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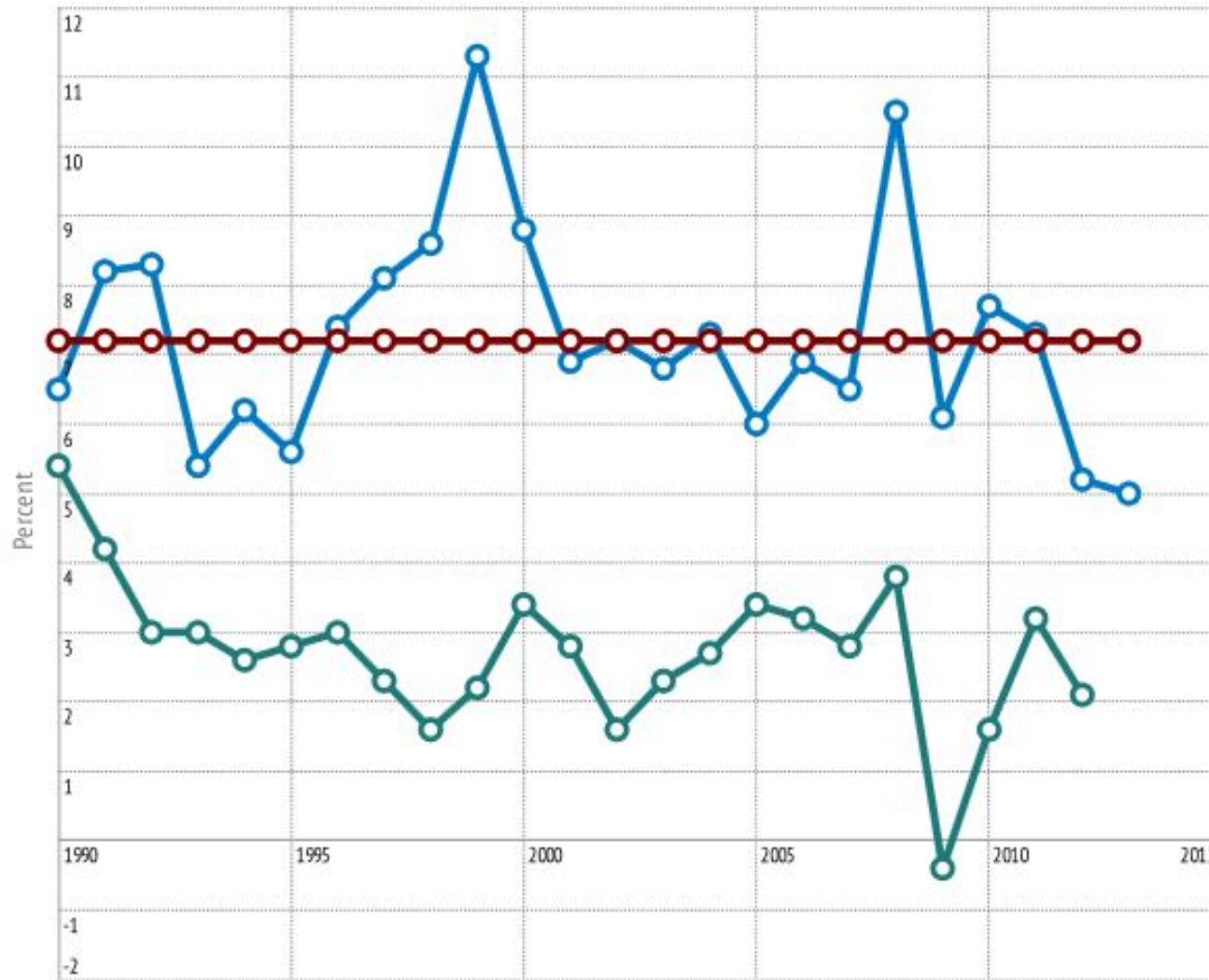
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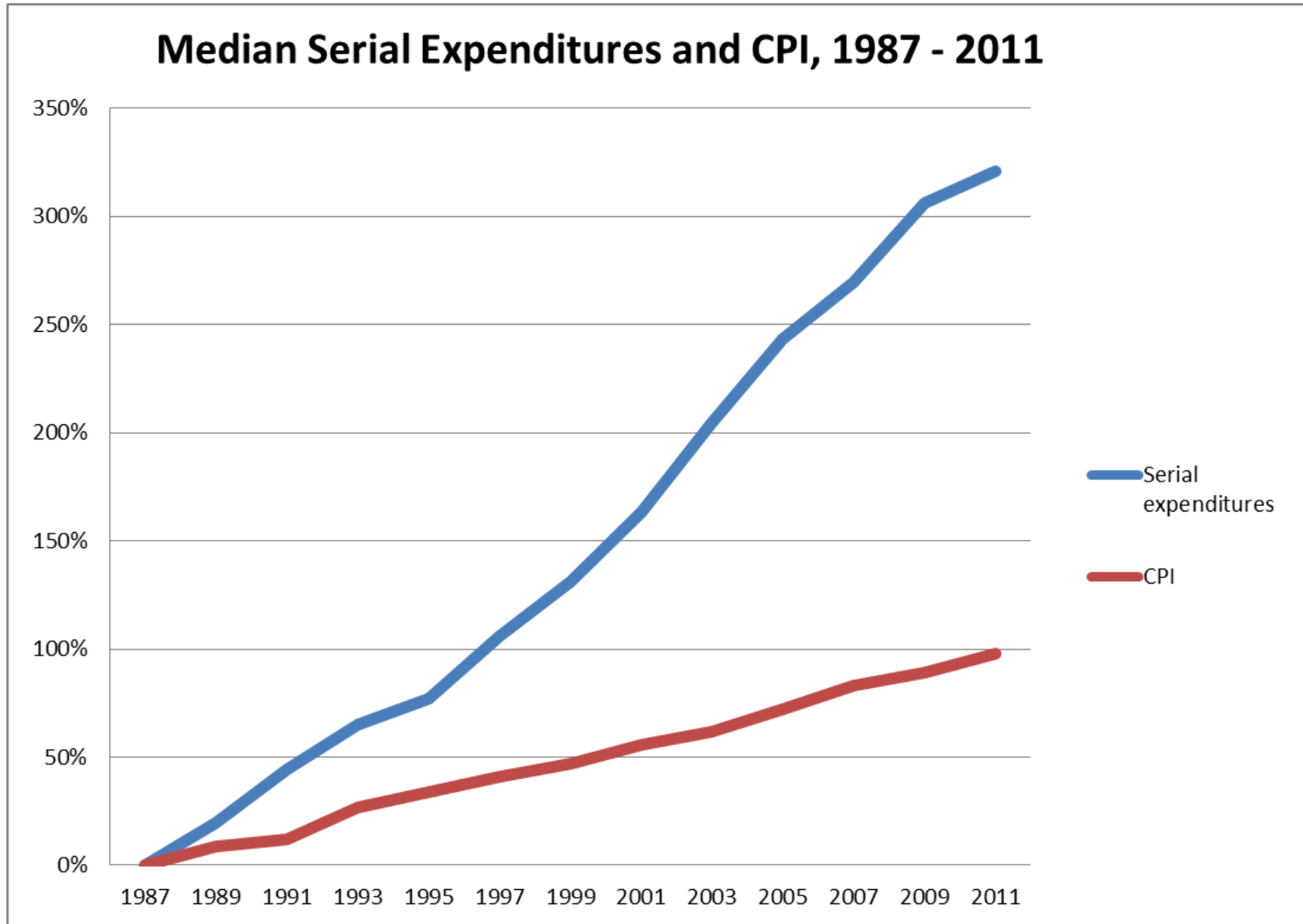
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- **University policy**

