



Launching the Texas Data Repository

How to Implement TDR at Your Institution

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Today's agenda

1. Background of the Texas Data Repository
2. Capabilities of Dataverse
3. How the Service Works
4. Local Implementation
5. Wrap Up & Questions

Part 1: Background



The **Texas Digital Library** is a consortium of Texas higher education institutions that **builds capacity** for preserving, managing, and providing access to unique digital collections of enduring value.

Goals for TDR:

Provide infrastructure (and other) support that will help ***researchers***:

- **comply** with funding mandates
- receive greater **recognition** for research data and researchers (DOIs, discoverability)
- produce **better research** (more reproducible, more efficient)

Goals for TDR (cont.):

Provide infrastructure (and other) support that will help *libraries*:

- Become an integral part of the Research Data Lifecycle.
- Provide services at whatever level they are able
- Benefit from collaborative infrastructure/management and mutual support.
- Showcase institutional collections of research data



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Lyon (UT Austin); Jeremy
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Christie Peters, Santi
Thompson (UH); Kristi Park,
Ryan Steans (TDL)

TDL Data Management Working Group

Charge: Help the TDL determine what kinds of data management services it could provide at a consortial level.

- Develop criteria
- Evaluate proposed projects
- Investigate issues
- Document findings
- Make recommendations for services

TDL Dataverse Implementation Working Group

Charge: Pilot test, assess, and launch a consortial repository for research data archiving and management.

Members; Denyse Rodgers (Baylor); Bruce Herbert, Sean Buckner, Wendi Kaspar, Cecilia Smith (TAMU); Ray Uzwyshyn, Todd Peters (Texas State); Christopher Starcher (Texas Tech); Jeremy Donald (Trinity); Kristi Park, Ryan Steans, Nick Lauland, Laura Waugh (TDL)

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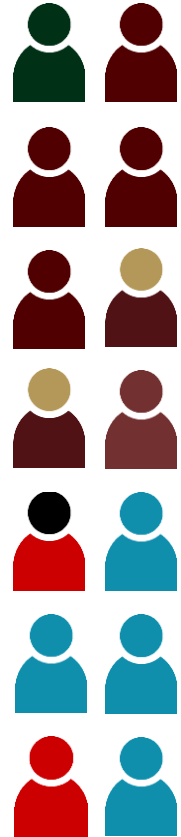
Working
Group
members

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TDL member
institutions

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Group timeline

- September 2015: **Working Group formed**
- April -May 2016: **Repository Pilot Project**
- September 2016: **Soft Launch**
- November 15-16: **Data Symposium/TDR training**
- December 2016: **Formal Launch**

Search the Texas Data Repository

FIND



Add a Dataset



Create a Dataverse



Explore Data
Repository



Learn More



Get Help

Publish and Track Your Data, Discover and Reuse Others' Data!

POWERED BY

Dataverse 

Texas Data Repository

- Centrally hosted, collectively managed
- Built in open-source Dataverse
- *De-identified data only*

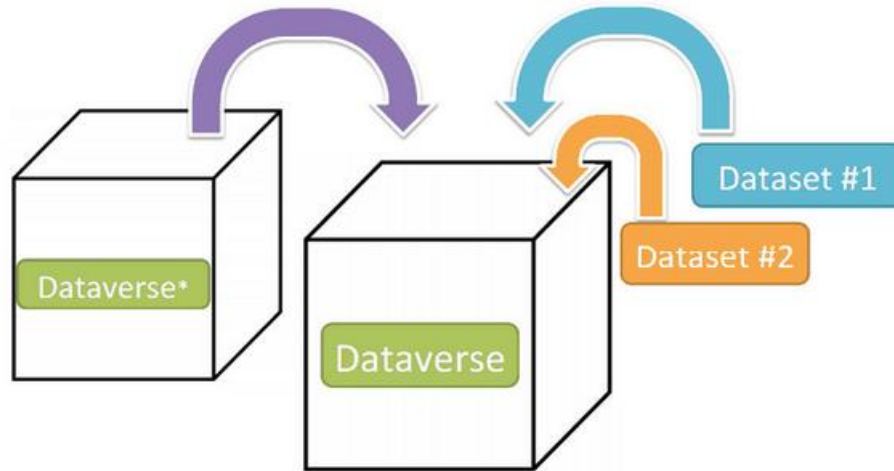
Part 2: Capabilities of Dataverse

Benefits Overview

- Data storage and sharing
- Data versioning
- Permissions and Terms of Use
- Measuring impact and tracking use
- Discipline-based metadata schema
- Data visualization

