Welcome to the Research Data Management Service Group’s February Newsletter

Comprehensive Data Management Planning & Services

This month we’re focusing on data-related training happening on campus this Spring. Consider registering for an upcoming workshop or requesting training for your course, staff, or department.

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Cornell Day of Data

The event was held in the afternoons of Jan 27-28 and was an opportunity for the Cornell research community to come together to share and learn about working with research data. For those who missed it, check out the highlights and recordings in this month’s spotlight.

Upcoming spring semester workshops

Are you interested in offering data-related training for your students, staff, or department? Not sure which training to request? Take a look at our menu of options to see what types of training we offer. See available training and workshops happening this spring semester in this month’s news item.

Reproducible Research Techniques for Synthesis immersion course

Registration is now open for the intensive, five-day “Reproducible Research Techniques for Synthesis” immersion course offered by NCEAS, the National Center for Ecological Analysis and Synthesis. The course will
take place on February 18-19, 22-24 virtually. Learn more and register. Capacity is limited. Register now to secure your place.

Sarah Fine Institute Lecture
Join the Sara Fine Institute at the University of Pittsburgh on February 5, 2021, at 1 pm for a virtual talk by Sarah Williams (MIT) titled “Data Action: Using Data for a Public Good”. Please register for this event. A Zoom link and login information will be emailed once you register for the lecture.

Data Mishaps Night
Join us for the first inaugural Data Mishaps Night on February 5 at 7 pm CST. Featuring a lineup of data mistake stories with a focus on the human aspect of data work and lessons learned the hard way. Learn more.

A symposium on Indigenous Data Sovereignty
Laurier’s Office of Indigenous Initiatives is holding a symposium on Indigenous Data Sovereignty on 10 Feb, 2 pm to 4 pm ET, online. This is a free public event, but registration is required.

LabArchives LoveYourDataWeek
Join us for our weeklong series of events dedicated to helping you improve the organization of your data while taking steps towards better overall data management through the LabArchives Research Notebook. Training will run from February 8-11. Learn more.

ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research
The ICPSR Summer Program offers over 100 scholarships to students from many different fields of social science research. These scholarships enable students to take our courses in statistics, data analysis, and quantitative methods. Learn more.

NIH Released a New Policy for Data Management and Sharing
NIH has released the Final NIH Policy for Data Management and Sharing which requires NIH-funded researchers to prospectively submit a plan outlining how scientific data will be managed and shared. Learn more.
RDMSG consultants are available year-round to answer questions and help with data-related problems. We can meet chat via Zoom, email, or phone. Send a request to rdmsg-help@cornell.edu to arrange a consultation at a time that works for you.

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