



# ORGANIZATION FOR TRANSFORMATIVE WORKS

## What is the Organization for Transformative Works (OTW)?

The otw is a nonprofit organization created and run by fans. Our projects are dedicated to preserving, protecting, and advocating for fan culture and fanworks.

## What are our projects?

### Fanlore

Fanlore is an open-source wiki project run by fans which documents and collects fandom history and knowledge. Visit us at [fanlore.org](http://fanlore.org).

### Legal advocacy

The otw's legal committee works to provide legal assistance for fans, to advise on copyright law, and protect and defend fanworks from commercial exploitation and legal challenge. Visit us at [transformativeworks.org/projects/legal](http://transformativeworks.org/projects/legal).

### Open Doors

Open doors provides a home for endangered fan archives and fan collections, online and off. Visit us at [opendoors.transformativeworks.org](http://opendoors.transformativeworks.org).

### The Archive of Our Own (AO3)

Named one of time magazine's 50 best websites in 2013, AO3 is a multi-fandom fanwork archive run by and for fans. For fanfic, fanart, fanvids, podfic, and more, visit us at [archiveofourown.org](http://archiveofourown.org).

### Transformative Works and Cultures

TWC is an international, peer-reviewed journal of fandom studies, supplemented by the pop culture media blog fanhackers. Visit us at [journal.transformativeworks.org](http://journal.transformativeworks.org).

## How can I get involved?

The otw is always in need of support and volunteers! To find out more, visit [transformativeworks.org](http://transformativeworks.org), and click on "how you can help."

## Where can I follow you for updates?

Find us on social media!

Tumblr, G+, and Facebook: [transformativeworks](http://transformativeworks)

Twitter: [@otw\\_news](https://twitter.com/otw_news), [@fanlore\\_news](https://twitter.com/fanlore_news), [@ao3org](https://twitter.com/ao3org), and [@ao3\\_status](https://twitter.com/ao3_status)

Dreamwidth and Livejournal: [otw\\_news](http://otw_news)

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