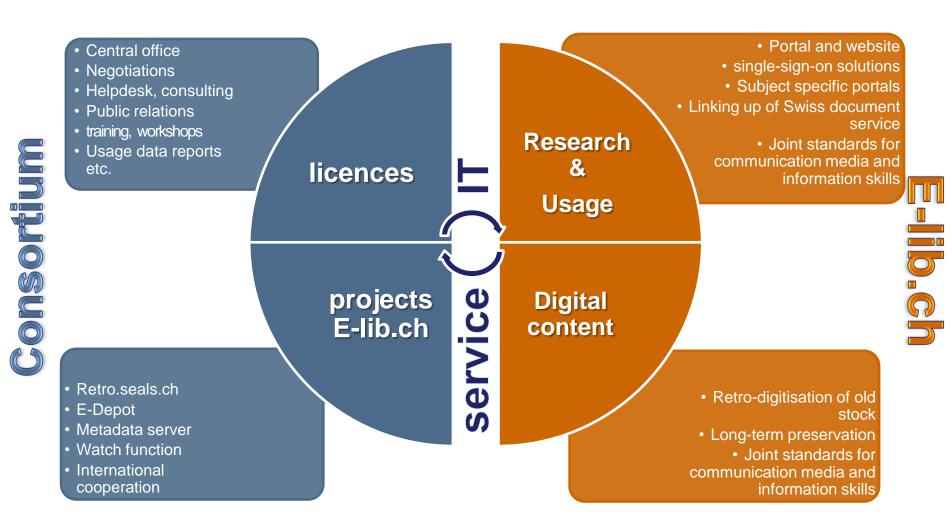
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# And what's next?

### **CONSORTIUM AND E-LIB.CH 2008-2012**

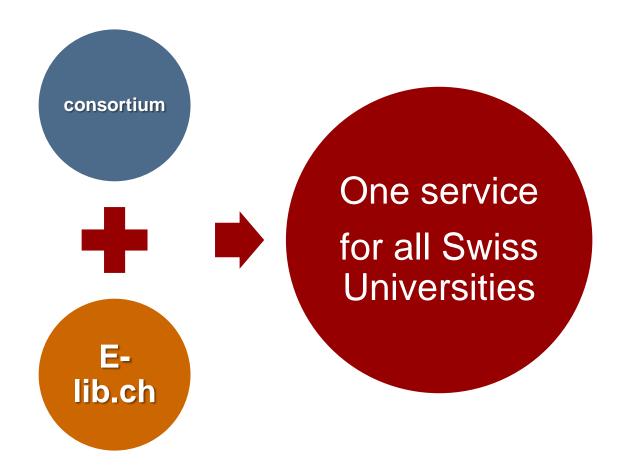


### AND THE FUTURE?

### From 2013

- New project funding by the Swiss University Conference (SUK/CUS) 2013-2016
- Within the framework of "innovation and cooperation projects"
- One central organisation
- Fusion of consortium and e-lib.ch with one common infrastructure

### ONE CENTRAL ORGANISATION



### **MISSION 2013-2016**



# END ROAD WORK THANK YOU

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