



DATA IN THE DIGITAL LIBRARY:
Charting the Future for Social, Spatial and Government Data
Conference Program

Conference Theme

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Workshops

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Wednesday, June 7

8:45-10:15, Wednesday, June 7

A0:Innovations in Large Scale Data Dissemination Systems

Chair: Ann Green (Yale University)

Speakers: [Micah Altman](#) "Digital Library Support for Sharing and Replication: A Report on the Virtual Data Center"

[Cavan Capps](#) "The Data Web and FERRET: Innovations in Integrating Distributed Federal, State, and Local Data"

[Simon Musgrave and Jostein Ryssevik](#) "FASTER: Accelerated Access to Official and Statistical Data"

[Steven Ruggles and Catherine Fitch](#) "International Integrated Microdata Access System"

10:45-12:00, Wednesday, June 7

B0:Title: The Politics of Census 2000 -- Implications for Data Quality

Chair: Judith Rowe (Retired, Princeton University)

Speaker: Kenneth Prewitt (Director, U.S. Bureau of the Census)

Concurrents:

1:30 - 3:00 Wednesday, June 7

C1: International Infrastructures for Statistical Data

Chair: Repke de Vries

Speakers: [Wouter De Groot](#) "EUSTAGE: Towards a European Statistical Agency as an Intermediate Data Facility in Europe"

[Dusan Soltes](#) "Web-based Data Enters Classrooms in Countries in Transition"

[Ernie Boyko](#) "Developing Statistical Infrastructure in other countries: The Statistics Canada Experience"

[Robert D. Bush](#) "International Training Activities in the U.S. Census Bureau"

C2:Technical and Legal Perspectives on Digital Archives

Chair: Yvette Hackett (National Archives of Canada)

Speakers: [Thomas E. Brown](#) "Muddying the Waters: When the Laws Dictate Archival Decisions"

[Robert Chadduck](#) "Collection-Based Persistent Long Term Preservation"

[Eun G. Park and Shelby Sanett](#) "Authenticity as a Requirement of

Preserving Digital Data and Records"

C3:Building Connections among Heterogenous Terminologies and Multiple Languages

Chair: Tess Trost (Texas Tech)

Speakers: [Fred Gey](#) "Seamless Searching of Textual and Numeric Resources"
[Robert Mayo](#) "Metadata in International Database Systems and the United Nations Common Database (UNCDB)"
[Ken Miller](#) "Limbering Up: Preparing for the Race to Provide Multi-lingual Access and Automatic Indexing"

3:30 - 5:00 Wednesday, June 7

D1:From Many, One: The Archival Infrastructure for U.S. Social Science Data Research

Chair: [Miron L. Straf](#) (Committee on National Statistics, Commission on Behavioral and Social Sciences and Education)

Speakers: Margaret O. Adams (NARA)
Cindy Severt (U. of Wisconsin, DPLS)
Ilona Einowski (UC Data, Berkeley)
Janet Vavra (ICPSR)

D2:Promoting GIS Literacy

Chair: Peter Burnhill (Edinburgh University)

Speakers: [Mary French](#) "The ARL GIS Literacy Project: Support for Government Data Services in the Digital Library"
John C. Hudson, Department of Anthropology, Northwestern University "The Role of GIS in the University"
[Steven Morris](#) "Developing and Using Finding Aids for Geospatial Data"
Patrick McHaffie, Department of Geography, DePaul University "To Be Announced"

D3:Effective Use of Technology in Delivering Data

Chair: Paul Bern
(Princeton)

Speakers:

[William Block et al](#) "Systems Implementation of the Integrated Public Use Microdata Series: A Description of the Computing Infrastructure of the IPUMS"

[Ron Nakao](#) "The E-Codebook Data Extraction Web Interface"

[Tom Piazza](#) "Providing Student Workspaces for Data Analysis on the Web"

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Thursday, June 8

Plenary:

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E0: Research Centres and Confidential Data

Chair: Bjorn Henrichsen (Norwegian Social Science Data Services)

Speakers: Paul Bernard (University of Montreal)

Michael Clune (California Census Research Data Center, University of California, Berkeley)

Ron Dekker (Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research)

Concurrents:

11:00 - 12:30 Thursday, June 8

F1: Building on the DDI/DTD Foundation: Additional Perspectives on DTD Application and Use

Chair: Patrick Yott (University of Virginia)

Speakers: [Wendy Treadwell, et al](#) "The Development of a Generalized Resource Tool for Aggregate Data (Greta) at the University of Minnesota"

[Marcus Schommler, et al](#) "ISSP Data Wizard"

[Tom Piazza](#) "Where will DDI-documented Data Come From?"