Dataverse and Datasets

Schematic Diagram of a **Dataverse** in Dataverse 4.0



Container for your **Datasets** and/or **Dataverses***

* Dataverses can now contain other Dataverses (this replaces Collections & Subnetworks)

Texas Data Repository Dataverse

A statewide collaboration of Texas higher education institutions



Share, publish, and archive your data. Find and cite data across all research fields.

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Trinity University Dataverse



Working together to work wonders™

UT Medical Branch Dataverse



University of Texas Dataverse



Texas State University Dataverse



Search this dataverse...

 Find

[Advanced Search](#)

Add Data

Organize, publish, and archive

Share Data

Share data with trusted group

Version Data

Maintain multiple versions of data



John Doe Dataset Draft

Doe, John, 2016, "John Doe Dataset", <http://dx.doi.org/10.18738/T8/CI0DDX>, Texas Data Repository Dataverse, DRAFT VERSION

Download Citation

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Description

This is John Doe's dataset. This is an example of editing the metadata.

Subject

Arts and Humanities

Files

Metadata

Terms

Versions

View Differences



DRAFT

Citation Metadata: Description (1 Changed); [View Details](#)

John Doe

August 16, 2016



2.0

Files (Added: 1); Terms of Use/Access Changed; [View Details](#)

John Doe

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1.0

This is the first published version.

John Doe

August 15, 2016

Test GIS Dataset: Bikeways of College Station, TX

Smith, Cecilia, 2015, "Test GIS Dataset: Bikeways of College Station, TX", <http://dx.doi.org/10.5072/FK2/PQIEBO>, Texas Research Data Repository Dataverse, V3 [UNF:6:pPsX4Snp7wO7DoipwKaz8w==]

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Description

GIS shapefile of existing and proposed bike lanes and paths for the city of College Station, TX. The shapefile is composed of 7 files.

Subject

Social Sciences; Other

Keyword

GIS, Bikeways

Notes

This is a test GIS dataset. Originally produced by the city of College Station, it is now in the public domain and freely distributable

Files

Metadata

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Versions

Terms of Use ^

Waiver

Our [Community Norms](#) as well as good scientific practices expect that proper credit is given via citation. Please use the data citation above, generated by the Dataverse.

CC0 - "Public Domain Dedication"





Institute of Classical Archaeology Dataverse (University of Texas at Austin, Institute of Classical Archaeology)

Texas Data Repository Dataverse > Institute of Classical Archaeology Dataverse > **Spatial extents of ICA projects**



Spatial extents of ICA projects

Institute of Classical Archaeology, 2016, "Spatial extents of ICA projects", doi:10.18738/T8/ZGS0J3, Texas Data Repository Dataverse, V1

Cite Data

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Description

This dataset represents the rough location and spatial extents of ICA's field research projects carried out between 1974 and 2013 in the agricultural territories of Metaponto and Croton in southern Italy and Chersonesos in Crimea.

Subject

Arts and Humanities

Keyword

archaeology, archaeological survey, archaeological excavation, Classical Archaeology

Notes

This data layer was compiled from a variety of sources (at a wide range of scales and accuracies) over the course of 20 years. These data are only for reference and illustrative purposes, and should not be used for analysis.

John's Dataverse

[Texas Data Repository Dataverse](#) > [John's Dataverse](#) > **Create Dataset Guestbook**

Guestbook Name *

Data Collected

Dataverse account information that will be collected when a user downloads a file. Check the ones that will be required.

- ☒ Name
- ☒ Email
- ☒ Institution
- ☒ Position

Custom Questions

Create your own questions to have users provide more than their account information when they download a file. Questions can be required or optional and answers can be text or multiple choice.

