Demographic Information

This survey is intended to offer LYRASIS members and participants in the broader GLAM (galleries, libraries, archives, and museums) community a new perspective on how our institutions participate in the open content movement. For the purposes of this survey, "open content" refers, at the most general level, to information that can be read/accessed without any barriers, be they paywalls or institutional logins. For the purposes of this survey we will not go beyond that definition, although many "open content" initiatives also require the ability to reuse the content for a wide range of purposes.

We appreciate your taking the time to answer this survey in order to achieve the broadest possible response from GLAM institutions of all shapes and sizes.

The survey is divided into three sections concerning three different types of open content: Open access scholarship, open data, and open educational resources. Most survey respondents will only be responsible for one or two of these areas within their institution. For any areas that you are not responsible for, please indicate "no" in the survey question, and you will be taken to the next section of the survey.

Please feel free to share the survey with your colleagues for questions outside your job duties. We realize multiple responses from one institution may be necessary.

At the beginning of the survey you will be asked for your name, institution, and job title. All of this information will remain confidential, and will not be included in any external publications/reports or presentations. We are merely using this information to identify duplicate entries across our distribution channels.

The deadline for participation is March 2, 2020.

1. Your Name

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2. Your Institution

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3. Your Job Title

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4. If you are employed at a US academic institution, please indicate your Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education (https://carnegieclassifications.iu.edu/lookup/lookup.php):

○ Doctoral University – Highest Research Activity (R1)

○ Doctoral University – Higher Research Activity (R2)

○ Doctoral University – Moderate Research Activity (R3)

○ Master's College and University: Larger programs (M1)

○ Master's College and University: Medium programs (M2)

○ Master's College and University: Smaller programs (M3)

○ Baccalaureate College—Arts & Sciences (259)

○ Baccalaureate College—Diverse Fields (324)

○ Baccalaureate/Associate's College: Associates Dominant (149)

○ Baccalaureate/Associate's College: Mixed Baccalaureate/Associate's (259)

○ I am employed by an academic institution outside of the United States

○ I am not employed by an academic institution

5. If your home organization is not an academic institution or is an academic institution outside of the United States, please indicate your institution type:

○ Public Library - up to 100,000 population served

○ Public Library - 100,001 - 250,000 population served

○ Public Library - 250,001 - 500,000 population served

○ Public Library - 500,001 - 2,000,000 population served

○ Public Library - 2,000,001+ population served

○ Other (please specify)

○ Independent Archives

○ Museum

○ Private/Industrial Library

○ Non-US Academic Library

○ Non-US Public Library

6. Does your library have any sort of open content policy (e.g. any kind of policy regarding providing free access to campus faculty publications or data, financially supporting open publishers, publishing open journals, monographs, or educational resources, or any other form of support for free and open access to information)?

○ Yes, a formal policy

○ Yes, an informal policy

○ No

○ I don't know

○ Other (please specify)

Open Access (OA) Scholarship

In this section, open access refers to any scholarship written by scholars, academic faculty, or

graduate students, covering, but not limited to, common formats such as theses, dissertations, journal articles, monographs, and preprints. This does not refer to any raw data that has been collected by researchers on an academic campus or similar institution, either in conjunction with a publication, or as a stand-alone data set, nor does it refer to textbooks or other forms of teaching materials. Those will be covered in other sections.

This portion of the survey is divided into two sections - Content Produced Within Your Institution and Content Produced Outside of Your Institution.

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OA Scholarship - Content Produced Within Your Institution

7. Do you have an institutional repository (either hosted locally or by a service provider) administered by your library that provides open access to scholarly/faculty and/or graduate student publications?

◯ Yes

◯ No

◯ Other (please specify)

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OA Scholarship - Content Produced Within Your Institution

8. What materials are accepted into the institutional repository? (Please select all that apply.)

☐ Theses and Dissertations   ☐ Preprints

☐ Monographs or Book Chapters   ☐ All of the Above

☐ Journal Articles

☐ Other (please specify)

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9. Please indicate whether your institutional repository (IR) has any of the following policies. (Please select all that apply.)

☐ Graduate students are required to place their dissertations into the IR, honoring embargoes or special exceptions

☐ Faculty are required to place publications (e.g. preprint, version of record) into the IR, honoring embargoes or special exceptions

☐ Authors depositing work into the IR maintain the copyright to their publications

☐ None

☐ Other (please specify)

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10. Approximately what percentage of your current institution's faculty have scholarly materials in the repository?

○ 1-25%   ○ 76-100%

○ 26-50%   ○ I don't know

○ 51-75%   ○ None

○ Other (please specify)

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11. Approximately what percentage of your institution's current graduate students have scholarly materials in the repository?

○ 1-25%   ○ 76-100%

○ 26-50%   ○ I don't know

○ 51-75%   ○ None

○ Other (please specify)

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OA Scholarship - Content Produced Within Your Institution

12. Does your library (alone, or in partnership with another part of the institution) maintain a fund to support article processing charges (APCs) or book processing charges (BPCs) for faculty and/or graduate students at your institution?

