
TDL Forum

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2013



Agenda

- Welcome and introductions
- Updates
 - Texas Conference on Digital Libraries
 - Member Visits
 - Data Management
 - Governing Board meeting
 - New staff announcement
 - DuraCloud update
- Discussion: Faculty Outreach

2014 Texas Conference on Digital Libraries

Dates: April 28-29

Place: AT&T Executive Education and Conference Center in
Austin

Program includes:

Dan Cohen (Digital Public Library of America)

Karen Coyle (Digital Libraries consultant)

Linked Data Post-Conference Workshop led by Karen Coyle

The Call for Proposals
has been posted!

More information:

<https://conferences.tdl.org/tcdl/>



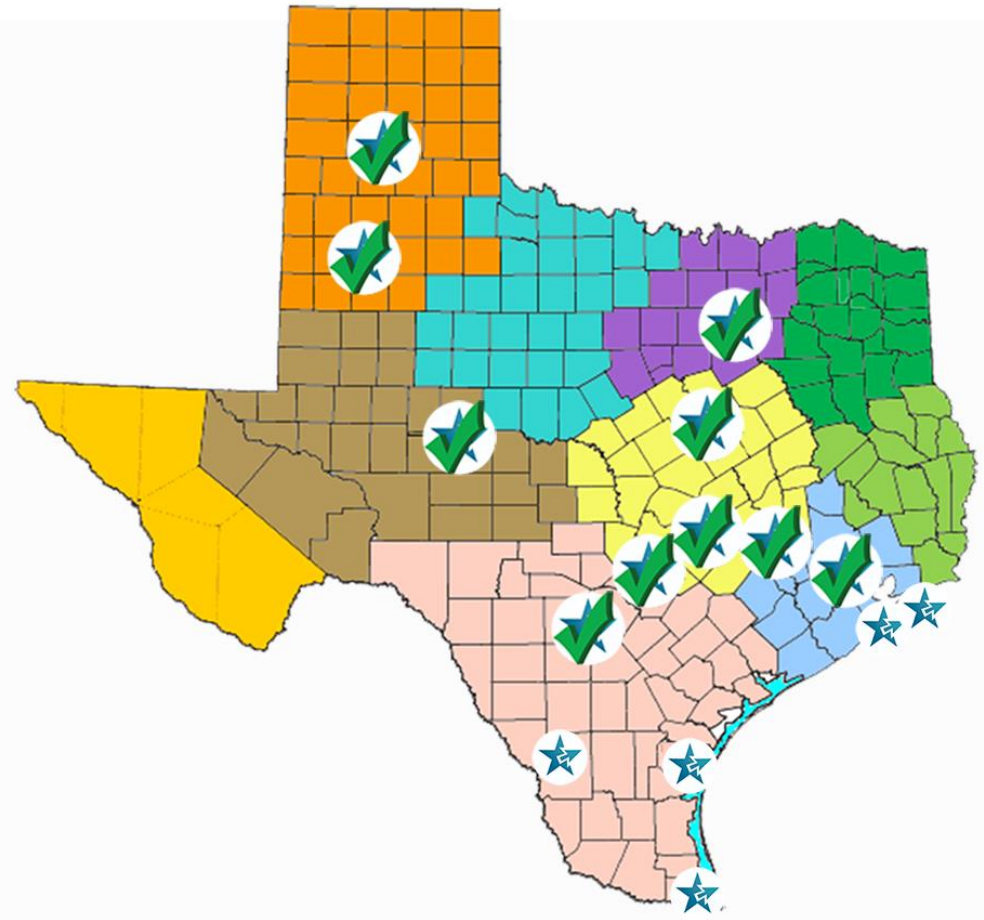
Member Visits

Galveston – November 20-22

- Texas A&M at Galveston
- UTMB Galveston

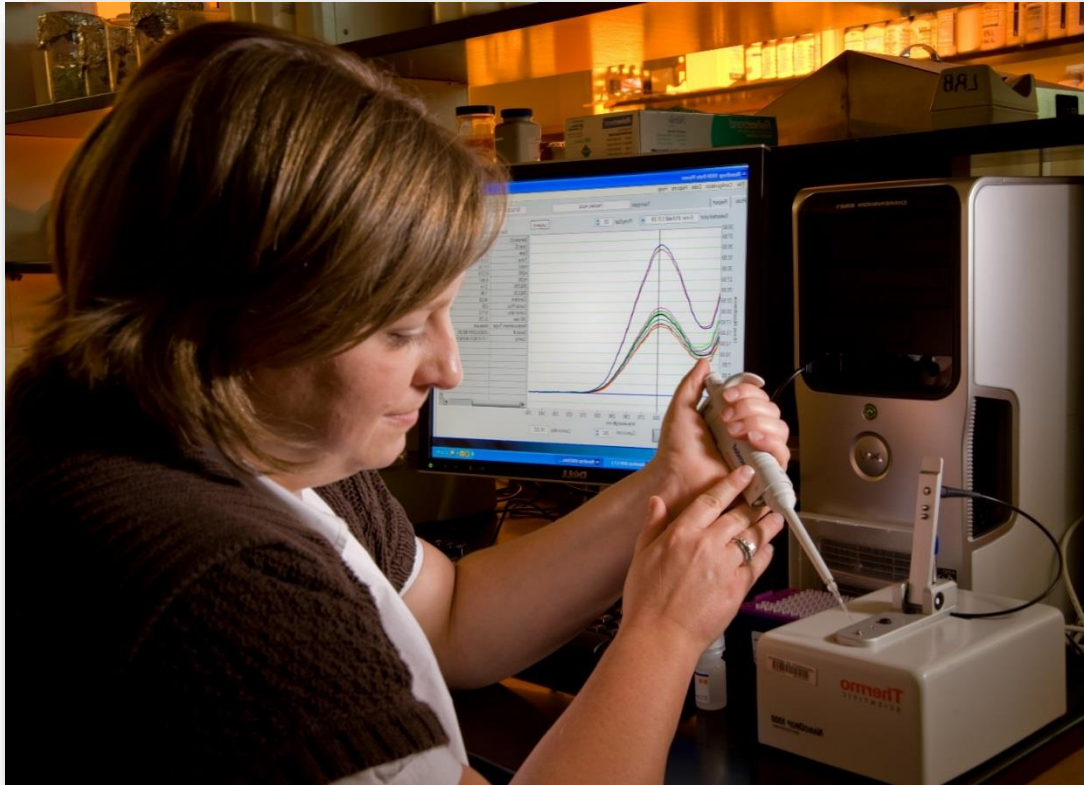
South Texas – December 2-5

- Texas A&M-Corpus Christi
- Texas A&M International
- UT Brownsville



Data Management Working Group

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Kick-off Meeting on December 12

Members

- **Bruce Herbert**, PhD, Director Digital Services & Scholarly Communication, Texas A&M
- **Maria Esteva**, PhD, Research Associate/Data Archivist, Texas Advanced Computing Center
- **Colleen Lyon**, Digital Repository Librarian, UT Austin
- **Debra Hanken Kurtz**, Executive Director, TDL
- **Christie Peters**, Science Research Support Librarian, University of Houston
- **Ryan Steans**, Director of Operations, TDL
