

Finding the Perfect Fit: Factors in Journal Selection and Redirection

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Agenda

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Introductions

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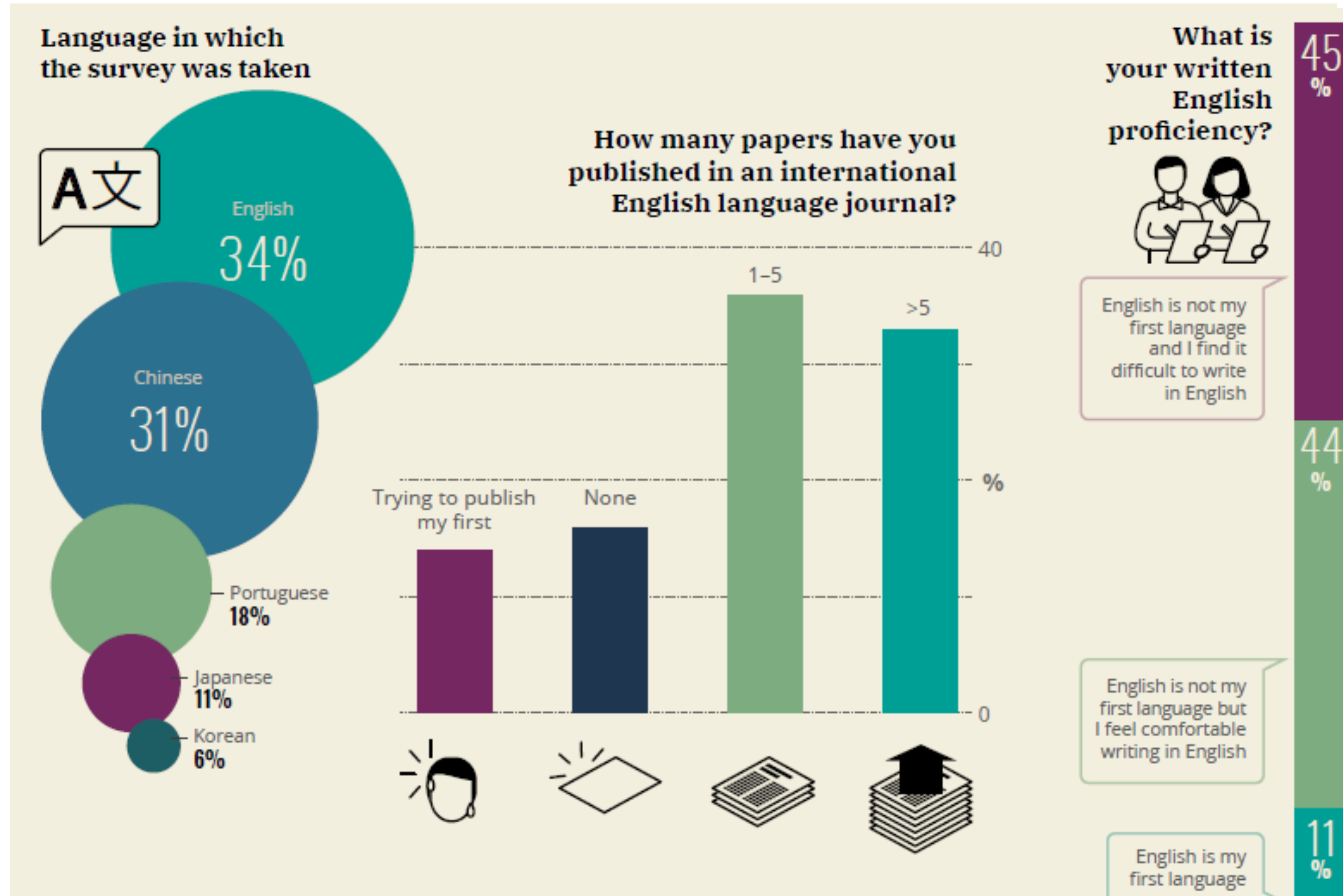


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Author Perspectives on Academic Publishing: Global Survey Report 2018