○ Yes

○ No

○ No, but we plan to do so within the next twelve (12) months

○ We used to have a fund, but it is no longer operational

○ Other (please specify)

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13. Could you please briefly describe how your open access fund operates (or will operate once it is put into effect)?

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14. Does your library (alone, or in partnership with another part of the institution) publish any open scholarly materials, such as journals, book chapters, or monographs?

○ Yes

○ No

○ Other (please specify)

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OA Scholarship - Content Produced Outside of Your Institution

15. Does your library have an open access policy to guide collection development decisions?

○ Yes, a formal policy

○ Yes, an informal policy

○ No

○ I don't know

○ Other (please specify)

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16. Does your library financially support any outside initiatives for open scholarly content?

○ Yes

○ No

○ I don't know

○ Other (please specify)

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OA Scholarship - Content Produced Outside of Your Institution

17. Does your library financially support any outside repository (typically for preprints) such as arXiv or PubMed Central?

○ Yes

○ No

○ I don't know

○ Other (please specify)

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18. Does your library provide financial support for APCs only for fully open publishers, or for hybrid publishers as well? (Please select all that apply.)

☐ We only provide financial support for fully open publishers

☐ We provide financial support for both fully open and hybrid publishers

☐ Neither, we do not support any publishers that use APCs

☐ Other (please specify)

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19. Please indicate if your library financially supports open journal initiatives that are not based on APCs, such as the Open Library of the Humanities or Annual Reviews Subscribe to Open. (Please select all that apply.)

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ I don't know

☐ Other (please specify)

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20. Please indicate if your library supports open access monograph initiatives such as Knowledge Unlatched. (Please select all that apply.)

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ I don't know

☐ Other (please specify)

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Open Data

Open data is defined as a set or sets of raw research information gathered either independently, or in conjunction with a research publication. This could be qualitative or quantitative data, including, but not limited to, census/demographic information, scientific laboratory results, interview responses, audio, or video recordings.

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Open Data - Content Produced Within Your Institution

21. Do you have an institutional repository and/or data repository (either hosted locally or by a service provider) within your library that that provides open access to research data (including, but not limited to, faculty/graduate student data, city demographics data, or other forms of rough information)?

○ Yes

○ No

○ Other (please specify)

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Open Data - Content Produced Within Your Institution

22. Please indicate whether your institutional repository/data repository (IR) has any of the following policies. (Please select all that apply.)

☐ Graduate students are required to place their data sets into the IR, honoring embargoes or special exceptions

☐ Faculty are required to place their data sets into the IR, honoring embargoes or special exceptions

☐ An open data license is required at the time of deposit

☐ None

☐ Other (please specify)

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23. Does your library (alone, or in conjunction with another part of the institution) perform any of the following services around open data? (Please select all that apply.)

☐ Develop data management plans   ☐ Develop tools (such as APIs) to facilitate data usage

☐ Assist users with granting agencies' open data mandates   ☐ None

☐ Create descriptive metadata for data sets

☐ Other (please specify)

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Open Data - Content Produced Outside of Your Institution

24. Does your library financially support any outside open data initiatives, such as DBPedia?

○ Yes

○ No

○ I don't know

○ Other (please specify)

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Open Educational Resources (OER)

Educational resources are defined as materials that are used as teaching aids, including textbooks, webinars, syllabi, or other documentation designed for instructional use.

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OER - Content Produced Within Your Institution

25. Do you have an institutional repository (either hosted locally or by a service provider) within your library that hosts and provides access to open educational resources (OERs) created by your faculty and/or graduate students?

○ Yes

○ No

○ Other (please specify)

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OER - Content Produced Within Your Institution

26. Please indicate which types of OER materials your repository hosts. (Please select all that apply.)

☐ Textbooks   ☐ Other Audiovisual Recordings

☐ Syllabi   ☐ All of the Above

☐ Webinars

☐ Other (please specify)

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27. Does your library (alone, or in partnership with another part of the institution) provide funding to compensate faculty for switching to OERs and/or creating OERs for their students?

○ Yes

○ No

○ No, but we plan to do so within the next twelve (12) months

○ We used to have a fund, but it is no longer operational

○ Other (please specify)

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OER - Content Produced Within Your Institution

28. Could you please briefly describe how this funding program operates (or will operate, once it goes into effect)?

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OER - Content Produced Outside of Your Institution

29. Please indicate whether your library (alone, or in partnership with another part of the institution) performs any of the following tasks. (Please select all that apply.)

☐ Advocate for OER usage with faculty

☐ Facilitate discovery of OER materials within the library collection

☐ Help faculty evaluate the quality of OERs

☐ Other (please specify)

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30. Does your library financially support any OER programs outside of your institution, such as the Open Textbook Network or OpenStax?

○ Yes

○ No

○ Other (please specify)

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