# Emerald – a creative approach to management publishing

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## Agenda



- 1. New launch programme
- 2. Impact of research
- 3. Social media
- 4. Usage
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- 6. New developments

#### Emerald – who we are



- World's leading scholarly publisher in Business and Management
- We publish research which makes a significant contribution to practice
- Formed 1967, independently owned, 200 employees
- Publishing offices in US, UK, China, India and Malaysia; sales/service offices in Canada, Dubai, Brazil, Japan, Poland and Australia
- 200+ peer reviewed journals (44 in ISI)
- 2000+ book series, e-books, stand-alone volumes

## 1. Sustained new launch programme



- New journals: subjects include:
  - Climate change and sustainability
  - Responsible leadership
  - Accounting in emerging economies
  - Humanitarian logistics
  - Sports, business and management
  - Social marketing

## Regional management studies



- African Journal of Economics and Management Studies
- Baltic Journal of Management
- Chinese Management Studies
- EuroMed Journal of Business
- Journal of Asia Business Studies
- Journal of Indian Business Research
- Nankai Business Review International
- Management Research: The Journal of the Ibero-American Academy of Management

## Coverage



Research you can use



## Regional publishing resources



- Editor/author Support Executive based in Beijing office
- Publishing Relationship Manager based in Delhi office
- Chinese language website http://china.emeraldinsight.com
- Author guides for Chinese and African authors
- Active programme of publishing workshops, delivered in CEE, China, India, Africa and Latin America
- Regional awards programme

## 2. Impact of research



- Conventional impact is measured through citation
- Emerald encourages authors to measure the impact of their research on a much wider scale



## Why do we care about impact?



- We have a long-standing Publishing Philosophy:
  - bridging the gap between theory and practice
  - rigour and relevance
  - making the world better managed
  - Research You Can Use
- How can we publish business and management research without caring about the impact on the wider world?
- Demonstrates our belief in the value of academic research to the broader social environment

#### 3. Social media



### We are actively involved with:

- Journal special issues that incorporate multimedia
- Online communities: Emerald InTouch
- Blogs
- Twitter feeds





## ResearchUCanUse

That's you!



citation data - good, bad or ugly? --> RT @timeshighered 'Publish or perish' culture distorting research results http://bit.ly/bH1OUz

10:12 AM Apr 23rd via web

BBC news picks up History of PR conference organised by J of Comm Mgt deputy ed http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/education/8634442.stm

11:41 AM Apr 22nd via web

Happy #earthday 40th! Free access to International Journal of Climate Change Strategies and Management until 20 May http://tiny.cc/63w89

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Following





- 60,000+ articles online, over 110 years of content
- Digitized archive going back to 1890s
- 20 million downloads in 2009
  - >1½ million articles are downloaded each month on average
  - 1 article every 3 seconds!
- 2/3 of customer usage occurs outside the UK

## Why are downloads important?

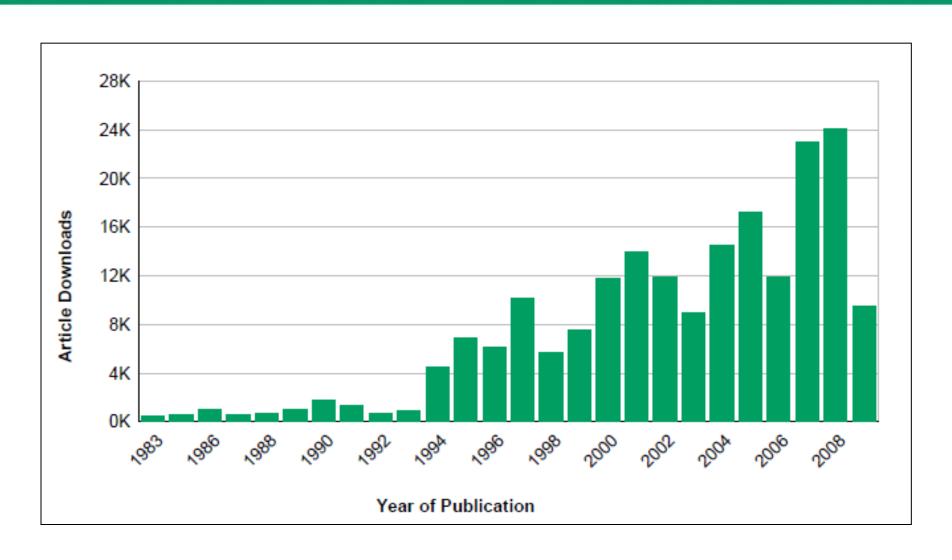


- Fit with accreditation bodies such as AACSB and funding-related bodies such as RAE who look for metrics
- COUNTER compliant meet industry standards
- Give a broad view of readership
- Contributes to academic debate on importance of downloads as measure of utility – we think usage is just as important as citations
- We work on UKSG's Usage Factor project

## International Marketing Review Usage in 2009 from all volumes



Research you can use



- More than 30,000 authors worldwide are members of our Literati network
- Authors' Charter uniquely provides authors with a range of benefits and sets out levels of service
- Outstanding Doctoral Research Awards
- Annual Awards for Excellence, e.g. with CEEMAN
- Regional awards: Baltic, EuroMed zone, China, India, Brazil, Africa
  - encouraging regional research and bridging the gap between different traditions of scholarship

## 6. New developments



- Traditionally a business and management publisher
- Following a 2008 acquisition of books now focused on growing in the social sciences
- Education and Sociology identified as the growth areas for development
- As a result we launched Emerald EducationPlus and SociologyPlus



Emerald's premium and most comprehensive journal and book series collection

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financial reporting methods.



## Any questions?



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