[Marion Wittenberg](#) "How to Use the DDI DTD in Day to Day Archive Practice"

F2: The Role of Data Quality in Social Science Research

Chair: [Ernie Boyko](#) (Statistics Canada)

Speakers: Paul Bernard, University of Montreal

Josephina J. Card and Michael Carley, Sociometrics, Inc.

Cathryn Diplo, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

F3: Financial Data Vendors and Resources

Chair: Laine Ruus (University of Toronto)

Speakers: CRSP

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12:30-2:00 Thursday June 7

Lunch and Annual General Meeting

2:00-3:00 Thursday, June 8

G1: Whither IASSIST? or IASSIST in the 21st Century

Chair: Peter Burnhill (Edinburgh University)

Speakers: [Karsten Boye Rasmussen and Repke de Vries](#) "Descriptive Figures and Hints for Further Research: IASSIST as a Virtual Community"

Chuck Humphrey and Ann Green, "The IASSIST Five year Plan, Ten Years After"

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G2: Poster/Demonstration Sessions

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Friday, June 9

Plenary:
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H0: Culture Shock and Identity Crisis: Data in Libraryland

Chair: [Diane Garner](#) (Harvard University)

Speakers: Deborah Dancik (University of Alberta)

Tom Parris (Harvard University)

Jean Sykes (London School of Economics)

Concurrents:

11:00 - 12:30 Friday, June 9

I1: Digital Library Federation: Reorganizing, Refocusing, and Moving Towards Concrete Collaboration

Chair: Jackie Druery (Northwestern University)

Speaker: [Daniel Greenstein](#) (Director, Digital Library Federation)

I2: Integrated Geospatial Information Systems and Services

Chair: Gregory Haley

Speakers: [W. Christopher Lenhardt](#) "Spatial Data Integration Challenges: The Gridded Population of the World Approach"

[David Medyckyj-Scott, et al](#) "EDINA Digimap: an internet mapping and data service for the UK Higher Education Community"

[Cameron Wilson](#) "Discover, Visualize, and Access Geomatics Data and Services: Current Concepts and Technology"

I3: Dynamics of Digital Objects and Accompanying Metadata

Chair: Peter Joftis (ICPSR)

Speakers: [Edward Brent, et al](#) "Representing Metadata with Intelligent Agents: An Initial Prototype"

[Jostein Ryssevik](#) "Hyperlinking the World of Social Science: Integrating Text and Data in a Global Hypertext Space"

[Mark E. Wallace](#) "User Driven Integrated Statistical Solutions- Digital Government by the People for the People"

12:30-2:00 Friday, June 9

Lunch

Featured Speaker

Norman M. Bradburn

**Assistant director for the Social, Behavioral,
and Economic Sciences Directorate (SBE)**

National Science Foundation

2:00 - 3:30 Friday, June 9

J1: Archives and Assignments: Instructional Uses of Data Services

Chair: Grant Blank (American University)

Speakers: [Roger Finke](#) "Archives as Teaching Tools: Using the American Religion Data Archive for Undergraduate Instruction"
[Lisa Neidert, et al](#) "Moving from the Blackboard to the Computer: Using Data in a Classroom Setting"
[Robin Rice and Melanie Wright](#) "Promoting Use of Numeric Datasets in Learning and Teaching Through Enhanced Local Support"

J2:Qualitative Data: Collecting, Preserving and Sharing

Chair: Louise Corti (University of Essex)

Speakers: [Louise Corti](#) "Progress and Problems of Preserving and Providing Access to Qualitative Data for Social Research: the international picture of an emerging culture"
[Reto Hadorn](#) "Data Archives: Documentation of and access to sensitive data: the International Committee for the Red Cross project"
[Arja Kuula](#) "Making Qualitative Research Reusable: Case in Finland"
[Zoltan Lux](#) "Informatics-based Support for Research and Education in the Field of Contemporary Studies"

J3:Economics and Business Resources in your Data Library

Chair: Bo Wandschneider (University of Guelph)

Speakers: [Paul Bern](#) "Technical Issues in Providing Economic and Financial Data"
[Heather McMullen](#) "Meeting the Needs of Economic and Financial Data Users"
[Sean Townsend](#) "Finding Global Economic Statistics is Easy. Isn't it?"

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