Demographics

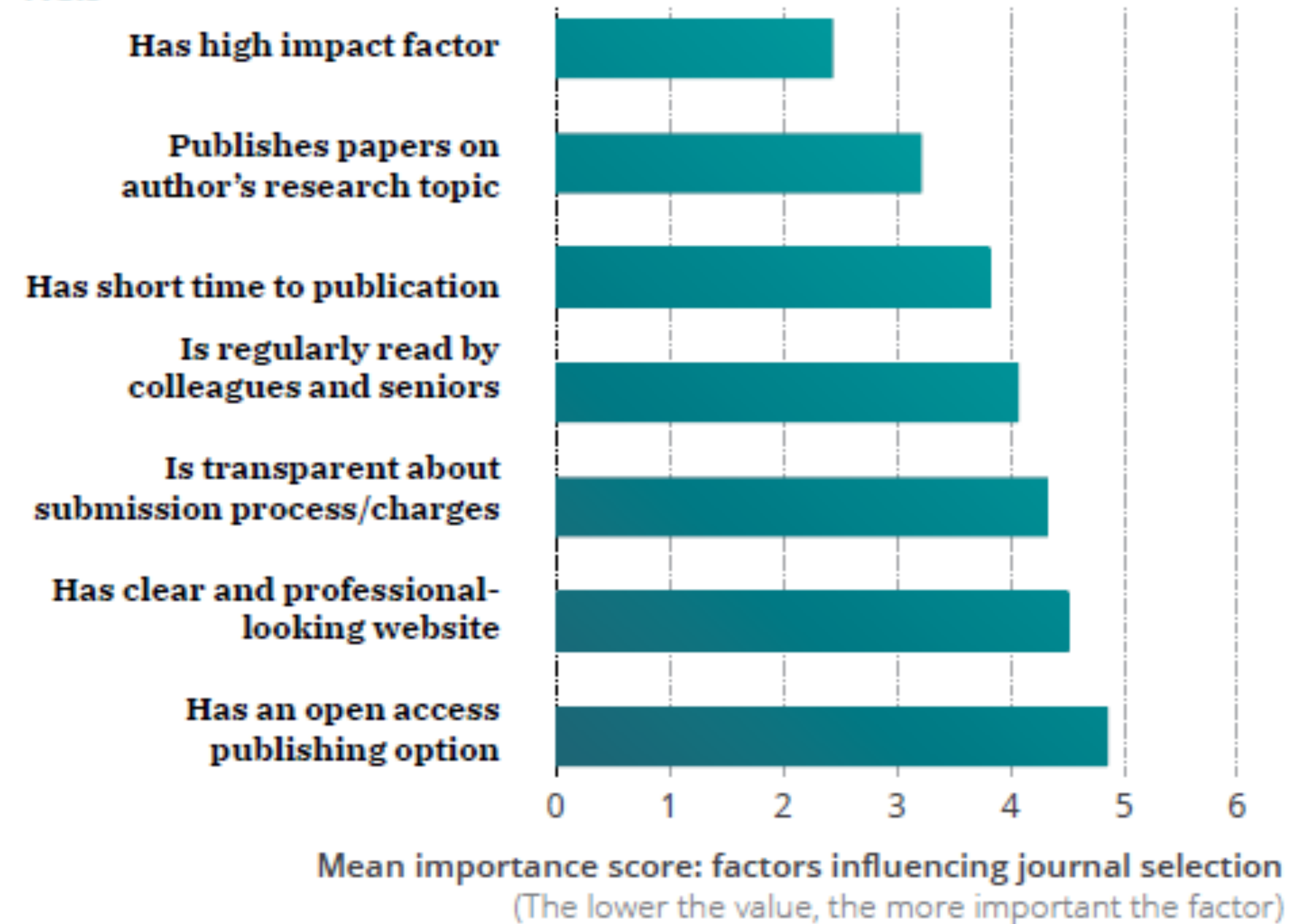


How difficult do you find journal selection?

