

OPEN ACCESS

& the Graduate Experience

Noon, Wednesday, April 8
Perry-Castañeda Library (2.500)

- *Why can't more people access my research?*
- *Why can't I access the research I need without paying for it?*
- *Why do I have to sign over my copyright when I publish?*
- *Why are journals charging big bucks for my university to buy back my research?*
- *What's in it for me?*



Nick Shockey — Director of Programs & Engagement for the Scholarly Publishing and Academic Resources Coalition (SPARC) and founding Director of the Right to Research Coalition — will discuss his work with student groups around the world and share concrete ideas for how graduate students at the university can advocate for increased access to the work they create through the creation of open access (OA) policies.

This event is free and open to the public. Food will be provided for attendees.

Please RSVP at: <http://ow.ly/KoPpy>

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