- **Joseph Tan**, Manager, Digital Services & Technology, UT Southwestern Medical Library
- **Megan Toups**, Instruction/Liaison Librarian, Trinity University

CLIR report released November 14:

[Research Data Management: Principles, Practices, and Prospects.](#)

Governing Board Update

The TDL Governing Board met on November 18 in Austin.

- Installed new member: Diane Graves, Trinity University
- Selected new officer: Joan Heath, Texas State University (Secretary-Treasurer)
- Endorsed strategic directions of the TDL: data management, preservation

TDL Governing Board

- **David Carlson**, Dean, Texas A&M University Libraries
- **Don Dyal**, Dean of Libraries, Texas Tech University Libraries
- **Douglas Ferrier**, Director of the Killam Library, Texas A&M International University (2012-2015)
- **Diane Graves**, Assistant Vice President for Information Resources and University Librarian, Trinity University (2013-2016)
- **Fred Heath**, Vice Provost, University of Texas at Austin Libraries
- **Joan Heath**, Associate Vice President University Library, Texas State University (2011-2014)
- **Dana Rooks**, Dean of Libraries, University of Houston

Welcome, Gad!

- Gad Krumholz
- Senior Software Engineer
- Started November 7
- First project: DuraCloud



Preservation Update

- **Testing DuraCloud functionality** with real content from Baylor (and soon: Houston)
- Investigating advantages of **implementation within Texas** (i.e. at the Texas Advanced Computing Center)





Questions?

Discussion: Faculty Outreach

- Challenges
- Strategies