

Nubian Studies

A CASE STUDY IN SCHOLAR-LED OPEN ACCESS PUBLISHING

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**Instruction & Training
1312 (Mountain Side)**



UCSB Library presents Nubian studies scholar, punctum books co-director, and philologist Vincent W.J. van Gerven Oei.

Using the case of *Dotawo: A Journal for Nubian Studies*, van Gerven Oei will discuss how scholar-led open access

publishing can help launch fields of study that otherwise would not have adequate resources to establish themselves, because most publishers would consider the discipline too “small” and thus too risky to commit publishing resources. The journal has served as an incubator for a new, collaborative and inclusive approach to Nubian studies as an area of inquiry.

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