

## UKRAINE IS THE NEWEST MEMBER OF THE ISSN NETWORK

The ISSN International Centre is pleased to announce the opening of the 91<sup>st</sup> National Centre in the ISSN Network in Kyiv, Ukraine. Starting March 11<sup>th</sup>, the ISSN National Centre for Ukraine is our newest registration agency under the authority granted by the International Organization for Standardization, ISO, to the ISSN International Centre. The National Centre is hosted by the State Scientific Institution "Ivan Fedorov Book Chamber of Ukraine".

Dr. Gaëlle Béquet, Director of the ISSN International Centre states that "After several years of discussion, I am happy that the ISSN Network welcomes Ukraine as a new member country. I would like to acknowledge the unfailing involvement of Ms. Iryna Pogorelovska, the director of the new center, who has carried this project to its conclusion with her team. The ISSN International Center stands by the ISSN Ukraine to achieve a smooth transition for the benefit of the publishing, scholarly and library communities of this country."

Dr. Mykola Senchenko, the Director of the Book Chamber of Ukraine, said "The opening of the national ISSN center in Ukraine is a significant event for our state, which also celebrates the 30th anniversary of its independence. Many thanks to the ISSN International Center team for their high professionalism, close cooperation and good attitude along the way."

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