

Welcoming DataverseLV to the community (and how to navigate it!)

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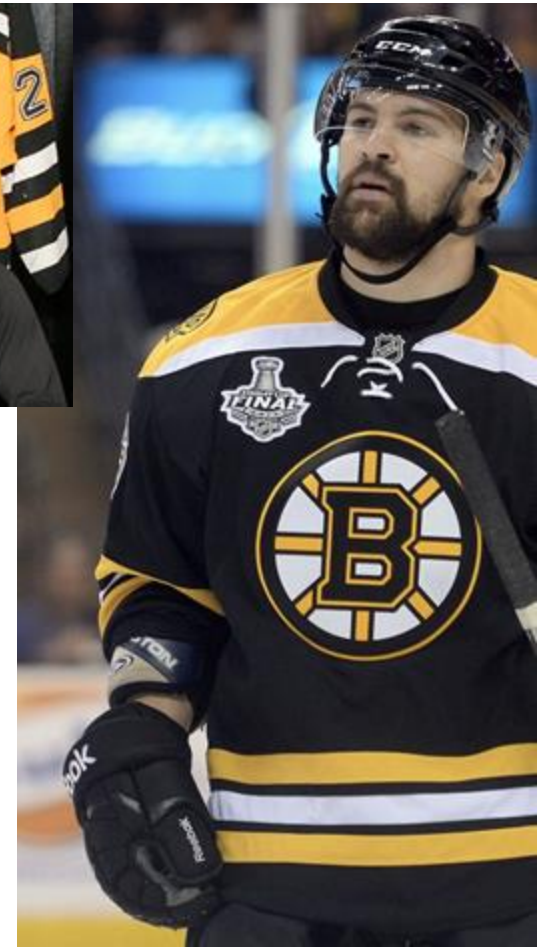
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NAISH meeting in Kaunas