Annual US journal price increases compared to Consumer Price Index (CPI). Sources: Annual price changes for US journals are from annual Allen Press studies. CPI is from the US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics



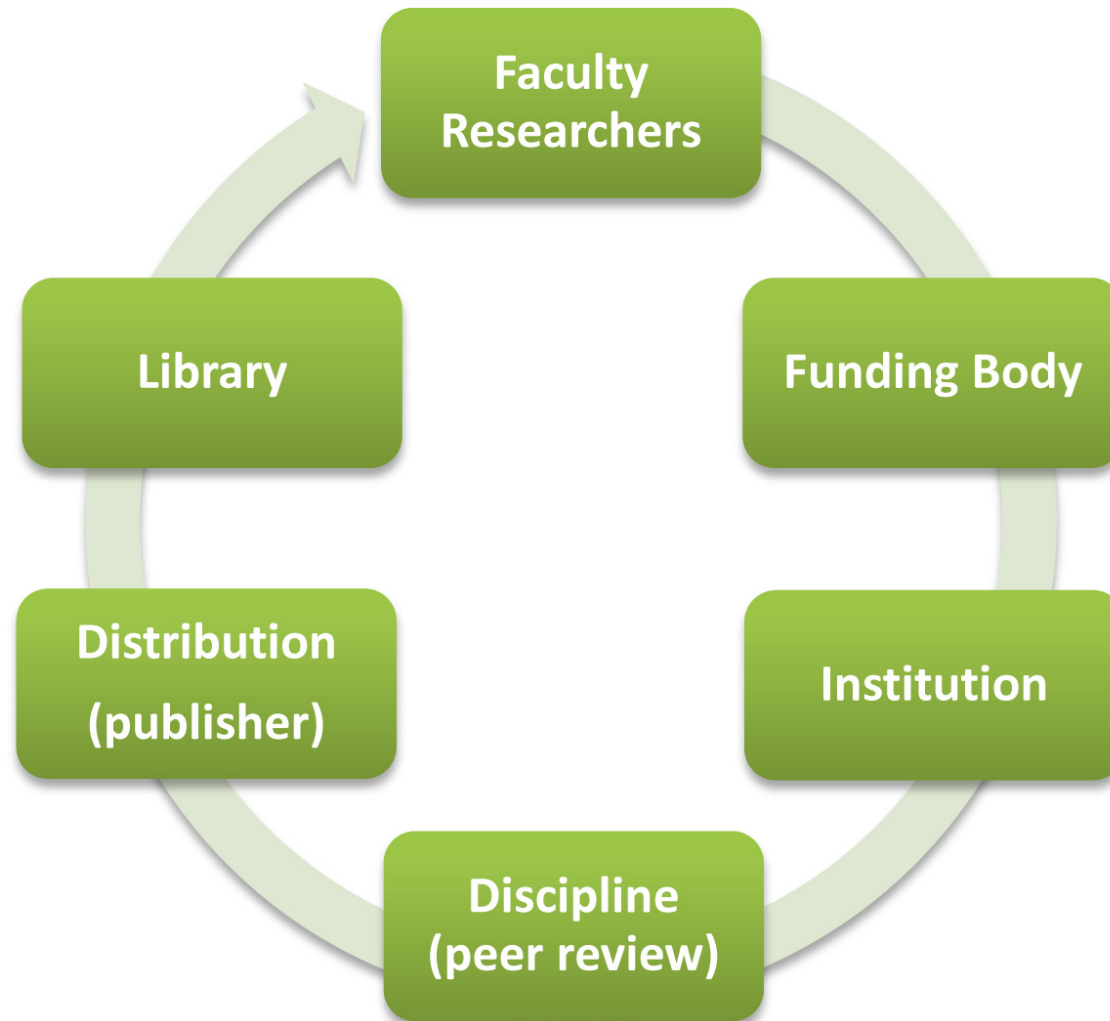
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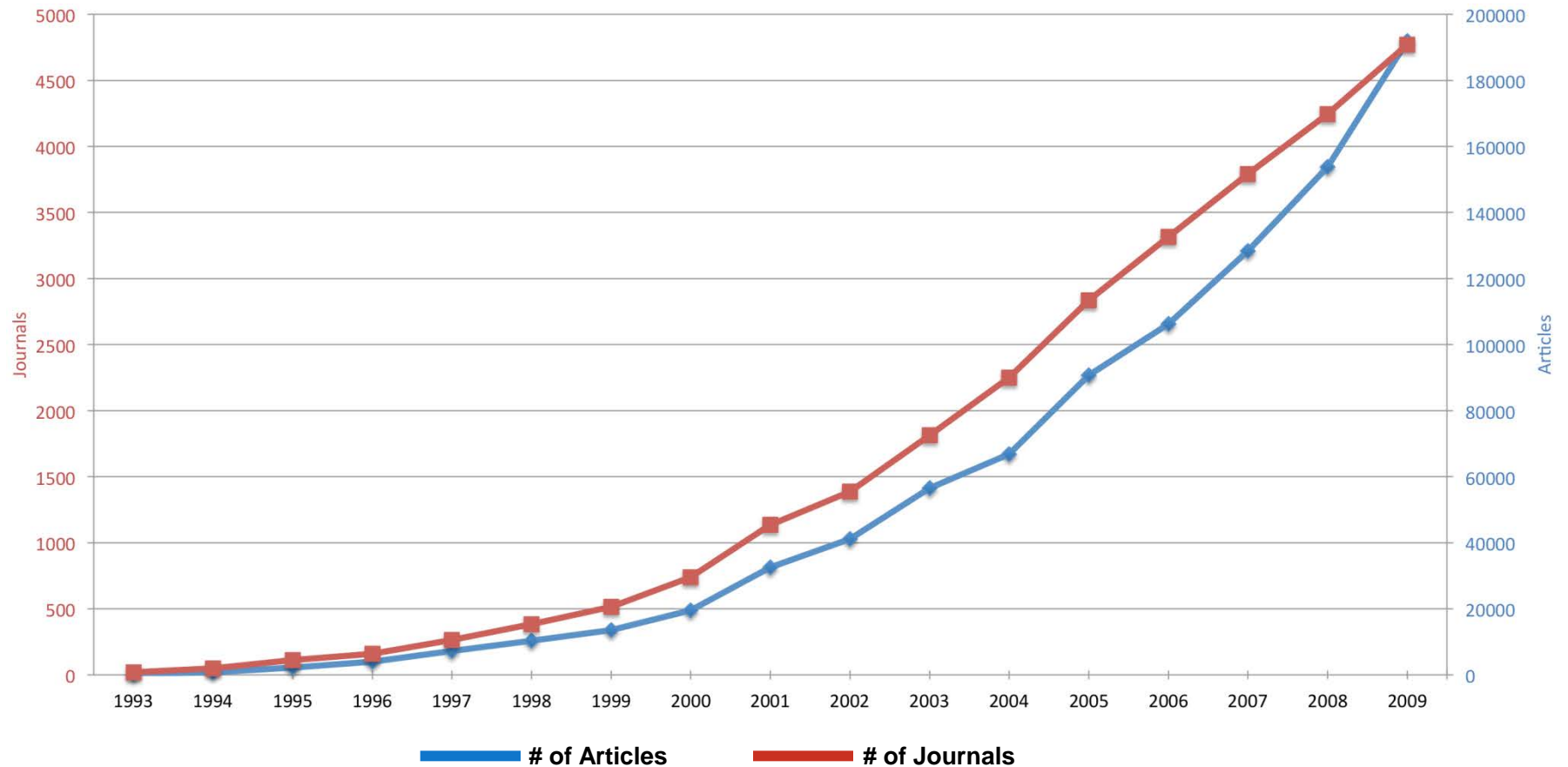
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SUBSCRIPTION MODEL INVESTMENT CYCLE