Question Type

Text ▼

☐ Required field

Question Text

Why are you accessing my data?



Question Type

Multiple Choi ▼

Question Text

Are you having a good day?



Response Options

Yes! It's a wonderful day.



No...



☒ Required field

Create Dataset Guestbook

Cancel

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Citation Metadata

Dataset Persistent ID

doi:10.18738/T8/Q2IT68

Publication Date

2016-05-03

Title

Data from excavations of the Late Roman farmhouse at San Biagio

Author

Institute of Classical Archaeology (The University of Texas at Austin)

Contact

 Use email button above to contact.

Trelogan, Jessica (UT Libraries)

Description

This dataset includes raw field observation data from excavations at the farmhouse at San Biagio conducted by ICA in 1980 in addition to the results of study done in preparation for publication in *The Chora of Metaponto 4: The Late Roman Farmhouse at San Biagio*, published by UT Press in 2012. (1980)

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Arts and Humanities

Keyword

Late Roman
archaeology
Magna Grecia

Production Date

1980

Production Place

Metaponto, Italy

Depositor

Trelogan, Jessica

Deposit Date

2016-05-03

Kind of Data

field observations

Data Selection

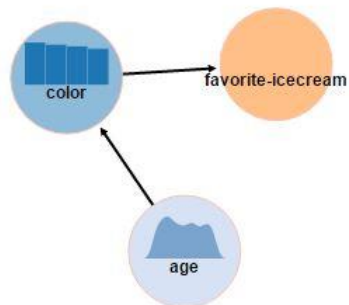
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Model Selection

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znormagee

poissonagee

Email TDL Dataverse Support



To The Chora of Croton Dataverse Contact

From Support@tdl.org

Subject *

Message *

Please fill this out to prove you are not a robot. *

3 + 5 =

Send Message

Cancel

Other Benefits

- Integration with OJS
- DOI and Citation Metadata Aggregated by SHARE
- APIs

Secure infrastructure

- Amazon Web Services
- Controlled Access
- Data back ups

Part 3: How the Service Works

Scope & Collecting policies

- Research data and products
- Any discipline; any file type
- Midsized-data set size
- Free of confidential or sensitive information

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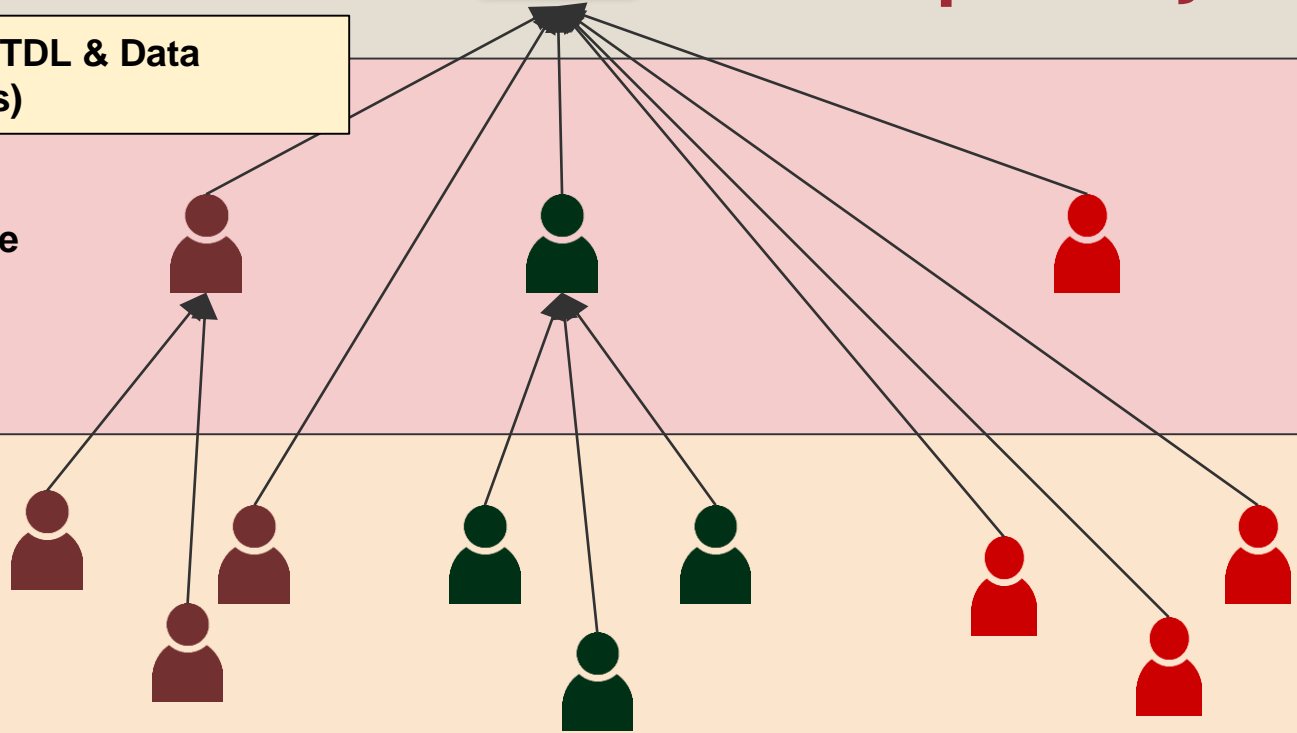