The opening of the Nordic-Baltic Dataverse Hub



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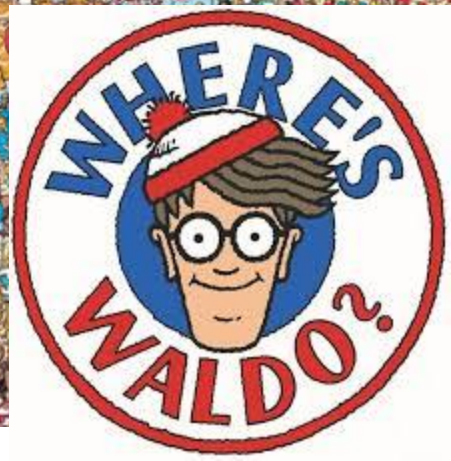
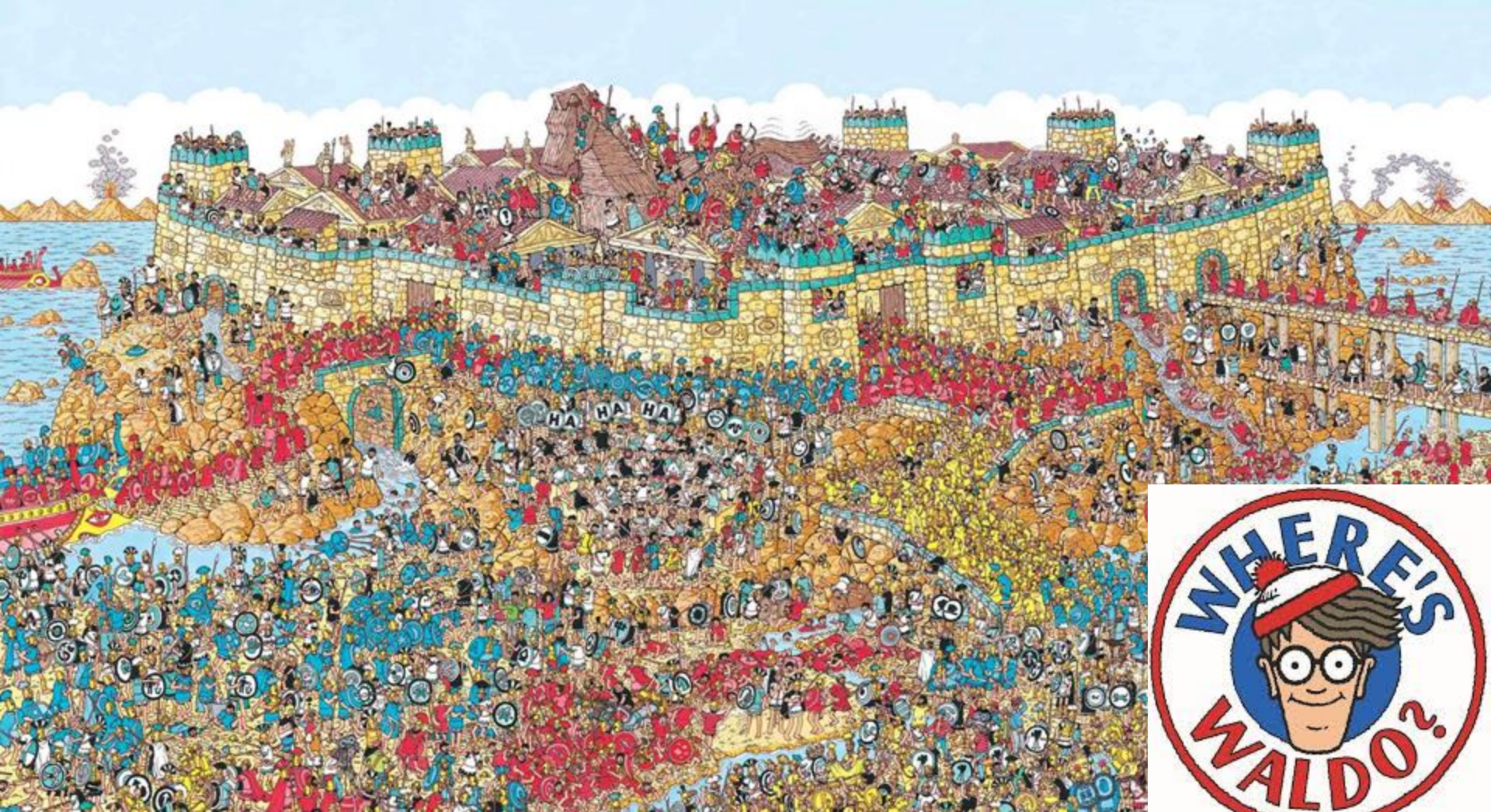
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This week, on behalf of [CODATA](#), I had the honour of being invited as a keynote speaker for the kick off meeting of NAISH, the Nordic Baltic Dataverse Hub. The community meeting took place in Kaunas, Lithuania, and it is an absolutely fantastic consortium led by [Philipp Conzett](#) from UiT, Norway, bringing together six countries: Norway, Denmark, Iceland, the Faroe Islands, Latvia, and Lithuania. This five year project represents a huge opportunity to collaborate, learn from one another, and share experience and expertise across borders.

