

SUPPORTING DATA ACCESS and MANAGEMENT with THE DATAVERSE

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WHY

did we build the
Dataverse Network?

A PROBLEM

Different needs for Archives, Data Libraries, Researchers, Journals, ...

We need to preserve the data forever

I want to curate the data

We need persistent links

I want recognition for my data

I want to review submissions and control the access

A SOLUTION

Centralized Professional Archiving with
Distributed Control and Recognition

- Persistent identifiers
- Fixity
- Backups and recovery
- Metadata standards
- Conversion standards
- Preservation standards

+

- Branding and visibility
- Data discovery
- Ease of use
- Scholarly citation
- Control over updates
- Terms of access and use

HOW

does it work?

DATAVERSE
NETWORK

A **centralized** software
installation and data repository

Dataverse

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Individual
distributed
data archive
with its own
branding

Collections

Study

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Metadata

Data Files

RICH DATA SUPPORT

Data Files

Tabular Data:

STATA

SPSS

CSV + control card

Tab delimited + DDI

Social Network Data:

GraphML

+ complementary files

in **any** format

- Convert to preservation format (primary data + variable metadata)
- Calculate Universal Numerical Fingerprint (UNF)
- Define Terms of Use and Permissions
- Download in multiple formats
- Download a subset of the data
- Generate summary statistics
- Apply Zelig (R) statistical methods
- Visualize time series

FORMAL, PERSISTENT DATA CITATIONS

Authors

Year

Title

Persistent URL and ID

UNF

Distributor

Version

+ other optional fields (data subset)

Sidney Verba; Joseph DiNunzio; Christina Spaulding, 1985, "Harvard Sexual Harassment Survey, 1983", <http://hdl.handle.net/1902.1/00686>

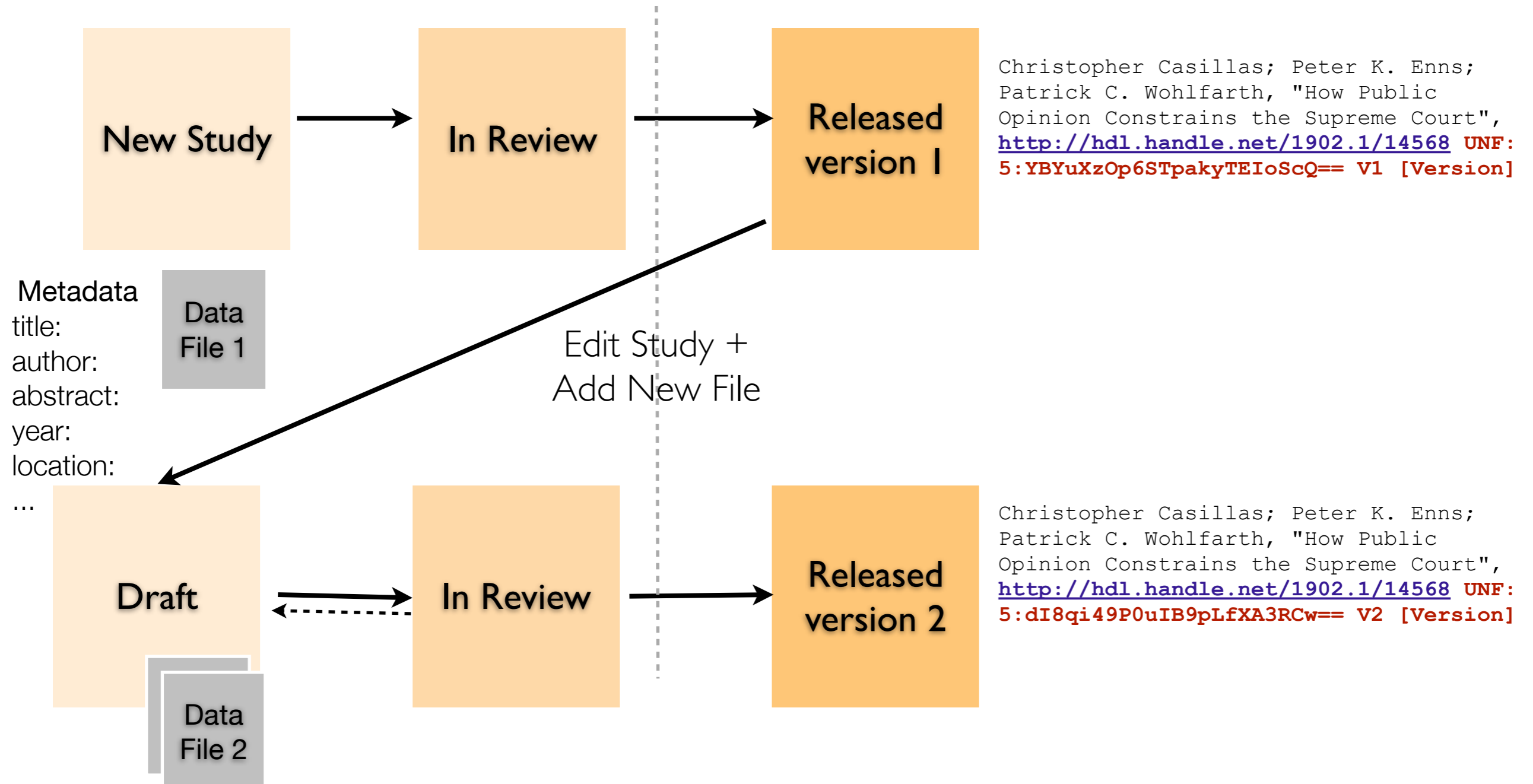
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DATA VERSIONING AND MANAGEMENT

