Setting up an Institutional Repository from scratch: Journey of Holmesglen Institutional Repository (HIR)

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Why do we need a repository?
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- To showcase Holmesglen
  - History of Holmesglen (Holmesglen News)
  - Feature work by students (Quarter Times)
  - Feature work by staff
  - Demonstrate our work in partnerships with industry
Where to start?
Initial Stage

- Identify your BUDGET!
Initial Stage

- What are you going to deposit into the repository?
Initial Stage

- What kind of repository products are available?

Initial Stage

Get in contact with the real users.
Talk to the actual users for the insider news 😊

Australasian Open Access Repositories:
https://aoasg.org.au/open-access-repositories-at-australian-institutions/

DSpace, DuraCloud, Fedora, and VIVO registry:
http://registry.duraspace.org/registry/
To host, or not to host?
Find out “THE ONE”

- Demonstration by the vendor(s)
- Talk to the users (Yes- again!)
- Setting up trial site to have a look and feel
  - Involve your users! i.e. staff members who will use the systems
- Evaluate trial products
- Make your decision, sign the contract and then the work begins!

What is next?

- Documentations.
  E.g. Submission agreement, copyright statement, submission workflows, etc.
- Familiarise yourself with SHERPA/RoMEO
  (http://www.sherpa.ac.uk/romeo/index.php)
  
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Time to rest? No, it is just the beginning…

- Promote the Repository
- Receive submissions
Any Questions?

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