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## TUESDAY, MAY 27

### Workshops

- Implementing DDI: It ain't rocket science. . .  
Wendy L. Thomas and William C. Block (Minnesota Population Center)
- Making Your Website Usable  
Marianne Zawitz (U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics) and Colleen Blessing (U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information System)  
[Annotated link to Website Usability Workshop PowerPoint Presentations](#)
- Everything you ever wanted to know about preparing qualitative data. . . but were afraid to ask  
Louise Corti and John Southall (UK Data Archive, University of Essex)  
[Annotated link to Qualitative Workshop PowerPoint presentations](#)
- Data Publishing  
Prem Khosla, Margaret Ward, Erin Sawatzky, Sigbjorn Revheim, Jostein Ryssevick and Bill Bradley
- Conducting a GIS Reference Interview  
Steve Morris (North Carolina State University)
- Using DataFerrett for descriptive analysis and publishing data to the DataWeb  
Cavan Capps (U.S. Census Bureau)

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## WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

### Plenary Session

- Something Old, Something New: Historical Census Data  
Chad Gaffield, Professor of History, Director of the Institute of Canadian Studies, University of Ottawa

**Session A1:** The Roots of Historical Censuses: A National Archives Perspective  
Chair: Ernie Boyko, Statistics Canada

- [The U.S. Decennial Census of Population and Housing from an Archival Perspective](#)  
Thomas Brown (National Archives and Records)
  - From Destruction to Digitisation: A Short History of Census Records in Ireland  
Catriona Crowe (National Archives of Ireland)
  - The Census of Canada from an Archival Perspective  
Cara Downey (Library and Archives of Canada)
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**Session A2:** Empowered by Metadata: Building Systems of Access  
Chair: Maxine Tedesco, University of Lethbridge

- [Easy Access to Secondary Data for Scientific Research](#)  
Marleen Becht (Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research)
  - [Clearinghouse for Transport Data and Transport Models - Concepts and Implementations](#)  
Angelika Schulz (German Aerospace Center)
  - MADIERA: A European Infrastructure for Web-Based Data Dissemination  
Bjarne Oymyr (Norwegian Social Science Data Services)
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**Session A3:** Strengthening Numbers: Measurement, Aggregation and Policy  
Chair: Richard Boily, Université du Québec à Rimouski

- e-Europe and e-Europe+ Projects  
Dusan Soltes (Comenius University)
  - [Integrating Public Domain Data to Construct Community Profiles](#)  
Betsy Blunsdon, Ken Reed, Steven McEarchern and Nicole McNeil (Deakin University)
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**Session B1:** Historical Censuses: Numbers from the Past  
Chair: Wendy Watkins, Carleton University

- The Future of the Integrated Public Use Microdata Series: IPUMS International and IPUMS Redesign  
William Block (University of Minnesota)
  - [Rescuing Historical Censuses at UC Data](#)  
Fred Gey (UC, Berkeley)
  - [Providing Access to the Dutch Population Census of 1971](#)  
Luuk Schreven (Dutch Institute of Scientific Information Services)
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**Session B2:** DDI, Nesstar and ISO: Pushing the Boundaries  
Chair: Fay Booker, University of Chicago

- DAIS|nesstar - An Update  
Bill Bradley (Health Canada)
  - [Is Your Data Facility ISO Compliant? Progress Towards Harmonizing the DDI](#)
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and ISO 11179

Daniel Gillman (U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics)

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**Session B3:** Changes in the way Data Archives Process Data

Chair: Katherine McNeill-Harman, MIT

- [Data Processing in FSD: Challenges in a New Archive](#)  
Hannele Keckman-Koivuniemi and Mari Kleemola, (Finnish Social Science Data Archive)
  - Data Processing in Danish Data Archives  
Anne Sofie Flnk, Soren Priisholm, Birgitte Jensen, and Bernhard Hansen, (Danish Data Archives)
  - Data Processing in the UK Data Archive  
Alasdair Crockett, (UKDA)
  - [Data Processing at ICPSR](#)  
Darrell Donakowski, (ICPSR)
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**Session C1:** Historical Spatial Data: Enriching GIS

