Beyond Social Sciences

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Collections

Audience
- Behavioural sciences (834)
- Geospatial sciences (29)
- Humanities (26343)
- Life sciences and medicine (202)
- Social sciences (2284)
- Socio-cultural sciences (3357)

Access
- Open (12358)
- Restricted ('archaeology' group) (9680)
- Restricted (request permission) (3028)
- Other (309)
Building a bridge Together

Supporting data curation through the front office / back office model

The data centers DANS and 3TU. Datacentre aim to improve their services by creating a front office / back office model together with the universities. The recent cooperation between Leiden University Libraries and DANS and 3TU. Datacentre provides the first use case of this new model. This case shows that by cooperating, we build an efficient and solid infrastructure that supports data sharing now and in the future.

Benefits for researchers

- Researchers benefit from increased data curation knowledge at FO
- Researchers have better access to sustainable storage of their data
- Researchers gain time by engaging in data management in an early stage

Benefits for front office (FO)

- FO benefits from data storage facilities at BO
- FO benefits from BO’s knowledge on data curation
- FO supports library’s mission to be a partner in research

Benefits for back office (BO)

- BO benefits from well trained FO contact persons for researchers
- BO benefits from direct contact with their target group through FO
- BO acquires more data that are better prepared for archiving and reuse
Welcome at the website of our course Data Intelligence 4 Librarians designed by 3TU.Datacentrum and DANS. The website provides general information, as well as the reference materials which accompanies the 4 modules of the course. The materials are available for anyone who is interested in the course.

**The course in brief**

**What will you learn?**

During the course you will acquire knowledge about ways in which research data can be prepared for storage, archived and (re)used. After the course you will have gained understanding about the meaning of research

**Mission**

The course Data Intelligence 4 Librarians wants to contribute to the professionalisation

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The Dutch Data Prize
Cooperation on dissemination and preservation
Linking EASY and Questasy
Question Bank Cultural Changes
Collections in The Netherlands about the Second World War
Veteran tapes project – Enhanced publication
Two Lines English.
Digital Collaboratory for Cultural Dendrochronology (DCCD)
Project Health care data

Taken from http://www.vergelijkenzorgverzekering.org
Different disciplines, different metadata standards, different policies, different workflows ......