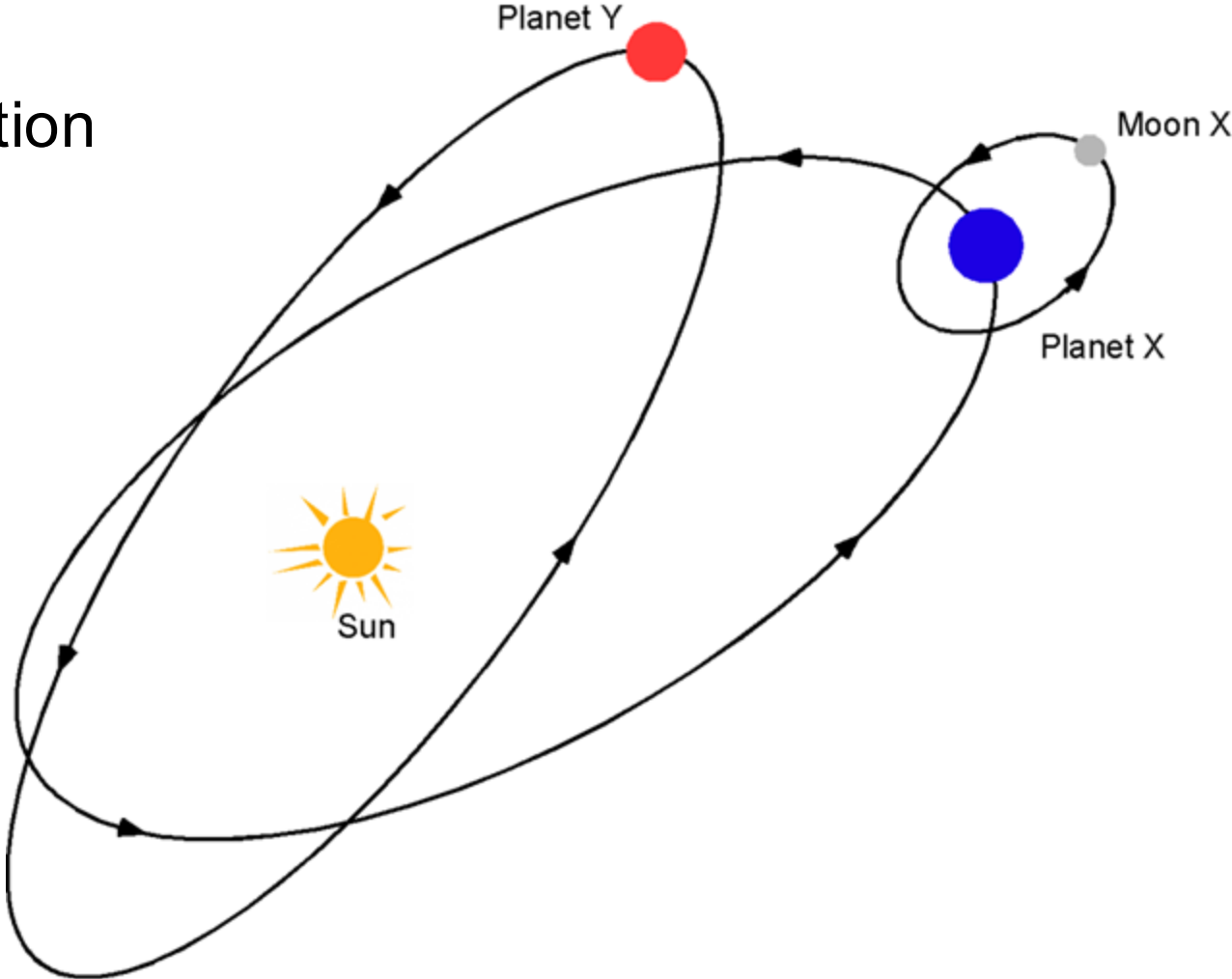
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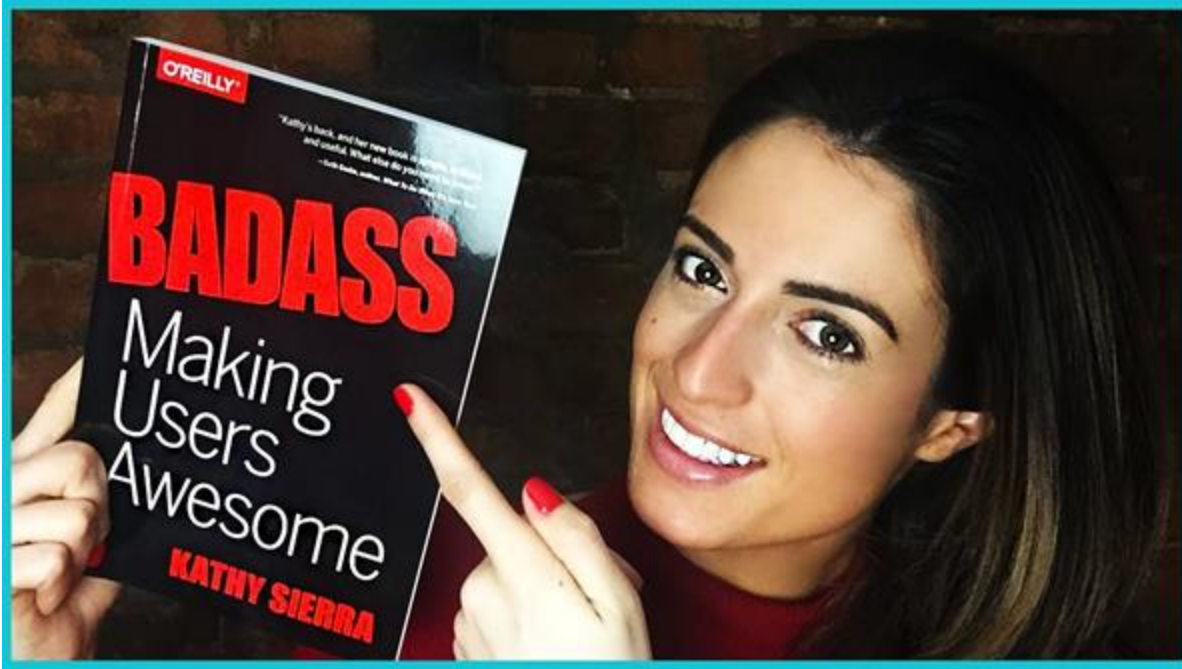




