Legal Deposit Considerations for the “Paper of Record” in the Post-print Era

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Historical collections

Print

Microform
“It is critical to CDNL’s Vision for the Global Digital Library that each country collects, preserves, and sustains access to its national publishing output in all formats.”
Legal regimes for electronic deposit in place

- United Kingdom
- Netherlands
- Germany
- France
- United States
Limitations

1. Focus on page images
2. Fragmentary web harvests
3. Limited access rights
Obstacles

1. Diversity of forms
2. Dynamism of content
3. Subdivision of ownership
Strategies?

1. Library – publisher cooperation at national level
2. Parent/media company involvement
3. Access rights through a national site license?