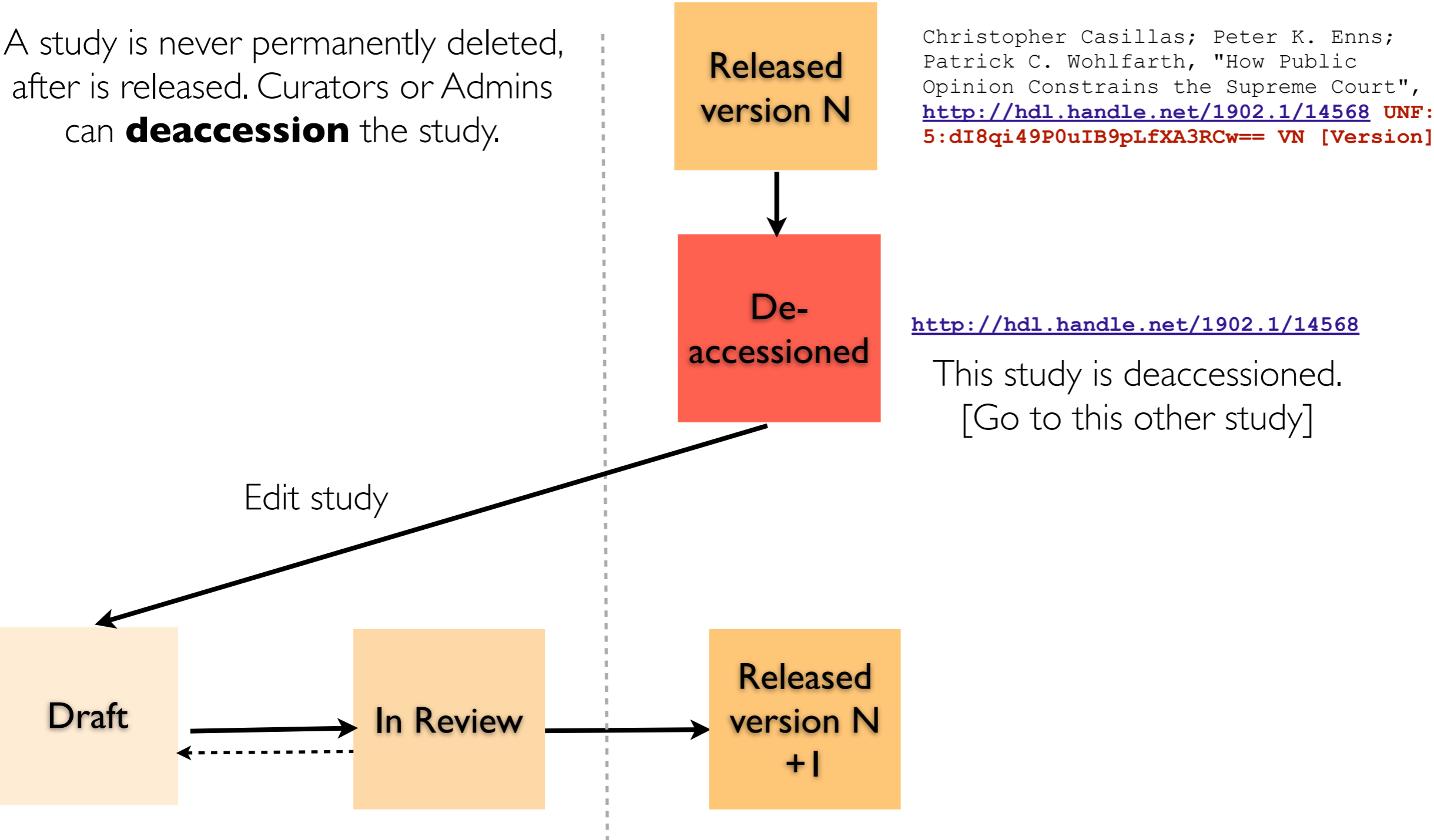
Contributors, curators, admins
view

End user
view



DATA NEVER DELETED

A study is never permanently deleted, after is released. Curators or Admins can **deaccession** the study.

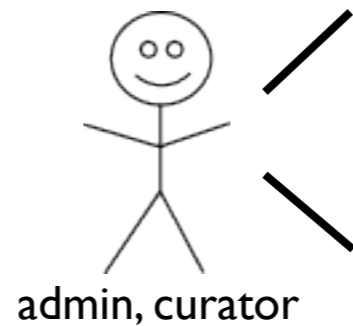


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WORKFLOWS FOR ALL

Regular Dataverse

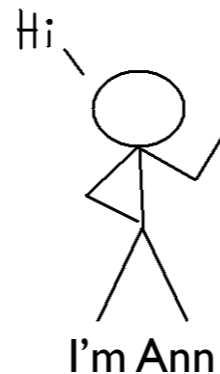


Option A - The **admin or curator** adds Mike as a contributor. Mike can now add studies and edit his **own** studies in this Dataverse.

or

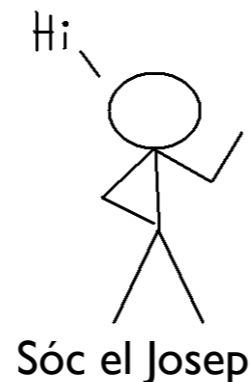
Option B - The **admin or curator** adds Mike as a contributor. Mike can add studies and edit **any** study in this Dataverse.

