

# Party Infrastructure Project Survey

## 1. About the Party Infrastructure Project Survey

The Australian Research Data Commons Party Infrastructure Project is a National Library of Australia project funded by the Australian National Data Service that aims to enable improved discovery of research outputs and data through persistently identifying Australian researchers and research organisations. To learn more about the Party Infrastructure Project or contact the Project team please see the wiki at <https://wiki.nla.gov.au/display/ARDCPIP>

This survey is designed to gather information about party data from Project stakeholders in the research sector. Party data refers to data about individuals or organisations and can include name, affiliation, staff ID, field of research, publications and so on. Responses will be used to better inform the project team about the current state of names data in the sector and to identify potential contributor sources.

Participant details are optional but encouraged. The names of individuals and institutions/organisations and other identifying information will not be included in survey results or associated publications.

The survey has 14 questions.

1. Does your organisation or institution collect party data for it's researchers and/or research organisations? Party data is data about a person or organisation and can include name, affiliation, staff ID, field of research, publications etc

- Yes - please continue with this survey
- No - thank you, there is no need to continue with this survey

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## 2. About you

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Note: The first 30 people to complete this survey may receive a free Trove notebook and pen. There will be a random draw of survey participants after the survey closes in which 5 participants will receive a free Trove t-shirt. The survey may be completed anonymously but your name and address in Australia must be provided in order to be considered for these giveaways.

Your name (optional)

Your organisation/institution (optional)

Your email address (optional)

Your mailing address (optional)

3. What is your current position or role within your organisation or institution? Please give a brief description.

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## 3. About your party data

4. Which system or database does your organisation or institution use to store its party data? Your party data about researchers and/or research organisations could include name, identifiers, field of research etc. Tick more than one if applicable.

- Institutional Repository
- Staff/researcher web directory
- Research Office database
- Library Management System
- Human Resources database

Other (please specify)

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## 4. About your party data

5. To your knowledge, in which system is the following researcher or research organisation party data made PUBLICLY available by your organisation or institution? Please tick more than one if applicable. This question continues on the next screen.

	Institutional Repository	Staff/researcher web directory	Research Office database	Library Management System	Human Resources database	Other
Name	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Name variants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Position	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dates - birth or death	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Field of Research (FoR) codes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Research field/keywords	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other research classification	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Department/school/division	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Qualifications	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Discipline	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Biographical information	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Contact details	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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## 5. About your party data

6. To your knowledge, in which system is the following researcher or research organisation party data made PUBLICLY available by your organisation or institution? Please tick more than one if applicable. This question has been continued from the previous page.

	Institutional Repository	Staff/researcher web directory	Research Office database	Library Management System	Human Resources database	Other
Staff identifier that is a URI or URL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Staff identifier that is NOT a URI or URL (e.g. email address)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Affiliation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Publications	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Awards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dates - Grants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dates - Teaching or employment period	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Professional membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Personal web page or blog	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Projects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Photograph(s)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please specify)

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## 6. About your party data

7. Does your organisation or institution provide a PUBLIC identifier for each researcher or research organisation party data it stores?

	Institutional Repository	Staff/researcher web directory	Research Office database	Library Management System	Human Resources database	Other
Yes, the identifier is a URI	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Yes, the identifier is a URL	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Yes, the identifier is an email address	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Yes, the identifier is a name	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
No, an identifier is not stored	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
No, an identifier is stored but it is PRIVATE	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Yes, the PUBLIC identifier is (please specify the format if not listed in the choices above)....

  
  

8. Does your organisation or institution implement any authority control for its party data? Authority control is the process of establishing a single preferred form of a heading, which can then be used consistently, uniquely and unambiguously to refer to a single entity or concept.

No

Yes

Further comment (optional)

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## 7. Sharing your party data

9. Can the PUBLIC party data about researchers or research organisations that your organisation or institution stores be made available to the National Library of Australia for the purpose of data sharing (such as through it's People Australia service)?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure/unknown

Further comment (optional)

10. Assuming your organisation or institution can provide PUBLIC party data to the National Library, what record format can you provide this data in?

- Encoded Archival Context (EAC)
- Resource Description Framework (RDF)
- MARCXML
- Registry Interchange Format-Collections and Services (RIF-CS)
- Excel spreadsheet
- Unsure/unknown

Yes, we can provide records in... (please specify record format)

11. Assuming your organisation or institution can provide PUBLIC party data to the National Library, how can your organisation or institution's party records be interchanged with the National Library over the Internet?

- via SRU
- via OAI

Other (please specify)

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12. Does your organisation or institution have a privacy policy related to its party data that would impact on sharing this data publicly (e.g. contributing to People Australia)?

Yes

No

Unsure/unknown

Further comment (optional)



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## 8. Size of your party data

13. Approximately how many PUBLIC party records for researchers or research organisations does your organisation or institution have? This information will provide us with an indication of the amount of party data in the research sector.

Contemporary identities

Historical identities

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## 9. Further comments

14. Is there anything else you would like to say about party data in your organisation or institution?

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## 10. Survey complete

Thank you for completing this survey.

