



Zimbabwe ADHL

OCTOBER 2018 PRESENTATION

Overview

- ❑ Digital Repository Policy –ir.uz.ac.zw
- ❑ System Implementation –adhr.uz.ac.zw
- ❑ Management of Document Ingest and Quality Control
- ❑ System Update and Maintenance
- ❑ Library/IT Collaboration
- ❑ Current Status

Digital Repository Policy –ir.uz.ac.zw

- ❑ The UZ Library started by setting up an Institutional Repository, accessible at <http://ir.uz.ac.zw>
- ❑ This was necessary, to develop an appreciation of the then novel idea of institutional repositories
- ❑ A draft policy is place, and currently consideration.
- ❑ The UZ IR Policy will inform the ADHR policy.

System Implementation –adhr.uz.ac.zw

- ❑ A pilot installation was done on the a virtual machine
- ❑ System was made accessible on the Internet and Ministry of Health and Child Care (MoHCC) could access the system
- ❑ Actual server was procured and the system was then installed on the new server
- ❑ Training sessions were mounted for some of the MoHCC and UZ Library Staff
- ❑ There is a signed implementation commitment from the MoHCC, which also shows post-project implementation support.

Management of Document Ingest and Quality Control

- ❑ Active ingestion of material on the Zimbabwe ADHR is yet to take place
- ❑ The ingestion will be done from mainly two fronts: UZ CHS Library and MoHCC Library.
- ❑ DSpace's workflow functionality would be used to ensure that articles are committed to the live archive have been quality controlled
 - ❑ By the MoHCC Librarian or Medical Librarian

System Update and Maintenance

- ❑ UZ has implemented several instance of DSpace
Institutional Repository (<http://ir.uz.ac.zw>), Digital Collection-catch all archive for non-scholarly content, Online Maps repository for digital maps.
- ❑ The Library IT is committed to ensuring all the various DSpace's instances are on the same stable version of DSpace
- ❑ For disaster preparedness, scripted and scheduled backups will be done

Library/IT Collaboration

- ❑ The UZ Library has a dedicated Library IT Unit, that has dual reporting to both the Library Administration and the UZ Computer Centre.
- ❑ The Library IT is part of the Implementation Team of this project
- ❑ Thus, Library and IT collaboration is guaranteed

Current Status



Handover of Equipment to MoHCC



Current Status

- ❑ Content for the various ADHR Communities has been identified
- ❑ Retro-conversion is been held back by the acquisition of Abby Fine Reader for OCR functionality
- ❑ The server is being hosted at the University of Zimbabwe and is accessible, via <http://adhr.uz.ac.zw>
- ❑ Plan is to host it under <http://adhr.mohcc.gov.zw>

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Current Status- to do list

- Committing born digital content to the repository
- Training of MoHCC Librarians from all the ten provinces
- Launching of the mobile application
- Sensitisation of workshop for UZ Senior Administration and MoHCC Officials
- Impact assessment

Thank you



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