



Three Days Workshop on Open Research Data Management

October 07-09, 2024



About INFLIBNET

The Information and Library Network (INFLIBNET) Centre, an autonomous Inter-University Centre (IUC) under the University Grants Commission (UGC) of India, plays a pivotal role in the modernization and digitalization of library services and scholarly communication across academic institutions in India. Established with the vision of leveraging information technology to enhance access to academic resources, the INFLIBNET Centre facilitates the sharing of library and information resources among universities and research institutions. Its initiatives, such as the Shodhganga repository for theses and dissertations, the e-ShodhSindhu consortium for access to e-resources, and the Vidwan/IRINS database of experts, are instrumental in promoting open access, research collaboration, and ensuring the seamless dissemination of scholarly knowledge. Through continuous innovation and strategic collaborations, INFLIBNET Centre significantly contributes to the academic and research landscape of India.

About DataCite

DataCite is a leading global organization dedicated to improving the discoverability, access, and reusability of research data. Founded in 2009, DataCite provides persistent identifiers (DOIs) for research data, enabling researchers to uniquely identify and reliably cite datasets in their publications. By offering a range of services and tools, DataCite supports the research community in managing and sharing data, ensuring that datasets are properly attributed and easily located. DataCite collaborates with data centers, repositories, and other stakeholders worldwide to create a robust infrastructure that enhances data sharing and fosters a culture of open science. Through its commitment to standardization and interoperability, DataCite plays a crucial role in promoting transparency, reproducibility, and innovation in research.

DataCite Global Access Fund

The DataCite Global Access Fund (GAF) is a strategic initiative designed to enhance the global accessibility and equitable distribution of research data resources. By providing financial support to institutions, especially in underrepresented regions, the GAF ensures that all researchers, regardless of their geographical location, have the tools and infrastructure necessary to effectively manage and share their data. This initiative aims to bridge the digital divide by facilitating the adoption of DataCite's services, promoting the use of persistent identifiers (DOIs) for datasets, and fostering a culture of open data sharing. Through the GAF, DataCite not only facilitates access to essential data management tools but also empowers institutions to contribute to the global research ecosystem, thus enhancing the discoverability, citation, and reuse of research data worldwide. The INFLIBNET Centre has been awarded funding in the Outreach category under DataCite Global Access Fund.

Programme Overview

Train-the-Trainer Programme on Research Data Management, supported by DataCite provides an opportunity to interact with like minded professionals working in the areas of Research Data Management. This programme is designed to equip educators, researchers, and information professionals with the knowledge and skills necessary to teach and implement effective research data management practices.

Programme Highlights

Comprehensive Training: Learn the latest trends and best practices in research data management.

Expert Instructors: Sessions led by experienced professionals and data management experts.

Interactive Workshops: Hands-on training with real-world data management scenarios will be given.

Certification: Participants will receive a certificate upon successful completion.

Major Topics Covered

- Introduction to Research Data Management (RDM)
- Data Management Plan

- Data Life Cycle Management
- Data Access Policy and FAIR Principles
- Data Curation and Metadata Standards
- Importance of Data Citation and Challenges PURLs and DOIs
- DataCite and DOI Integration with Research Data Repository
- Hands-on training in Cataloging a Dataset as well as Demonstration of Integration of DOI, Submission workflow of Data Repository etc.

Programme Details

Date: October 07-09, 2024

Venue: Information and Library Network Centre, Gandhinagar

Duration: Three Days

Target Audience

Open to educators, researchers, and library and information science professionals involved in research data management.

Registration Fee

Free registration, accommodation and local hospitality will be provided. Participants will be selected based on countrywide open survey. (includes training materials, lunch, and refreshments). The participant will have to bear travel expenses from their institute.

Why you should attend the Programme?

Enhance Your Skills: Gain advanced knowledge and practical skills in research data management.

Become an Ambassador and Trainer: Empower yourself to train others in your organization or community.

Networking Opportunities: Connect with peers and experts in the field of research data management.

Leverage DataCite Resources: Learn how to use DataCite tools to improve data discoverability and accessibility.

Particular	Date
Commencement of Survey for Participation	June 25, 2024
Submission deadline for Survey Participation	July 31, 2024
Notification for Selection	August 31, 2024
Registration for Participation (For Shortlisted/Selected Participants)	September 01, 2024
Deadline for Registration	September 21, 2024
Programme Date	October 07-09, 2024

How to Register

Visit our website at <https://hrd.inflibnet.ac.in/DataCite-GAF/train-the-training.php>

Complete the online Survey.

Survey Deadline: July 31, 2024

The result of the selection will be displayed in the user's Dashboard.

How to Reach

Road Routes: Gandhinagar is connected to Surat, Mumbai, and Navi Mumbai through National Highway 8A. It is connected to Ahmedabad, Jaipur, Udaipur, New Delhi & Chandigarh through the National Highway 8C.

Air Connectivity: The nearest airport is Sardar Vallabhbhai International Airport, Ahmedabad located at a distance 15KM from Domestic flights are available for the Metropolitans and other major cities of India. It also provides many International flights from Ahmedabad to across world.

Rail Connectivity: The nearest Railway Station is Ahmedabad Railway Station (Known as Kalupur) which is connected to all metropolitans and other major cities of India. The Ahmedabad Railway station is located at a distance 23 Km from the INFLIBNET Centre, Gandhinagar.



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