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Institute for Quantitative Social Science

To solve society's greatest challenges by creating, preserving, and disseminating social science knowledge



Learn how we do it



Who are all these people? 🤔

- Researchers (both data consumers and data depositors)
- Curators (data stewards, data librarians, journal editors, etc.)
- ---
- Helpdesk
- Admins
- Superusers
- ---
- Sysadmins
- ---
- API users (app creators, integrators, client library authors)
- ---
- Hosting providers (SaaS)
- ---
- Development team and contributors (backend, frontend, UX, etc.)



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If you are a researcher...

If you are a researcher...

- Please give Dataverse a try! 🚀
- What do you like? 😍
- What do you hate? 😡
- dv.dataverse.org LV
- demo.dataverse.org (latest release) 😊
- beta.dataverse.org (preview of next release) 😄
- dataverse.harvard.edu (real data only, please!) ❤️

If you are a researcher...

- Feedback is a gift! 🎁
 - Local support staff, curators, data stewards, data librarians
 - <https://dataverse.zulipchat.com> (chat)
 - <https://groups.google.com/g/dataverse-community> (mailing list)
 - <https://github.com/IQSS/dataverse/issues> (issue tracker)
 - <https://forms.gle/PUxJv68biogaDtvS9> (usability testing)
 - <https://dataverse.org/community-calls> (video call)
 - support@dataverse.org (private email)

"Proactively invite feedback and then thank those who give it to you. Feedback is a gift."

-- Jim Whitehurst,
The Open Organization



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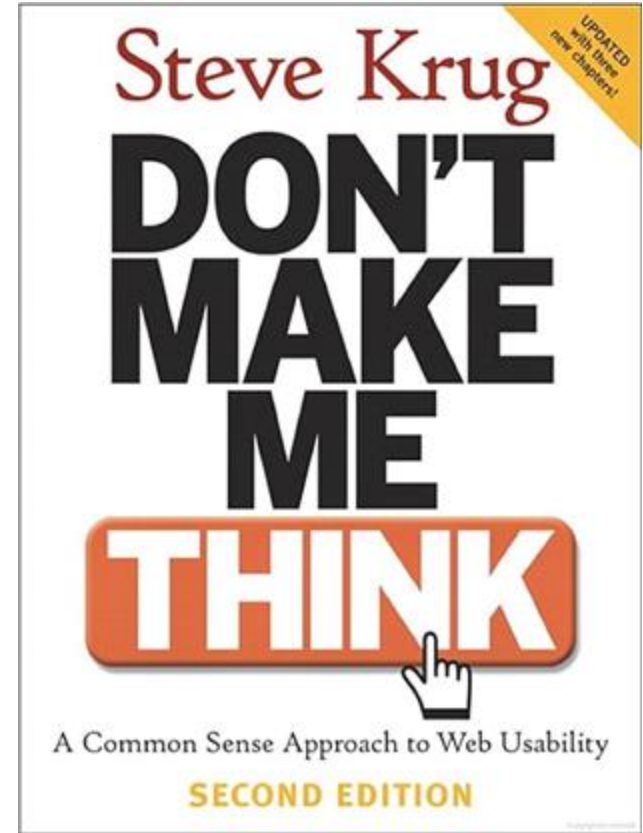
Ideas and Feature Requests

