

Publishing Workshop

Friday, March 28, 2025
13:30 - 14:30, Lecture Hall 103

Why publish in society journals: *Neuroscience*, IBRO's journal, as a model

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Scientific publishing has evolved significantly: while the rise of open access has made it easier than ever for the public to access research reports, this has not been followed by increased scientific quality. This session will deal with the changing landscape of scientific publishing, addressing the role of society journals in this changing world. In particular, we will address how these journals have an important mission: to keep the quality of published science high while, at the same time, ensuring diversity and inclusion of scientists from different backgrounds. In this workshop, we aim to engage the public, especially early-career researchers, in understanding the importance of publishing in society-owned journals, such as *Neuroscience*. In addition, we will discuss how they could become more actively involved in the editorial process.

The workshop will be facilitated by Neuroscience Chief Editor Francesca Cirulli:

- Opening remarks and introduction by the Session Chair
- Benefits of publishing in Society Journals
- The publishing process disclosed
- What is the publishing gap for researchers? How to get involved in the publishing process.
- Discussion with the public



Neuroscience - the flagship journal of IBRO.