DMPonline.be

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• **Introduction**

  • **Data** are the core part of all research projects and this is the reason why it is important to question how to manage data carefully

  • **Open Data**, as part of Open Science initiatives, should be FAIR: Findable, Accessible, Interoperable and Re-usable
• Introduction

• DMPonline.be helps researchers to have a clear and common approach on how data generated from their research will be managed during the lifecycle.

• 2018 : UCLouvain joint the DMPonline.be consortium
• DMPonline

  • Open source software

  • Developed by the Digital Curation Centre (DCC, UK)
• **DMPonline.be Initiative**

• **2015**: UGent customized the software for in-house purpose

• **2017**: Launch of the DMPonline Belgium **consortium** made up of universities and scientific institutions
• **DMPonline.be Project**

  • **Main Goals:**
    - Pooling the costs
    - Avoiding redundancies
    - Sharing best practices between institutions
• DMPonline.be Project

• Members:
  - UGent
  - ULB
  - UAntwerp
  - UHasselt
  - VUB
  - WIV-ISP
  - VITO
  - Sciensano
  - UNamur
  - UCLouvain
  - ULiège
  - UMons
• **DMPonline.be Platform**

  • Online tool to help researchers to **write** a Data Management Plan (DMP)
  • DMP is increasingly required by funding agencies (but is not compulsory)
• **DMP vs. Cycle of Research Data**

Data Management Plan is the **first step** of the research data management cycle.
• **DMPonline.be Platform**

  • Used to generate the Data Management Plan, a formal document stating:

    • Data **types**
    • Data **processing** (during and after the research project)
    • Data **preservation** and data **sharing** strategies
• **DMPonline.be Platform**

  • Data Management Plan is more and more *requested* by funding agencies

  • Data Management Plan could also be part of a university practice
• **DMPonline.be Platform : content**

• **Templates**
  • A set of questions stating on the data processing
  • Main templates available are:
    • H2020
    • ERC
    • FWO
  • But, the templates can also be customized to fit specific or internal needs of each institution
• **DMPonline.be Platform : content**

• **Guidance**
  • Helping researchers to answer questions
  • Suggesting sample answers
  • DCC provides a sample guidance
  • could be also customized by each member for specific uses
• DMPonline.be Platform : demo

→ https://dmponline.be
Interface of DMPonline.be

You need to sign in or sign up before continuing.

Welcome
We can help you write and maintain data management plans for your research.

This instance of DMPonline is provided by the DMPbelgium Consortium, which was founded in 2017 by:

- Institut voor Natuur- en Boenderzoek
- Université Libre de Bruxelles
- Universiteit Antwerpen
- Universiteit Gent
- Universiteit Hasselt
- Vrije Universiteit Brussel
- Wetenschappelijk Instituut Vokaalzorg - Institut Scientifique de Santé Publique (Sciences)
- In 2018 they were joined by:

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Select funder to get its template

Select institution to get local guidance, as well as institutional template(s) - if funder not applicable

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- Progress indicator
- Section
- Question
- Leave a comment for collaborators
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- **Principal Investigator**: can view & contribute to plan, edit plan details, and add/remove collaborators
- **Co-owner**: can view & contribute to plan, edit plan details, and add/remove collaborators
- **Plan data contact**: can view & contribute to plan
- **Edit**: can view & contribute to plan
- **Read only**: can view plan
Thank you!