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YERUN Open Science Awards 2023 | Awarding Ceremony

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- YERUN Open Science Awards stem from the work of the YERUN Open Science Working Group

- Takes inspiration from UReading scheme, adapting it to our own needs and goals

- Target initiatives by **individuals or teams** of **researchers and/or professional support services** that demonstrate strong Open Science practices, and/or that support the scholarly community to adopt Open Science practices in their work.

- Project has to be already up and running at the moment of the application

- The application focuses on 4 main sections:
  - Description of the practice: what is the OS initiative about?
  - Outputs: what has the initiative achieved so far?
  - Reusability: what steps have been taken for others to reuse the initiative?
  - Follow-up: how does the applicant intend to use the award?

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YERUN Open Science Awards | Key features

- Each application is submitted on a dedicated online platform and is assessed by a pool of evaluator

- Each application is randomly assigned to two evaluators (form different institutions than the applicant's)

- Each section of the application is scored from 1 (min) to 4 (max)

- The final score is the average of the points given to each application by the two evaluators.

- The system also automatically triggers a 3rd evaluator when the difference between the two scores by the two evaluators is 1.5 or more.

- Once all evaluations are completed, a threshold is set by looking at the applications with the highest score.

- The pre-selected applications are brought to the attention of a final evaluation panel, which by consensus decides on the 5 applications to be awarded.

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YERUN Open Science Awards | Final evaluation panel

Bregt Saenen, Senior Policy Officer at Science Europe

Inma Andres, Student Programme Manager & Research Advisor,
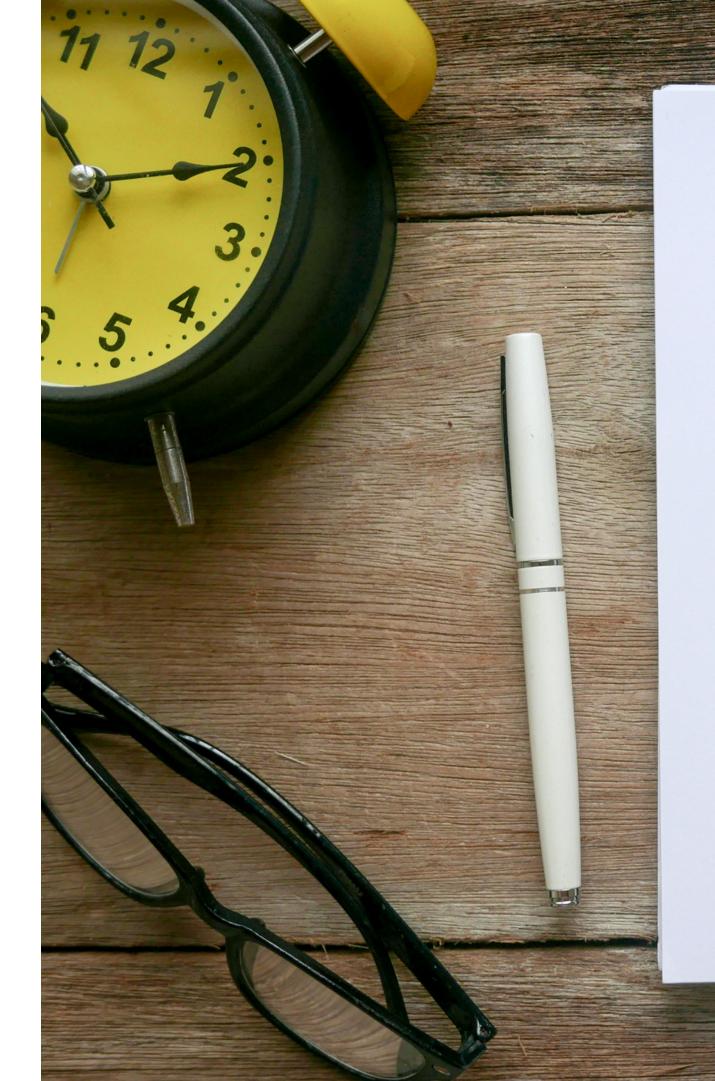Brunel University London and YERUN Coordinator

Katrine Sundsbo, former member of the YERUN ad hoc group on Open Science
and currently Community Manager at the Directory of OA journals

Kostas Glinos, former Head of Unit on Open Science in DG RTD, European
Commission.

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