We would love to hear your ideas! 💡

1. Please check if your idea or feature request is already captured in our [issue tracker](#) or [roadmap](#).
2. Bring your idea to the community by posting on our [Google Group](#) or chat.dataverse.org.
3. To discuss privately, email us at support@dataverse.org.

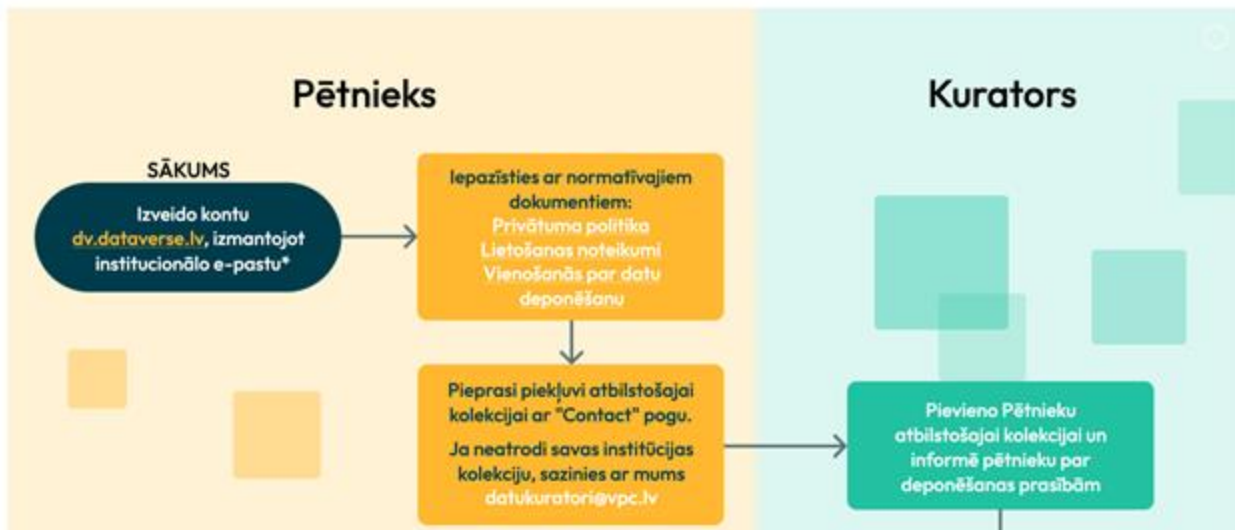
If you are a researcher...

- Please don't be shy about asking! 🖐️
- It's not you, it's me 😊
- Don't Make Me Think by Steve Krug 🤔
- Any feedback channel mentioned above! ❤️
- Cross-posting is ok! ✂️



If you are a researcher...

- If desperate, read the fine documentation 
 - <https://dataverse.lv/datu-deponesana/> (local docs)
 - <https://guides.dataverse.org/en/6.7.1/> (as of this writing)
 - Over 850 pages!  ([latest PDF](#))