The development of open access publishing 1993–2009



Laakso M, Welling P, Bukvova H, Nyman L, et al. (2011) The Development of Open Access Journal Publishing from 1993 to 2009. PLoS ONE 6(6): e20961. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0020961
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- Become part of the national and international conversations concerning the shape and landscape of OA
- This paradigm shift, what form and structure it takes, will affect every faculty/researcher on this campus.
- It is YOUR (faculty/researcher) system – do you want to help shape it or do you want others to do it for you, without your input?



CHOICE

- NOT between status quo and Open Access
- IS between the design, characteristics, features and economics of the scholarly communication system to come
- Step up, learn more, make a difference –
- OWN THE FUTURE-
 - *The best way to predict the future is to design it*



OAAPSF

Open Access Article Publication Subvention Fund

<https://library.uncc.edu/OAPublishingFund>

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UNC Charlotte Open Access Publishing Fund

Introduction to the Open Access Article Publication Subvention Fund (OAAPSF)

Atkins Library at UNC Charlotte regards open access (OA) publication of scholarly articles as a foundational aspect of a sustainable scholarly communication system. To this end, the Library has established a fund intended to cover or contribute to the cost of article processing charges (APCs). This fund will complement other Library expenditures that support OA publication, such as memberships and subscription charges.

The fund emerged from UNC Charlotte's commitment to the principles of the "Compact for Open-Access Publishing Equity" (COPE) <http://www.oacom pact.org/>, launched in September 2009 to help level the playing field between subscription-based and open-access journals. Though not a signatory of COPE, UNC Charlotte has established open access funds compatible with its underlying principles.

Frequently Asked Questions About the Open Access Article Publication Subvention Fund (OAAPSF)

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The fund is intended as a last resort for payment of APCs resulting from OA articles authored by UNC Charlotte faculty, research scientists, postdocs, and students. The fund is restricted to articles accepted for publication in peer-reviewed, OA journals. We ask that funded articles be placed in the Library's repository.

[What publications are eligible?](#)

Characteristics of eligible OA journals:

- Peer reviewed
- Indexed by the Institute for Scientific Information (ISI), or published by a reputable OA publisher, such as Frontiers, Hindawi, PLoS, [etc]
- Have policies and practices consistent with the Open Access Scholarly Publishers Association Code of Conduct (<http://oaspa.org/membership/code-of-conduct/>)
- Make their standard fee schedules publicly accessible
- Waive their fees in cases of financial hardship

[What publications are not eligible?](#)

- Articles that appear in Beall's List, <http://scholarlyoa.com/publishers/>. Beall's List consists of "potential, possible, or probable predatory scholarly open-access publishers."
- Articles in journals that charge an annual subscription fee, including journals that use a delayed OA model, or offer an "open choice" option to make a particular article open access are not eligible.
- Articles reporting on research supported by funders that allow research funds to be used for publication fees (e.g. NIH) are not eligible for this funding, whether or not

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