Chair: Walter Piovesan, Simon Fraser University

- Topic - Time - Geography: Navigating the Triangle of Social Science Data  
Wendy Thomas (University of Minnesota)
  - The National Historical Geographic Information System: An Update  
William Block (University of Minnesota)
  - Great Britain Historical GIS: A New Architecture for Web Dissemination  
Humphrey Southall, (University of Portsmouth)
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**Session C2:** Constraints on Data Access: Licenses and Confidentiality

Chair: Dan Tsang, University of California, Irvine

- [Access to Microdata in the UK: The Case of the Samples of Anonymized Records from the 1991 Census](#)  
Angela Dale (University of Manchester)
  - Licensed to Bill: Single Fare vs Bus Pass  
Cindy Severt (University of Wisconsin, Madison)
  - [Meeting the Challenge: The National Population Health Survey and Data Access](#)  
Elizabeth Hamilton (University of New Brunswick)
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**Session C3:** Data, Digitization, Electronic Archives and the Web: At a Crossroads

Chair: Jeff Moon, Queen's University

- Digital Library Collections: Fostering Collaboration  
Juri Stratford (University of California, Davis)
- The Development of the Electronic Records Archives Program at the U.S. National Archives  
Fynette Eaton (National Archives)
- The Emerging Data Web

- Seth Grimes (Alta Plana Corporation)
  - [Constituent Mail Analysis Project \(CMAP\)](#)  
Joel Herndon and Naomi Nelson (Emory University)
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## Poster Sessions

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# THURSDAY, MAY 29

## Plenary Session

- [Literacy and Numeracy: How Does it Add Up?](#)  
Scott Murray, Statistics Canada
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**Session D1:** Understanding the Strength in Numbers: Statistical Literacy  
Chair: Sharon Neary, University of Notre Dame

- Data & Statistical Literacy for Librarians  
Ann Gray (Princeton University)
  - [Public Opinion Matters: A New Roper Center Program Designed to Promote Classroom Use of Public Opinion Data](#)  
Lois Timms-Ferrara (Roper Center)
  - Statistical Literacy Survey: Reading Tables and Graphs  
Milo Schield (Augsburg College)
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**Session D2:** Metadata Conversions: Migration Experiences  
Chair: Joel Herndon (Emory University)

- [Implementation of the DDI at the Roper Center](#)  
Marc Maynard (University of Connecticut)
  - [From Metadata Conversion to Metadata Management](#)  
Meinhard Moschner and Oliver Watteler (Central Archive for Empirical Social Research)
  - [1-2-3, That's How Elementary It's Gotta Be - Managing DDI](#)  
Ken Miller (UKDA, Essex)
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**Session D3:** Spatial Data Access Issues: Enabling GIS  
Chair: Paula Lackie, Carleton College

- [FGDC, Meet the DDI: Adding Geospatial Metadata to a Numeric Data Catalog](#)  
Julie Linden (Yale University)
  - [Privacy and Confidentiality Issues with Spatial Data](#)  
Deborah Balk, Robert Downs, W. Christopher Lenhardt, and Francesca Pozzi (CIESIN - Columbia University)
  - Taking Down Barriers around GIS-data for Dutch Universities  
David van der Steen (Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research)
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# FRIDAY, MAY 30

## Plenary Session

- [New Frontiers: GIS, Life, the Universe and Everything](#)  
Dr. Fraser Taylor, Carleton University
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### **Session E1:**Advancing Research and Data Literacy: Empowering Users

Chair: Robin Rice, Edinburgh University

- [Exploiting UK Survey Data Sources for Teaching Political Science: Experiences from the Classroom](#)  
Louis Corti (UKDA, Essex)
  - Focusing in on Student Learning Outcomes: How SDA Helped us Build a Learning Community for Data Users  
Aaron Shrimplin (Miami University, Ohio)
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### **Session E2:**Metadata Power Tools: Persistent Identifiers, Intelligent Agents, and Metadata Modeling

