

## Press Release

# ScienceOpen and Hogrefe Publishing Group extend their cooperation

Berlin & Göttingen, January 21, 2019: ScienceOpen and Hogrefe Publishing Group are pleased to announce an extended collaboration that will integrate seven new featured collections in the fields of psychology, psychiatry, medicine, and health care into the ScienceOpen research discovery environment. These collections will join the already featured open access article collection 'Hogrefe OpenMind' in psychology/psychiatry, medicine, and nursing on ScienceOpen.



ScienceOpen's partnership with Hogrefe, a major scientific publisher on mental health, marks a significant contribution to not only the scientific field of psychology and psychiatry, but also to raising social awareness about relevant psychological issues that pass unnoticed or are inadequately addressed in society. Hogrefe's portfolio consists of high quality, peer-reviewed articles in English and German language that cover many areas of psychology and psychiatry and facilitate a better understanding of people as psychosocial individuals.

Hogrefe's new collections on ScienceOpen are topically organized and feature the newly launched 'Hogrefe Psychology' in German and English language, as well as the upcoming collections:

- 'Hogrefe Medicine' in German and English language;
- publications from the English language 'Vasa - European Journal of Vascular Medicine';
- all German language magazines on the subject of 'Kindheit, Jugend und Entwicklung' ('Childhood, Youth, and Development');
- all English language journals on the subject of 'Human Resources and Assessment';
- and all German language journals on the subject 'Hogrefe Pflege' ('Hogrefe Nursing').

Dr. G.-Jürgen Hogrefe, CEO Hogrefe Publishing Group, says:

"We are pleased to expand the cooperation with ScienceOpen. Our Open Access articles have been indexed here since 2017. Now we are adding a large part of our backlist of published articles and all new articles will be added continuously. Scientists can search without registration and benefit from numerous opportunities provided by the platform. With ScienceOpen we are promoting our authors' publications even more and hope to improve the discoverability of our journals for the scientific readership."

With over 50 million articles and records, the discovery platform ScienceOpen places Hogrefe's publications in a broader research framework that technologically facilitates the discoverability of this research. ScienceOpen and Hogrefe Publishing Group hope this cooperation will increase the scientific and social impact of research in psychology, psychiatry, health science and health care.

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### **About ScienceOpen:**

ScienceOpen was founded in 2013 in Berlin and Boston by Alexander Grossmann and Tibor Tscheke to accelerate research communication.

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### **About Hogrefe Publishing Group (Göttingen):**

Hogrefe is the leading scientific publisher for psychology, psychiatry, and mental health in Europe. These core areas are supplemented by publications in the fields of nursing, healthcare, and medicine. Originally founded in Göttingen, Germany, the Hogrefe Publishing Group today includes publishing companies located in 15 countries, in Europe, the USA, and Brazil, and employs around 360 people.

The independent, family-owned group's print and digital publications include some 2,400 books for professionals, scientists, and students, with 200 new titles being released each year. 41 scientific and professional journals cover all of Hogrefe's core subject areas. Uniquely, Hogrefe also publishes around 2,000 psychometric tests and innovative digital solutions, as well as offering a range of consultancy and training services for test users.

The first company in the Hogrefe Publishing Group was founded in 1949 by Dr. Carl Jürgen Hogrefe, who published the first issue of the scientific journal "Psychologische Rundschau" (meaning "Psychological Review") while still an assistant professor at the University of Göttingen, Germany. Then as now, we at Hogrefe remain convinced that only scientifically based knowledge can be the basis for creating relevant publications, instruments and services.

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