FIG.4 How difficult do you find journal selection?



FIG.5



Journal selectors

- Researcher.Life Journal Finder - <https://researcher.life/journal>
- LetPub Scientific Journal Selector - <https://www.letpub.com/journal-selector>
- Journal/Author Name Estimator - <https://jane.biosemantics.org/>
- Elsevier Journal Finder - <https://journalfinder.elsevier.com/>
- Wiley Journal Finder - <https://journalfinder.wiley.com/search?type=match>
- Taylor & Francis Journal Suggester - <https://authorservices.taylorandfrancis.com/publishing-your-research/choosing-a-journal/journal-suggester/>
- Sage Journal Recommender - <https://journal-recommender.sagepub.com/>

Spot the predators

Think

**Are you submitting your research to a trusted journal or publisher?
Is it the right journal or book for your work?**

Check

Use our check list to assess the journal or publisher.

Submit

Only if you can answer 'yes' to the questions on our check list.

<https://thinkchecksubmit.org/>



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The library perspective

Hands off approach, but ...



Some guidance (in no particular order):

- Finding journals
- Web of Science/Scopus/Dimensions (check where authors in your field have published)
- Relevant research publications (reference lists)
- Consult peers, Pis
- Publishers' journal picker tool



Some guidance (cont'd)

- Selecting journals
- Who is the intended audience?
- What is the Impact Factor of the journal?
- Do you want to publish Open Access?
 - Is there open access support available?
- What is the rejection rate (be realistic)?
- What are the turn around times?



Avoid predatory publishers!

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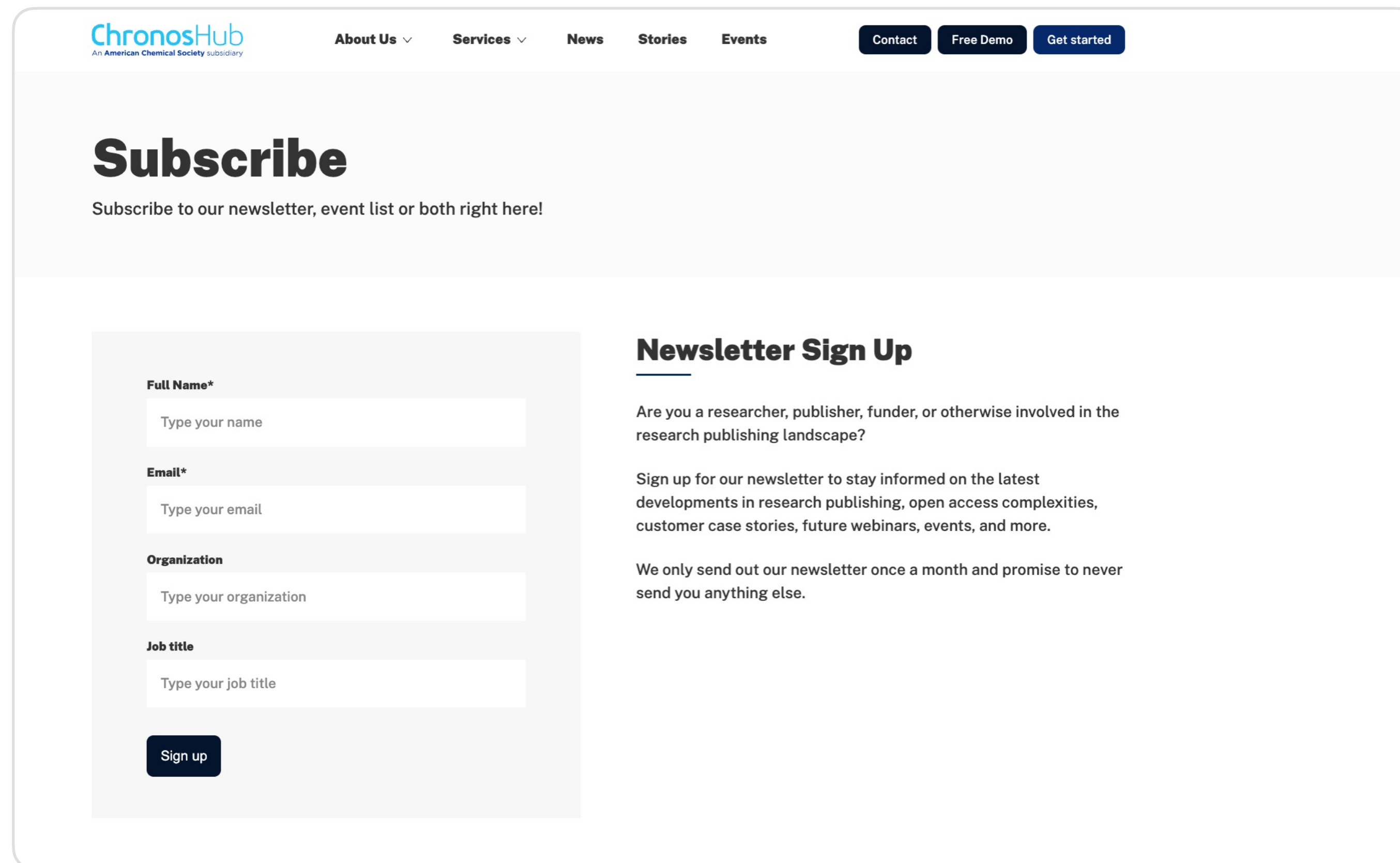
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Discussion and Q&A



