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Second Quarter Fiscal 2015 Earnings Update

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Performance Summary

<i>(millions)</i>	Q2 2015	Q2 2014	Change	Change (ex-FX)
Revenue	\$477.0	\$449.2	6%	6%
Adjusted Operating Income*	\$76.0	\$70.3	8%	10%
Adjusted EPS*	\$0.90	\$0.84	7%	8%

- **Q2 Revenue of \$477 million (+6% at constant currency)**
 - Growth fueled by journals (subscriptions +2% plus \$10M for a backfile license) and digital solutions in Education and Professional Development
 - 60% of revenue from digital and services (vs. 53% in the prior year period)
- **Q2 Adjusted Operating Income of \$76 million (+10% growth at constant currency)**
 - Increase driven by revenue growth and cost savings from restructuring
 - Continued investment in Technology, Talent Solutions and Education Services
- **Q2 Adjusted EPS of \$0.90 (+8% growth at constant currency)**
- **YTD Revenue (\$914.9 million, or +5%) and EPS (\$1.46, or +8%) tracking to full year guidance**

Research

<i>(millions)</i>	Q2 2015	Q2 2014	% of Revenue	Change (excluding FX)
Journal Subscriptions	\$168.3	\$164.1	64%	2%
Funded Access	\$5.1	\$3.9	2%	30%
Other Journal Revenue	\$36.4	\$23.5	14%	55%
Total Research Communication	\$209.8	\$191.5	79%	9%
Print Books	\$26.8	\$31.1	10%	(14%)
Digital Books	\$10.0	\$9.4	4%	6%
Total Books and References	\$36.8	\$40.5	14%	(9%)
Other Research Revenue	\$18.2	\$21.0	7%	(13%)
TOTAL REVENUE	\$264.8	\$252.9	100%	5%
ADJUSTED CONTRIBUTION TO PROFIT (CTP)*	\$78.8	\$73.1		9%

- Journal Subscriptions revenue continuing to steadily grow at low single-digit rates
- Complementary Funded Access also steadily growing at strong double-digit rates
- Large backfile license (\$10M in recorded revenue) signed with a national consortium in Europe
- As of November 30, CY14 journal subscriptions were up 1.8% with nearly all business closed
- Higher CTP driven by revenue growth
- Research journal organization structure simplified; Research books to align with Professional Development for synergies

Professional Development

<i>(millions)</i>	Q2 2015	Q2 2014	% of Revenue	Change (excluding FX)
Print Books	\$52.7	\$59.8	50%	(12%)
Digital Books	\$14.5	\$13.9	14%	3%
Online Test Preparation and Certification	\$5.5	\$4.3	5%	30%
Other Knowledge Services	\$6.5	\$5.9	6%	10%
Total Knowledge Services	\$79.2	\$84.0	75%	(6%)
Assessment	\$15.2	\$8.6	14%	78%
Online Learning and Development	\$11.3		11%	
Total Talent Solutions	\$26.4	\$8.6	25%	209%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$105.7	\$92.5	100%	14%
ADJUSTED CONTRIBUTION TO PROFIT (CTP)*	\$9.7	\$9.6		2%

- Revenue growth from Talent Solutions acquisitions, Online Test Preparation (+30%) and post-hire assessment (+9%) more than offset Books decline (-9%)
- Talent Solutions reflects three months of revenue for both CrossKnowledge and Profiles International (\$17M); CrossKnowledge temporarily reported on 2-month lag
- Percentage of revenue from Print Books at 50% compared to 65% in the prior year period; Talent Solutions now 25% of overall segment revenue
- Adjusted CTP rose 2% with restructuring savings offset by dilutive impact of Talent Solutions acquisitions

Education

<i>(millions)</i>	Q2 2015	Q2 2014	% of Revenue	Change (excluding FX)
Print Textbooks	\$41.8	\$45.2	39%	(6%)
Digital Books	\$8.5	\$9.4	8%	(10%)
Total Books	\$50.2	\$54.6	47%	(7%)
Custom Products	\$16.4	\$14.8	15%	11%
Course Workflow Solutions (WileyPLUS)	\$18.4	\$15.9	17%	16%
Education Services (Deltak)	\$19.7	\$16.6	19%	19%
Other Education Revenue	\$1.8	\$1.9	2%	(4%)
TOTAL REVENUE	\$106.5	\$103.7	100%	3%
ADJUSTED CONTRIBUTION TO PROFIT (CTP)*	\$19.5	\$22.4		(11%)

- Strong revenue growth in Education Services, Course Workflow Solutions, and Custom Products partially offset by decline in Books
- Books revenue year-to-date increased 1%
- Education Services (Deltak) revenue up 19%
 - University of Birmingham signed as first European partner (11th largest university in the UK)
 - Total count of 37 partners and 181 programs
- CTP decline driven by incremental investment in Education Services

Shared Services Costs

<i>(millions spent)</i>	Q2 2015	Q2 2014*	Change (excluding FX)
Distribution and Operation Services	\$22.4	\$25.3	(12%)
Technology and Content Management	\$59.5	\$59.8	(1%)
Finance	\$12.8	\$13.5	(5%)
Other Administration	\$27.8	\$25.2	10%
Total	\$122.5	\$123.8	(1%)

- Distribution and Operation Services cost reduction driven by restructuring savings, including a more variable cost structure to track with declining print volumes
- Technology (excluding Content Management) increased 7% for the quarter and 9% year-to-date
- Full year Technology spend still expected to increase by roughly 10% over prior year
- Higher Other Administration reflects added operating costs of acquisitions

Other Updates

Research Reorganization

- Consolidation of all journal-related products and services to enable sharper focus on managing the full journal portfolio
- Books-related portion of Research will be supported by Professional Development to achieve operating synergies

Third Quarter Restructuring Charge

- Roughly half related to the completion of facility consolidations and dispositions in connection with prior restructuring actions
- Charge will also include severance costs for reorganization and portfolio consolidation plans, primarily in Research and books
- Total expected charge of approximately \$18 million

Balance Sheet and Cash Flow

Balance Sheet (<i>millions</i>)	As of 10/31/14	As of 10/31/13
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$198.9	\$149.7
Debt	\$799.5	\$647.9
Net Debt	\$600.6	\$498.2
Net Debt to EBITDA (ttm)	1.4	1.6

Free Cash Flow (<i>millions</i>)	1H 2015	1H 2014
Net Income	\$87.4	\$72.1
Operating Cash Flow	(\$94.1)	(\$66.5)
Capex (Technology)	(\$29.6)	(\$26.2)
Composition spending	(\$16.9)	(\$19.3)
Free Cash Flow	(\$140.7)	(\$112.0)
Selected Uses of Cash		
Acquisitions	(\$172.1)	(\$0.7)
Dividends	(\$34.4)	(\$29.3)
Share Repurchases	(\$41.5)	(\$18.5)

- Low leverage continues to provide flexibility for investment and return of capital
- Higher cash use principally due to higher annual incentive compensation payments (paid in Q1 for prior year performance) and payments related to restructuring
- Repurchased 532K shares in Q2 @ \$55.19 per share (\$29.4M). 733K shares year-to-date @ \$56.70 (\$41.5M)

Summary and Looking Ahead

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- **Reaffirming full year guidance:**
 - Mid-single-digit revenue growth
 - EPS in a range of \$3.25 to \$3.35

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