

# UFS update On ScienceDirect



SUNY

# SUNY – Elsevier ScienceDirect 2015-2020

## 2015 Renewal Offer: Full System ScienceDirect + Cell Press + Scopus

ScienceDirect + Cell + Scopus						
5-year offer	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Annual Price Caps	5%	2%	3.25%	3.5%	3.5%	4%
E-Only Fees (90% of Sub Value)	\$6,965,937.36	\$7,105,255.72	\$7,336,176.53	\$7,592,942.71	\$7,858,695.71	\$8,173,043.53
Content Fees (7% of Sub Value)	\$541,795.09	\$552,631.00	\$570,591.51	\$590,562.21	\$611,231.89	\$635,681.16
Freedom Collection	\$487,807.16	\$497,563.30	\$513,734.11	\$531,714.80	\$550,324.82	\$572,337.82
Net Invoice Value	\$7,995,539.61	\$8,155,450.03	\$8,420,502.15	\$8,715,219.73	\$9,020,252.42	\$9,381,062.51
Scopus	Cell Press	Full system access -- No additional charge beyond current 2015 sub level				
System-wide access, plus OPT-OUT after Year 3)* †		\$140,000.00	\$190,000.00	\$240,000.00	\$450,000.00	\$550,000.00

\* Current SUNY Scopus subscribers continue at current rate / uplifts through 2017

† 2018 and 2019 are optional Scopus renewal years

Notes:

Cell Press subscriptions now at \$95,657.95, no inflation for the 5 year contract.

Two (ESF and Geneseo) campuses currently subscribing to Scopus – that cost is locked and is not reflected in the Scopus number above. It's an additional \$52,694.

Scopus will not be available until March as there is no current contract for it.

Elsevier will work with us over contract period to explore new business models



# Campus Participation

- All doctoral campuses except Upstate
- All Comprehensive Colleges
- All Colleges of Technology
- All Community Colleges except the Fashion Institute of Technology, Fulton Montgomery and Onondaga



# Cost Share – Internal Business Model

- The internal business model is based on article downloads for State Operated campuses, historic pricing for Community Colleges
- The University Centers will pay 74.5% of the five year contract cost
- Most libraries see significant increases this year and next then they assume the contractual increases
- There is agreement to review and adjust the internal model over the next year to smooth the transition



# Cost Share – Internal Business Model

- The SUNY System is contributing \$600,000 annually from U-wide library accounts and \$2,500,000 during the five year contract
- This is the final contract where funding beyond the U-wide library payment will be made available from the System



# Campus Impact

- Some campuses relinquished library staff lines to pay for this subscription
- Other library purchases will be negatively impacted
- Our library collections will be less diverse



# Considerations

- Major publishers and even scholarly societies, i.e. American Chemical Society, hold an effective monopoly on journal publications
  - The current scholarly publishing model is unsustainable
    - Promotion and tenure policies contribute to and reinforce this unsustainable model
  - Newer forms of publishing , such as Open Access, need to be supported and enhanced
  - Library funding is inadequate to support current expectations
- This is not a library issue, this is a higher education issue



