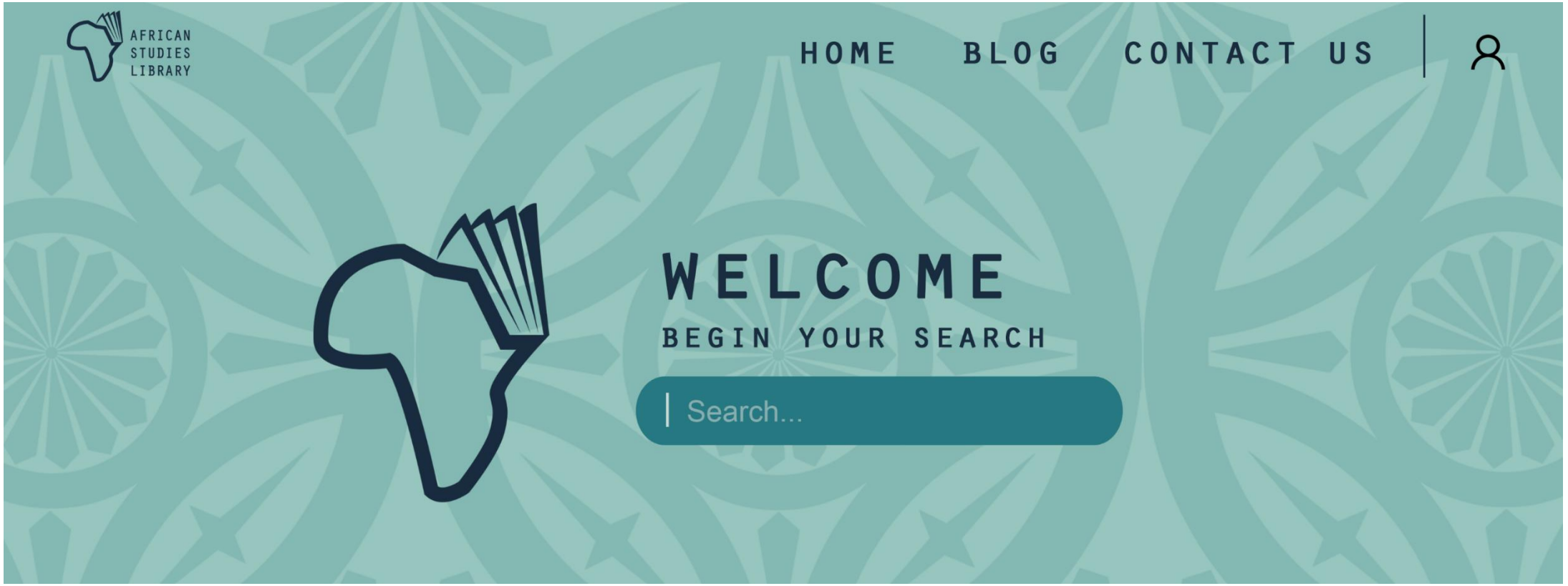


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# Introduction: Open Access Workshop

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LIBRARY

**The SIS African Studies**

Part of the German Research Foundation funded Specialised Information Services Programme (*Fachinformationsdienste* in German).

Located at the African Studies collections of the Goethe-University Library in Frankfurt since 2016.

A new portal, the African Studies Library, with integrated catalogue search and additional services has been launched in October 2022.

https://www.africanstudieslibrary.org/

AFRICAN STUDIES LIBRARY

**A three pronged approach**

1. Acquisition policy of buying only publishers based on the African continent.

2. Workshops and support for researchers, such as the African Studies Toolbox, as well as advocacy work around open access.

3. The African Studies Library portal as a new one-stop resource for researchers in African Studies.

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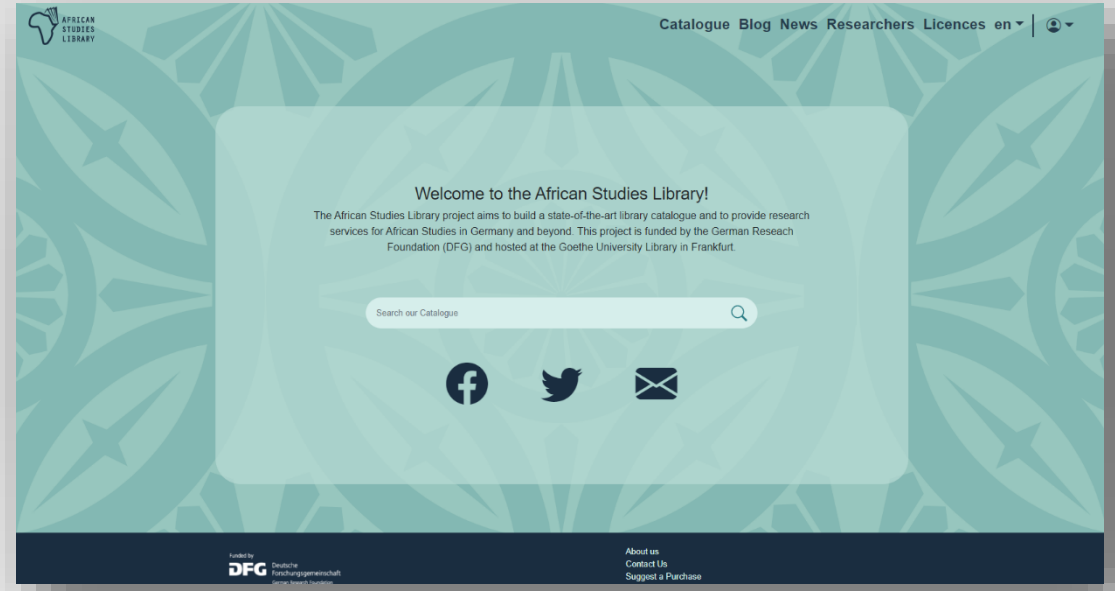
# Acquisition policy: African publishers only

This includes

- Books, E-Books
- Journals, E-Journals
- ”Grey” literature

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Booksellers and other distributors

African Books Collective

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# African Studies Toolbox

## The African Principles for Open Access

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## New open access books in African Studies

OPEN ACCESS

New open access books in African Studies from Routledge in partnership with Knowledge Unlatched.

## Open Access in African Studies

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The Open Access Network has a new information page on Open Access in African Studies

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