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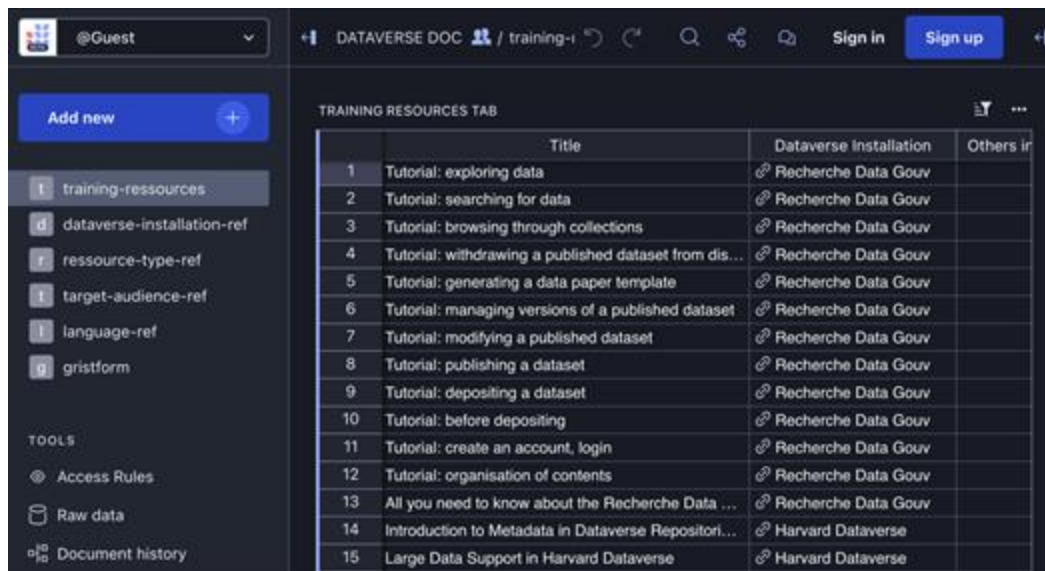
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If you are a researcher...

- Consider watching DataverseTV?!? 
- <https://dataverse.org/dataversetv>
- [#docs > training resources](#)



The screenshot shows the Dataverse web interface. The top navigation bar includes a user profile dropdown for '@Guest', search and navigation icons, and 'Sign in' and 'Sign up' buttons. The main content area is titled 'TRAINING RESOURCES TAB' and contains a table of training resources. The table has four columns: 'Title', 'Dataverse Installation', and 'Others in'. The table lists 15 training resources, each with a number, a title, and a link to the resource. The left sidebar shows a navigation menu with 'Add new' and various resource categories like 'training-ressources', 'dataverse-installation-ref', etc. The bottom left shows 'TOOLS' with options like 'Access Rules', 'Raw data', and 'Document history'.

	Title	Dataverse Installation	Others in
1	Tutorial: exploring data	Recherche Data Gouv	
2	Tutorial: searching for data	Recherche Data Gouv	
3	Tutorial: browsing through collections	Recherche Data Gouv	
4	Tutorial: withdrawing a published dataset from dis...	Recherche Data Gouv	
5	Tutorial: generating a data paper template	Recherche Data Gouv	
6	Tutorial: managing versions of a published dataset	Recherche Data Gouv	
7	Tutorial: modifying a published dataset	Recherche Data Gouv	
8	Tutorial: publishing a dataset	Recherche Data Gouv	
9	Tutorial: depositing a dataset	Recherche Data Gouv	
10	Tutorial: before depositing	Recherche Data Gouv	
11	Tutorial: create an account, login	Recherche Data Gouv	
12	Tutorial: organisation of contents	Recherche Data Gouv	
13	All you need to know about the Recherche Data ...	Recherche Data Gouv	
14	Introduction to Metadata in Dataverse Repositori...	Harvard Dataverse	
15	Large Data Support in Harvard Dataverse	Harvard Dataverse	



The banner features the Data Umbrella logo on the left, the Harvard Dataverse logo on the right, and the text 'Dataverse: an Open Source Platform for Data Sharing' in the center. Below this, the names of the speakers are listed: Ceilyn Boyd, Philipp Konzett, and Sonia Maria Barbosa. The hashtag #118 is displayed at the bottom.

Ceilyn Boyd, Sonia Barbosa, Philipp Konzett
2026-02-10

[Dataverse: an Open-Source Platform for Research Data](#)

In this Data Umbrella webinar, speakers from the Dataverse Project and the Global Dataverse Community Consortium (GDCC) will introduce Dataverse, a widely used, open source research data repository platform that supports the FAIR Guiding Principles. Dataverse enables researchers and institutions around the world to publish, preserve, cite, and reuse research data across disciplines.

