Migration Announcement for all corporate SpringerLink users

Dear Colleague,

We would like to inform you that Springer is launching a new corporate platform, **Springer for R&D** (rd.springer.com). Springer for R&D hosts all content currently available on SpringerLink, but with a better user experience, facilitating finding your content easier and faster.

Access via our organizational license will be migrated to the new site shortly. In order to prepare you for this migration we would like to share some information with you.

Redirection and Linking:

Springer will redirect all users to Springer for R&D upon migration. Meaning that if you try to access any Springer content within our organization you will be redirected to rd.springer.com. So whether you find a Springer article on Google, via our catalogue or even using an old Springerlink direct url, you will be redirected to the article on rd.springer.com.

My SpringerLink:

If you have an individual account on SpringerLink, this will unfortunately not be migrated. You will have to go to rd.springer.com and set up a new profile. Make sure to do this while within the companies IP range as you will then be automatically associated to the companies access rights. Meaning that remote access to rd.springer.com is set up immediately.

Training:

To find out more on rd.springer.com features and functionalities we invite you to register for any of the following training dates and times:

- March 15
- April 5
- April 12
- April 23
- More trainings will be scheduled in May and June

In a 30-45 minute webinar we will show you all the highlights of the new site and some key functionalities. There will also be plenty of time to ask questions.

In case you have any questions please feel free to contact Springer's Online Service Desk via: <u>onlineservice@springer.com</u>

An extensive FAQ and future training dates can be found <u>here</u>.

Please let me know if you have any further questions with regards to the new platform or the migration.

Kind regards,

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