Chair: Laine Ruus, University of Toronto

- Persistent Identifiers for Data  
Micah Altman (Harvard University)
  - The Role of Metadata for Integrating Data and Documentation: The OSA Labour Supply Panel - A Case Study  
Rob Grim (Institute for Labour Studies)
  - [From Question to Query: An Intelligent Strategy for Making Complex Data Accessible to Novice Users](#)  
Albert Anderson and Heather Branton (Public Data Queries, Inc.) and Ed Brent and Pawel Slusarz (Idea Works)
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### **Session E3:**A Leadership Role for Data Archives in the Social Sciences

Chair: Jerry Bull, Universite de Montreal

- Relationships among Archives and the Social Science Research Community - The Case of a Successful Relationship  
Mojca Omerzu (Social Science Data Archives - ADP)
  - [The Dutch Question Bank](#)  
Helga van Gelder (NIWI Steinmetz Archive)
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### **Session F1:**Balancing Strength of Numbers with Confidentiality

Chair: Aspi Balsara, Memorial University of Newfoundland

- Research Data and Issues of Confidentiality  
Olusegun Moses Temilola (Nigeria)
- [Public Data and a Thriving Democracy: Threats and Opportunities](#)  
Lisa Neidert (University of Michigan) and Janet Eisenhauer (University of

Wisconsin)  
Links to Neidert [text](#) and [images](#)

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**Session F2:** Transforming Social Science Data Archives  
Chair: Suzette Giles, Ryerson University

- [New Directions fo the UK Qualitative Data Service - 2003 and Beyond](#)  
Louise Corti (UKDA, Essex)
  - ["To be or not to be." That Shouldn't be the Question!](#)  
Ron Dekker (NWO - NL Research Council)
  - [Advances in Data Preservation: The Roper Center Archive Approach](#)  
Cindy Teixeira (University of Connecticut)
  - [From Manuscripts to Metadata: Collaborating Working in the Archives Hub](#)  
Amanda Hill (University of Manchester)
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**Session F3:** The Invisible Force: Supporting Users of Online Services  
Chair: Chuck Humphrey

- [Online Services for Electronic Records: U.S. National Archives and Records Administration \(NARA\)](#)  
Margaret Adams (National Archives and Records Administration)
  - [Backstage at ICPSR: Supporting Users of ICPSR On-line Services](#)  
Janet Vavra, (ICPSR, University of Michigan)
  - [The Case of the UK Data Archive](#)  
Melanie Wright, (UKDA, Essex)
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**Session G1:** Data Archive Models and Infrastructure: International Comparisons  
Chair: Sue Bryant

- [Data Services Models: The Results of an International Survey](#)  
Chuck Humphrey (University of Alberta)
  - Medical Research Data and Models for Sharing and Preserving Data: The Case of the UK Medical Research Council  
Melanie Wright (UKDA, Essex)
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**Session G2:** Data Services: A Mix of the New and the Old  
Chair: Tess Trost, Texas Tech University

- Davidson Data Center and Network (DDCN) - Serving the Need for Data on Transition and Emerging Market Economies  
Cristina Negrut (University of Michigan)
  - [Recovering and Preserving Data from a Large Long-term Data Collection Project](#)  
Joseph Olson (Brigham Young University)
  - [Getting to Know the Score: Using the First 20 Years to Plan the Next](#)  
Peter Burnhill (University of Edinburgh) and Alison Bayley (University of Edinburgh)
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**Session G3:**International Statistics: Strength Through Collaboration

Chair: Elizabeth Hamilton, University of New Brunswick

- Comparability of Cross-National Data: How does the UNESCO Institute for Statistics approach the issue?  
Yanhong Zhang (UNESCO Institute for Statistics)
- [The UNESCO Institute for Statistics: How we decide what data to collect](#)  
Diane Stukel (UNESCO Institute for Statistics)
- [Serving up Statistics to an International Community](#)  
Brian Buffett (UNESCO Institute for Statistics)

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