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**Researchers (deposit,
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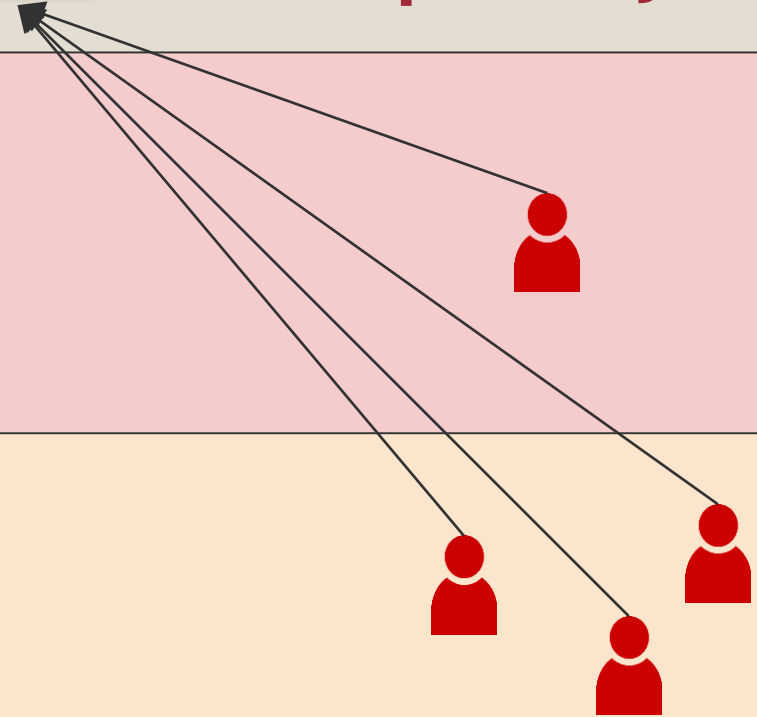


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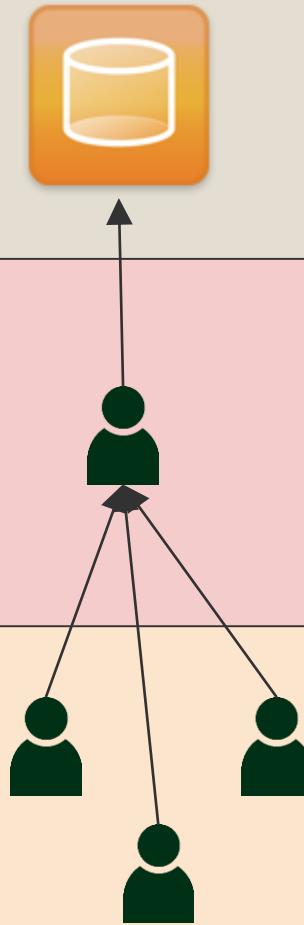