Open Dataverse



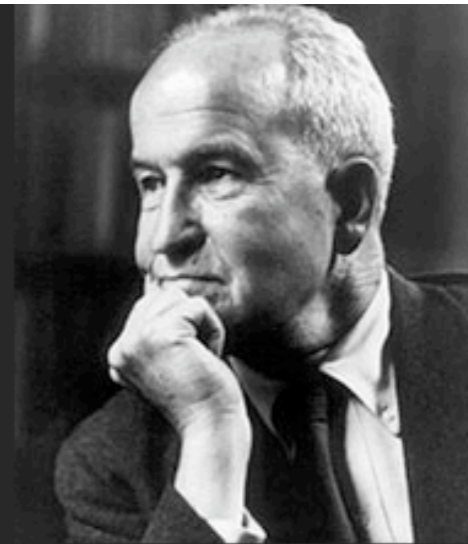
Ann **creates an account** and starts adding and editing her **own** studies in an open Dataverse. The admin or curator reviews the studies before releasing them.

Wiki Dataverse



Josep **creates an account** and starts adding new studies and editing **any** study in a wiki Dataverse. The admin or curator reviews the studies before releasing them.

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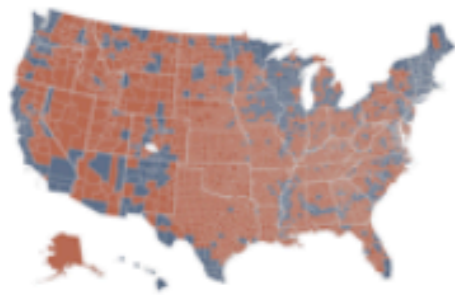
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Sharing and Improving Election Data



