Preserving Our Digital Scholarly Content: The CLOCKSS Archive

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CLOCKSS is a **dark archive** founded by the world’s leading international libraries and publishers to keep **digital preservation** in the hands of the **community**.

1. **Community-governed archive**
   - The Board is 50% libraries and 50% publishers.

2. **Globally distributed libraries preserving content.**
   - Geographically, geologically, politically distributed.

3. **Maintain modest costs & keep fees low.**
   - Leverage library infrastructure.
   - Using open-source LOCKSS technology for preservation.

4. **Triggered content** is made available to the whole community to preserve continued access to abandoned/orphaned content.

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Publisher Comments

- Impressive capture of the full web-published content. Rich content maintaining the dynamic relationships of all elements.
- For OA publishers, the content will have an OA future. The commitment to accessibility.
- Competitive alternative in the business model and the technology.
- Solid founders and growing list of publishers.
- Interesting board structure.
- Commitment to due diligence on ownership/access before triggering.

* Recent growth of the organization and staff.

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Thank you to the DPC and all panel members!

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