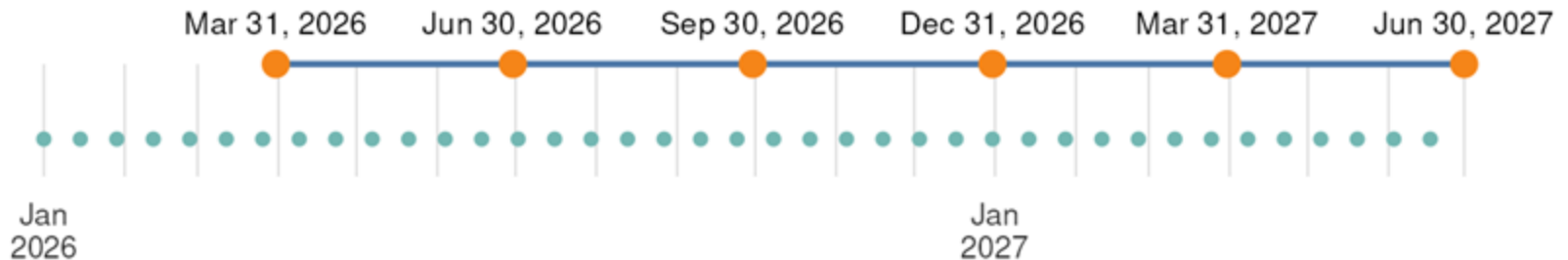
[Slides](#)

How do researchers find out about new features?

- From your local team?
- Release notes?

Software Release Cycle

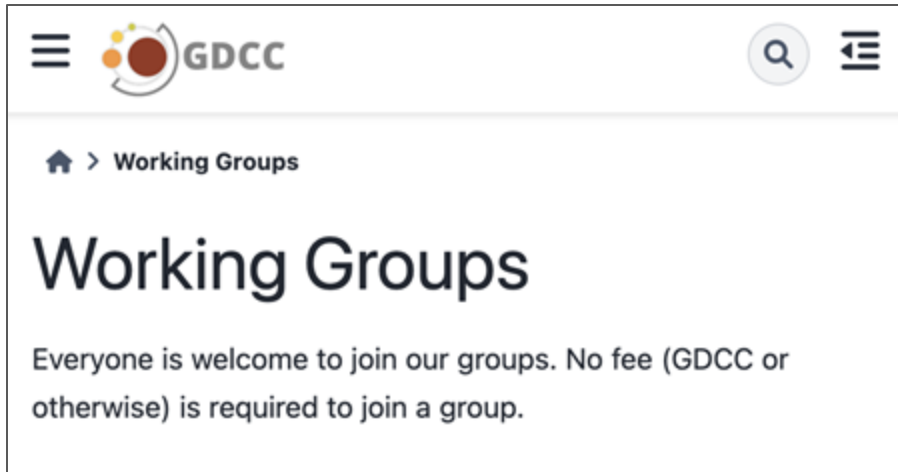
Quarterly releases with two-week sprints



If you are a curator (data steward, librarian, etc.)...

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- All of the above, plus...
- Please send us the feedback from your researchers! ❤️
- Consider connecting with other curators
 - [Large Data Support Working Group](https://gdcc.io) (gdcc.io)
 - [Sensitive Data Working Group](https://gdcc.io) (gdcc.io)



GDCC

- The Global Dataverse Community Consortium
- <https://gdcc.io>



If you are a curator...

- Connect with each other on Zulip (chat)
- #community (catch-all)
- #docs
- #geospatial
- #grants
- #indigenous-data
- #large-data
- #troubleshooting
- ... other ideas for channels?
- DMs!



If you are a curator...


- Dataverse Community News 
 - https://groups.google.com/g/dataverse-community?label=community_news

2026-03 Dataverse Community News — Here's what's top of mind for March 2026: * The Luxem...

2026-02 Dataverse Community News — Here's what's top of mind for February 2026: * The Univ...

2026-01 Dataverse Community News — Here's what's top of mind for January 2026: * The Irish ...

If you are a curator...

- Community Calls 
 - <https://dataverse.org/community-calls>

Community Calls

On the first Tuesday of the month, the Dataverse Project hosts a Zoom call to discuss upcoming releases, contributions from the community, and other topics. All are welcome to attend!