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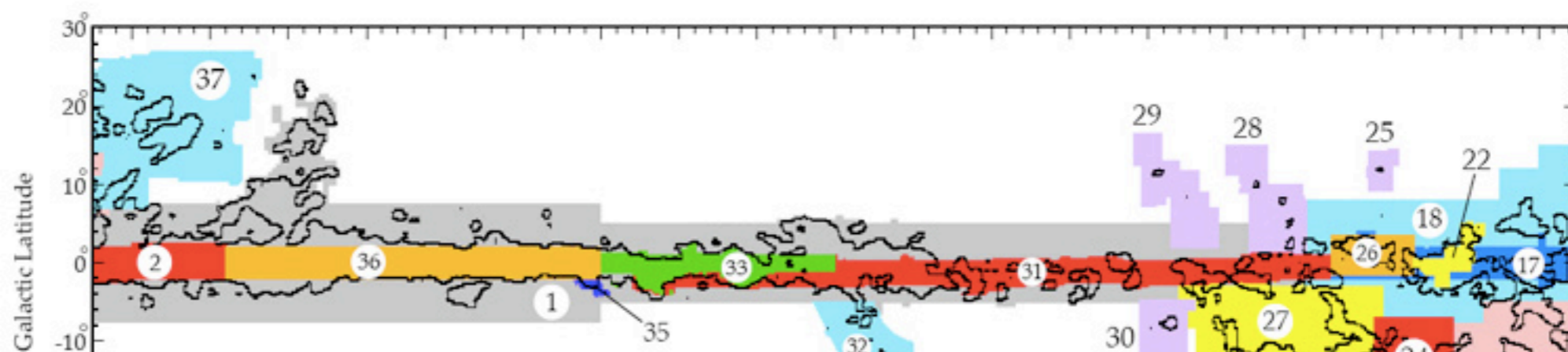
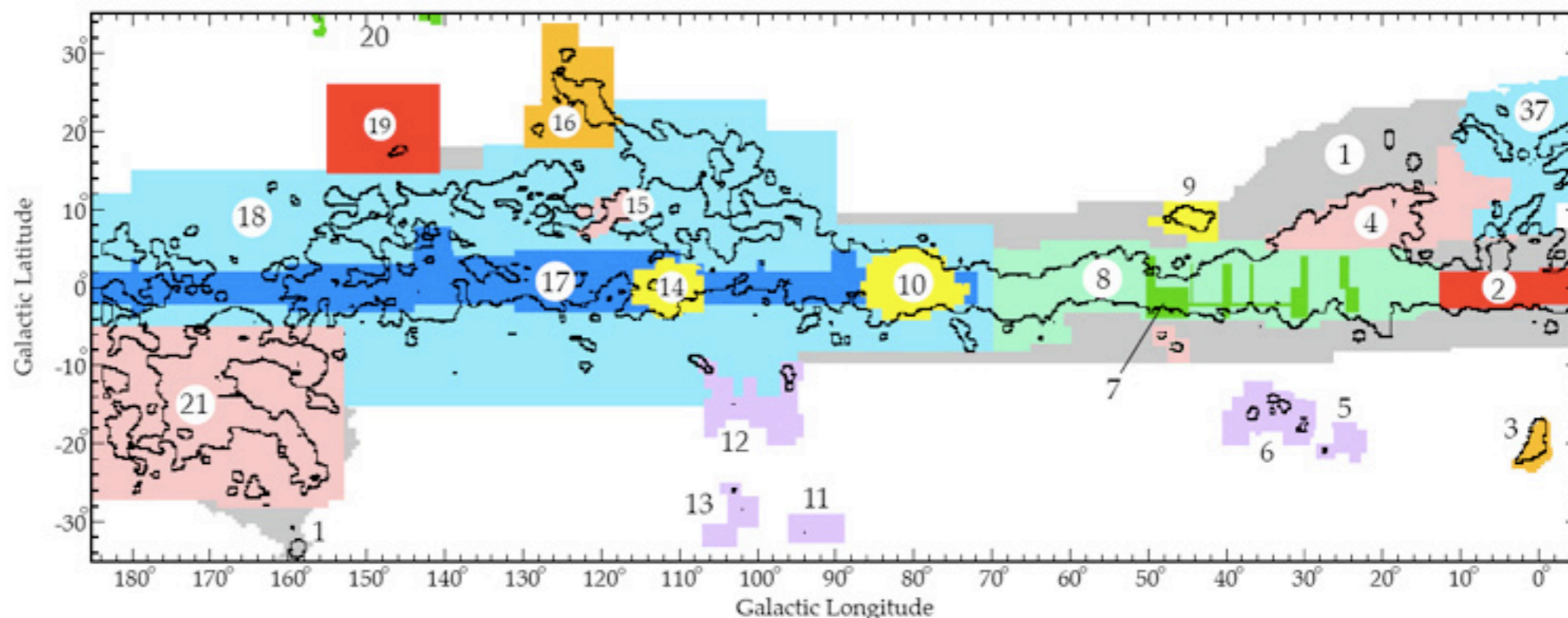
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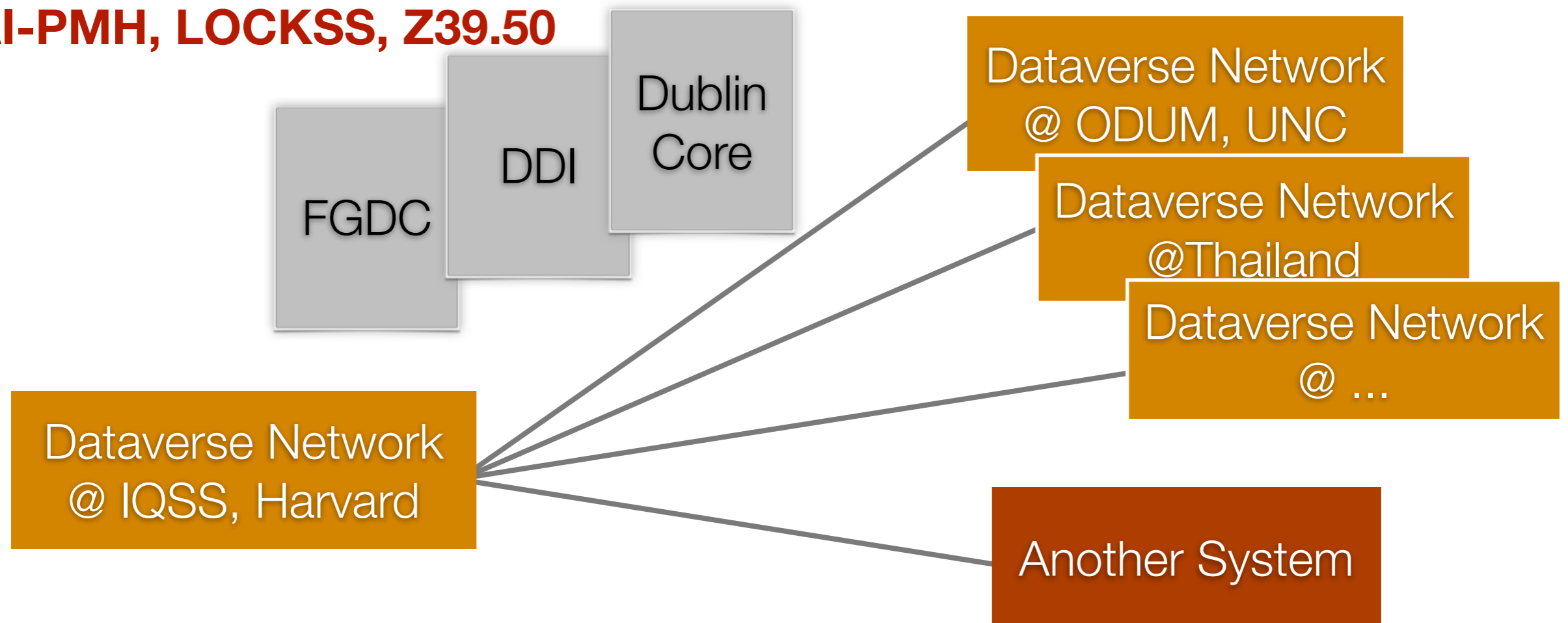
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SUPPORTING STANDARDS

OAI-PMH, LOCKSS, Z39.50



- Study and variable metadata are exported into **XML** (Dublin Core, Data Descriptive Initiative - DDI, ...) and MARC.
- **OAI-PMH** for harvesting metadata.
- **LOCKSS** for data duplication in multiple locations.
- **Z39.50** for distributed search.
- **E-Z Proxy** to authenticate for data access.

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Should Libraries play a role promoting good practices and standards for data sharing and management?

Should research institutions and funding agencies require data sharing? and should their Libraries be the place for data deposit?