Editorial

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SCIENTIFIC PUBLISHING PRACTICES AND OPEN SCIENCE

The volume 9, n.1 of AtoZ scientific magazine represents the moment of transition for the editorial team responsible for its publishing. It is the first issue fully edited by this new team that focuses on aligning the journal with open science practices. After all, we are experiencing a new paradigm of scientific research, aimed at increasing the transparency and openness of the entire scientific production process.

Since its creation, AtoZ has aligned itself with the best scientific publishing practices. This can be seen, for example, by the acceptance of articles deposited on preprint servers, which represents an effort to accelerate the sharing of scientific discoveries. In addition, publication in open access and the use of a Creative Commons license are two other important characteristics for a journal that seeks insertion in an open science context.

Thus, we announce the publication in continuous flow from v.9, n.1 on. Through this new form of publication, we intend to speed up research communication and make the process more dynamic. In this context, authors, readers, reviewers and the editorial team are benefited.

Volume 9, n.1 of 2020 is composed of 10 articles by Brazilian and foreign authors from the most varied institutions. They present diverse themes and methodologies related to data, information and knowledge. Here they are:

- Theoretical-methodological interdisciplinarity: the universe of representations by Peirce and Moscovici Katiusa Stumpf;
- Priority patents deposited in Brazil and protected by the FIA Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) Verônica Barboza Scartassini, Thiago Monteiro Alves, Fernanda Bochi, Rene Faustino Gabriel Junior, Ana Maria Mielniczuk de Moura;
- Quality criteria of electronic journals in the Ibero-American region in the area of educational technologies indexed in the Latindex database Claudia Maria Pecegueiro, Iraceles Luzo;
- Study of categories for systematizing concepts in Knowledge Management Narjara Bárbara Xavier Silva, Luana Farias Sales, Jhonathan Divino Ferreira dos Santos;
- A proposal for a corporate university based on the pillars of corporate education, knowledge management and innovation management Juliana Alexandre de Oliveira Araújo, Maria de Lurdes da Costa Domingos;
- Collaboration to improve descriptive writing facilitated by Padlet: an action research study of English as Foreign Language (EFL) Maria Teresa Albán Defilippi, Karin Lynn Miller, Maria Rossana Ramirez-Ávila;
- Intelligent tourist destinations and knowledge management: possible convergences Ricardo Ferreira Nunes, Juliana Medaglia, Adriano Stadler;
- Business intelligence to support management in civil construction: a systematic literature review Anderson Brunheira Lopes, Clodis Boscarioli, Eliane Nascimento Pereira, Renata Camacho Bezerra;
- The dissemination of scientific information in public schools as a factor of social innovation Alessandra de Souza Santos, Frederico de Carvalho Figueiredo;
- Curating scientific data in information science: survey of the national scene Liliane Chaves de Resende, Marcello Peixoto Bax.

We are grateful to all authors who entrusted the evaluation of their manuscripts by AtoZ. The scientific publishing activity of this journal would also not be complete without the work of reviewers who have the time to contribute to the evaluation of the manuscripts and share their time and knowledge.

Have a nice reading,

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