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Why?

- ✓ OJS is a journal management and publishing system that can also be used to publish course-based journals. It can be a great way to engage students in scholarly communications issues (e.g., peer review) but also in writing assignments for a broader audience
- ✓ It encourages students to produce high quality work
- ✓ It showcases work of previous cohorts to current students

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How I use it...

- ✓ Students submit their work, review each other's writing, and publish the revised results
- ✓ Each semester can be a new issue, or the top papers of each class can be published
- ✓ Submission, peer review, and editing is tracked online and therefore available to the instructor at any moment

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Get started...

- ✓ Go to <http://journals.sfu.ca/courses/> for some example course journals
- ✓ Contact Karen Meijer-Kline at the KPU Library to get started with your own course journal: karen.meijer-kline@kpu.ca