Please see our [planning doc](#) for a preview of what might be ahead. If you would like to present something or lead a discussion, please get in touch via the [mailing list](#) or [chat](#)! You're also welcome to help [organize](#) future calls.

Community calls are listed in the Dataverse community [Google Calendar](#). Most calls are recorded and available on [DataverseTV](#).

Upcoming Calls

- May 2026 - No call. See you in Barcelona for the [2026 Dataverse Community Meeting](#)!
- June 2, 2026 - 10am Eastern ([see in your timezone](#)) (tentative) Stories from the [2026 Dataverse Community Meeting](#) in Barcelona ([agenda/notes](#))

If you are a curator...

- Attend the annual Dataverse Community Meeting! 🌍




If you are a curator...

- people.dataverse.org

Dataverse People


Members of the [Dataverse](#) community.





Members	Installations	Countries	Continents
309	69	28	6

Continent

- ✓ All continents
- Africa
- Asia
- Australia
- Europe
- North America
- South America




Anna Dabrowski
@ajdabrowski

Primary installation
dataverse.tdl.org  
A statewide archive of research data from Texas Digital... (USA)

Location
Austin, Texas

Website
<https://www.ajdabrowski.net/>

 Watch me on DataverseTV

If you are an admin, superuser, etc...

If you are an admin, superuser, etc...

- All of the above, plus...
- You're getting pretty deep into Dataverse! 😄
- A superuser bypassing the permission system completely.
- A good number of features are "superuser-only"
- Reading release notes and deciding when to upgrade
- Receiving security announcements (if you signed up)

If you are a sysadmin...

If you are a sysadmin...

- You probably installed Dataverse (or inherited it 😊)
- You worry about security 😊
 - Please sign up for security advisories!
- You worry about upgrades 😊
 - Please give us feedback on upgrade instructions (in the release notes)!
- You worry about AI bot traffic 🤖
- But you love your users ❤️
- #troubleshooting in Zulip
- #containers in Zulip
- [Containerization working group](#) (secretly a devops group) 🙄

If you are an API user...

If you are an API user...

- All of the above? 🤔
- Who are you? 🤔
- Are you a researcher who's a power user?
- A superuser using superuser-only APIs?
- A maker of external tools?
- Are you integrating your software with Dataverse?
- Did you write a client library for the Dataverse API?
- #python in Zulip
- [pyDataverse working group](#) (secretly a Rust group as well) 😊
- #ui-dev in Zulip (developers of [js-dataverse](#))

Client Libraries

Listed below are a variety of client libraries to help you interact with Dataverse APIs from Python, R, Javascript, etc.

To get support for any of these client libraries, please consult each project's README.

Contents:

- C/C++
- Go
- Java
- Javascript
- Julia
- PHP
- Python
- R
- Ruby
- Rust

If you want to be a contributor...

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- Again, feedback is a gift! Thank you! 🎁
- Again, usability testing!
- Contributor Guide

Contributor Guide

Thank you for your interest in contributing to Dataverse!
We are open to contributions from everyone. We welcome contributions of ideas, bug reports, documentation, code, and more!

Contents:

- [Ideas and Feature Requests](#)
- [Bug Reports](#)
- [Documentation](#)
- [Translations](#)
- [Code](#)
- [Usability Testing](#)
- [Answering Questions](#)
- [Sample Data](#)
- [Issue Triage](#)
- [Giving Talks](#)
- [Working Groups](#)
- [GDCC](#)
- [Artwork](#)
- [Other Contributions](#)

If you want to be a contributor...

- Lead a project
 - [Improved funding information](#)
 - Data retention
 - Per-file licensing
- Standards work
 - Croissant
 - Research Data Alliance (RDA)
 - DataCite
 - etc.
- Keep hosting events like this! ❤️

Thank you! Questions?

- Philip Durbin on Zulip (chat.dataverse.org)



Hello! To chat with Dataverse users and developers, please join us in [Zulip!](https://chat.dataverse.org)

Before signing up, you are welcome to browse the [archive of messages](#), especially the [hello, I'm new here](#) topic.

[View Archive](#)

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