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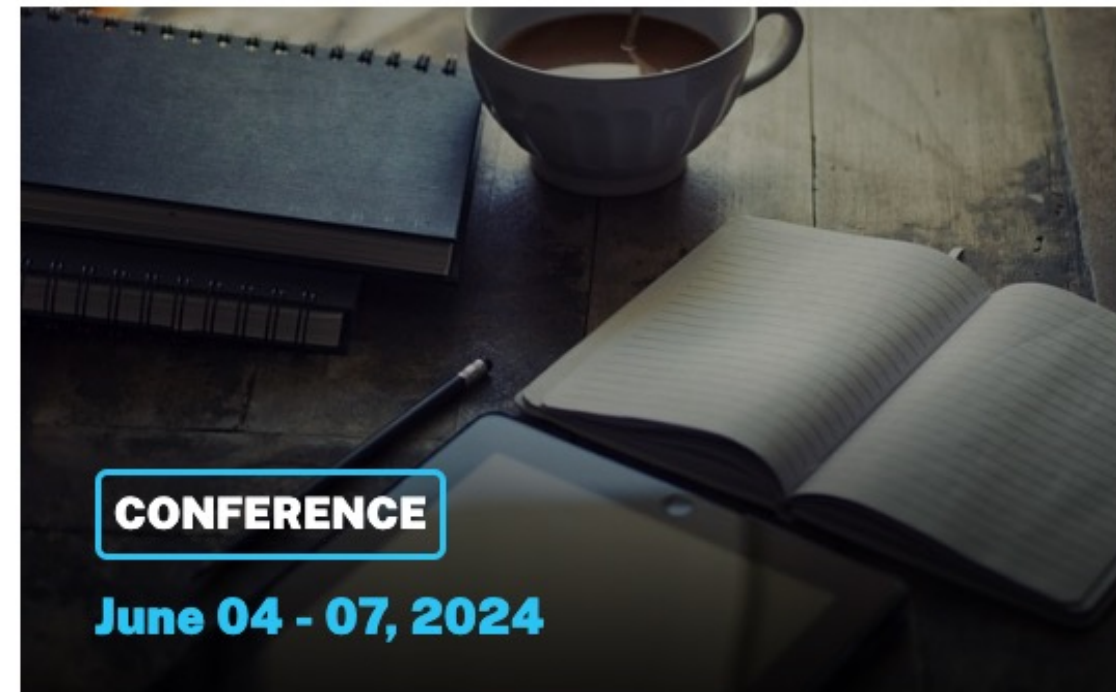
Upcoming Events



SSP 46th Annual Meeting

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