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Texas State University Dataverse



Texas A&M University Dataverse



Angelo State University
Dataverse



BAYLOR
UNIVERSITY
Baylor University Dataverse



Part 4: Implementation

Contracts and Cost

- Launch TDR under existing contracts with members, using an MOU to articulate the roles and responsibilities
- Member institutions must sign an MOU to use the repository in 2016-17
- No additional charge for use of the repository in the first year (2016-17)
- Limits on storage: 2GB per file and 10GB per project

Memorandum of Understanding

- **Purpose:** To clearly identify the roles and responsibilities of the member institution and Texas Digital Library (TDL) as they relate to the Texas Data Repository.
- **Definitions**
- **Roles & Responsibilities**
 - Member Institutions
 - Data Repository Librarians
 - Texas Digital Library
- **Ownership** (UT Austin as lead agency for TDL)
- **Signatures** (Library Administrator and Data Repository Librarian)

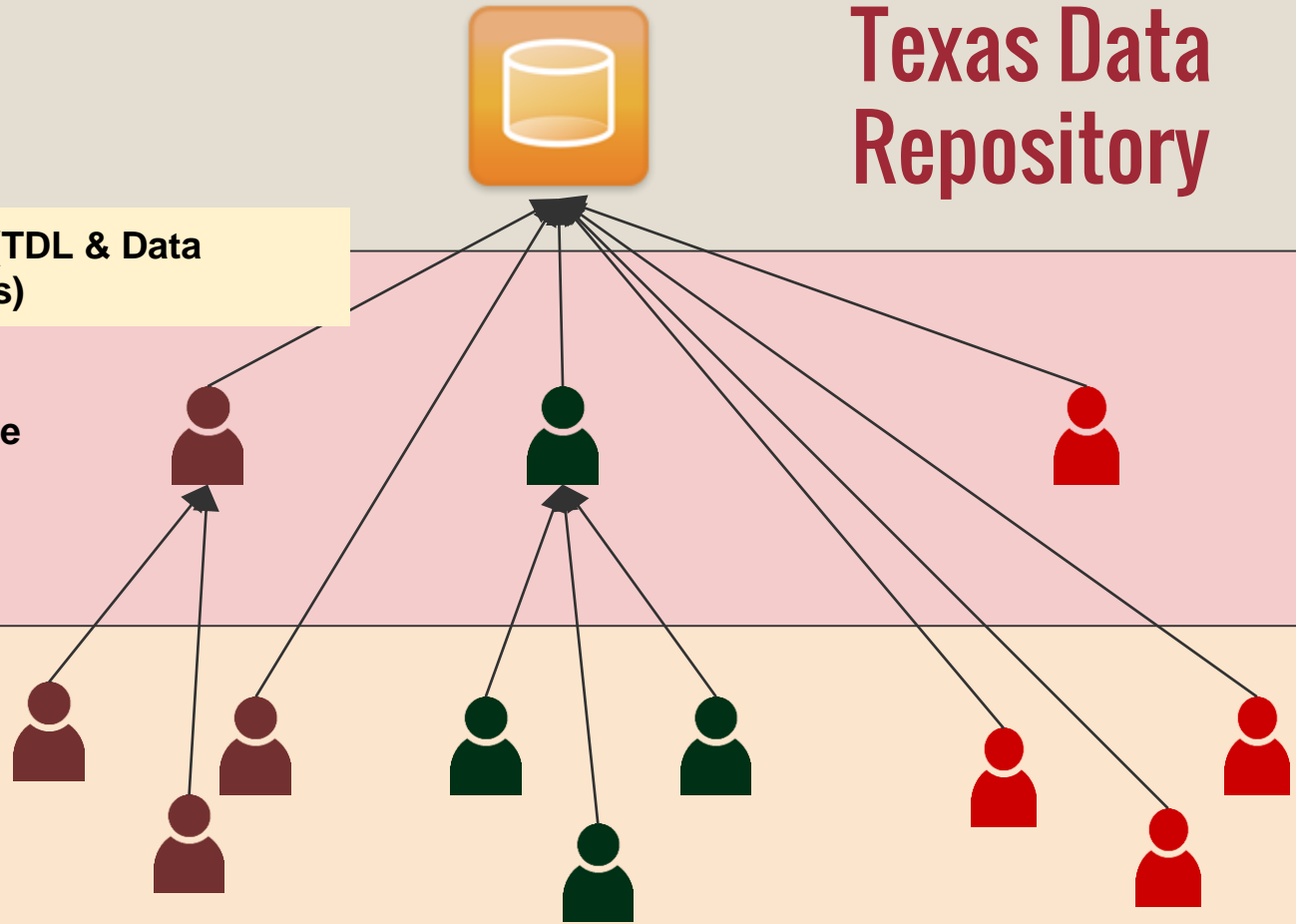
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TDL

