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Improving Research Output and Visibility through Open Access Research Discovery Solution- Dimensions at Obafemi Awolowo University

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Training Centre in Communication (TCC Africa) reunited with Western Africa partner Obafemi Awolowo University (OAU) to support their early career researchers and academics on how to use open-access research discovery solution, Dimensions, to increase their research output visibility. Dimensions is an open-source research discovery platform that can be used to access funders, policy documents, and a variety of other publications.

Recording of the session:

More on Dimensions

Dimensions offers the most comprehensive collection of linked data in a single platform, indexing nearly 35 million **Open Access** publications in full text and linking them together with datasets, closed publications, grants, patents, policy documents, citation information, and clinical trials.

About Obafemi Awolowo University (OAU)

Obafemi Awolowo University (OAU) is a federal government-owned **university** located in the ancient city of Ile-Ife, Osun State, Nigeria. The **university** was founded in 1961. Throughout its history, OAU has pursued a strong commitment to the highest level of scientific research and teaching. The high-level scientific work and researchers give a strong foundation for all technical

education. Research at OAU covers a broad spectrum of the main fields of technology. OAU hosts a community of about 5,000 staff and over 26,000 students, and Research at OAU is conducted in a number of different ways, through individual Faculties and University Research Centres.

Website: <https://oauife.edu.ng/>

About TCC Africa

The Training Centre in Communication(TCC Africa), is the first African-based training centre to teach effective communication skills to scientists. TCC Africa is an **[award-winning](#)** Trust, established **as a non-profit entity** in 2006 and is registered in Kenya. TCC Africa provides capacity support in improving researchers output and visibility through training in **[scholarly](#)** and **[science communication](#)**.

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