- Technology implementation, hosting, backup
- Training & community development
- Coordination of steering committee
- Technical support (helpdesk)

Steering Committee: composed of Data Repository Librarians, provides advice and coordination of repository service

Member Libraries

- Identification of “Data Repository Librarian”
- Local Campus Outreach
- Communication with TDL on institutional requirements (e.g. liaise with campus IT)
- Establishment of relevant institutional policies

Data Repository Librarian

- Serve as local liaison for repository users (registry of local experts)
- Maintain institutional collections of data (i.e. an “institutional dataverse”)
- Serve on repository Steering Committee
- Optionally, “value added” services to campus researchers assisting with data curation, data management planning, etc.

Researchers

- Deposit, share, and/or publish data
- Maintain self-deposited research data
- Adhere to TDR Terms of Use

Authentication and User Accounts



Researchers/depositors will log in via local institutional accounts (via Shibboleth)

- Default permission to deposit, publish, create “dataverses” in:
 - Institutional dataverse
 - “Root” dataverse
 - *Not* other institution’s dataverses

Other types of user accounts

- **Data Repository Librarians** will log in via specially created accounts.
- Researchers can invite **non-affiliated researchers** to create accounts for sharing/collaboration. These user accounts do not have deposit permissions by default.

Repository Training

- TDL Data Symposium (November 15-16)
- December webinar
- User guide (<http://data.tdl.org/user-guide/>)

Part 5: Wrapping Up

More information

Texas Data Repository Website

Information Sheets

- Info Sheet For Researchers: <http://data.tdl.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/09/Researcher-Information-Sheet.pdf>
- Info Sheet For Librarians: <http://data.tdl.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/09/Librarian-Information-Sheet.pdf>
- Info Sheet For Administrators: <http://data.tdl.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/09/Administrator-Information-Sheet.pdf>

Other information

- User guide: <http://data.tdl.org/user-guide/>
- Metadata dictionary: <http://data.tdl.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/09/TDR-Metadata-Dictionary.pdf>
- Policies (external): <http://data.tdl.org/policies/>

TDL Dataverse Implementation Working Group Report: <http://hdl.handle.net/2249.1/76364>

More information, cont.

November 2016: TDL Data Symposium

On November 15-16, 2016, the TDL will hold its first ever Data Symposium at Baylor University Libraries. The two-day Symposium is designed to support the development of a **core community of TDL member librarians** who provide (or intend to provide) research data services on their campuses. Along with opportunities to discuss and learn about research data management generally, the Symposium will offer a half-day training workshop on Dataverse and the Texas Data Repository service.

December 2016: Formal launch webinar

After working throughout the fall of 2016 to onboard and train participating libraries, the TDL will formally launch the Texas Data Repository in December with a press release and a second webinar for TDL members (date TBD).

Looking Ahead

- Digital preservation
- Integrating with other TDL Applications
- Including data into local discovery systems
- Accommodating “big” data
- Re-architecting to scale

Get started

- ✓ Contact the TDL to begin implementation for your institution (support@tdl.org).
- ✓ Get TDL in contact with relevant IT personnel to implement Shibboleth.
- ✓ Review the documentation on the Texas Data Repository site at <https://data.tdl.org>.
- ✓ Review and sign the TDR MOU.

Questions and Discussion

