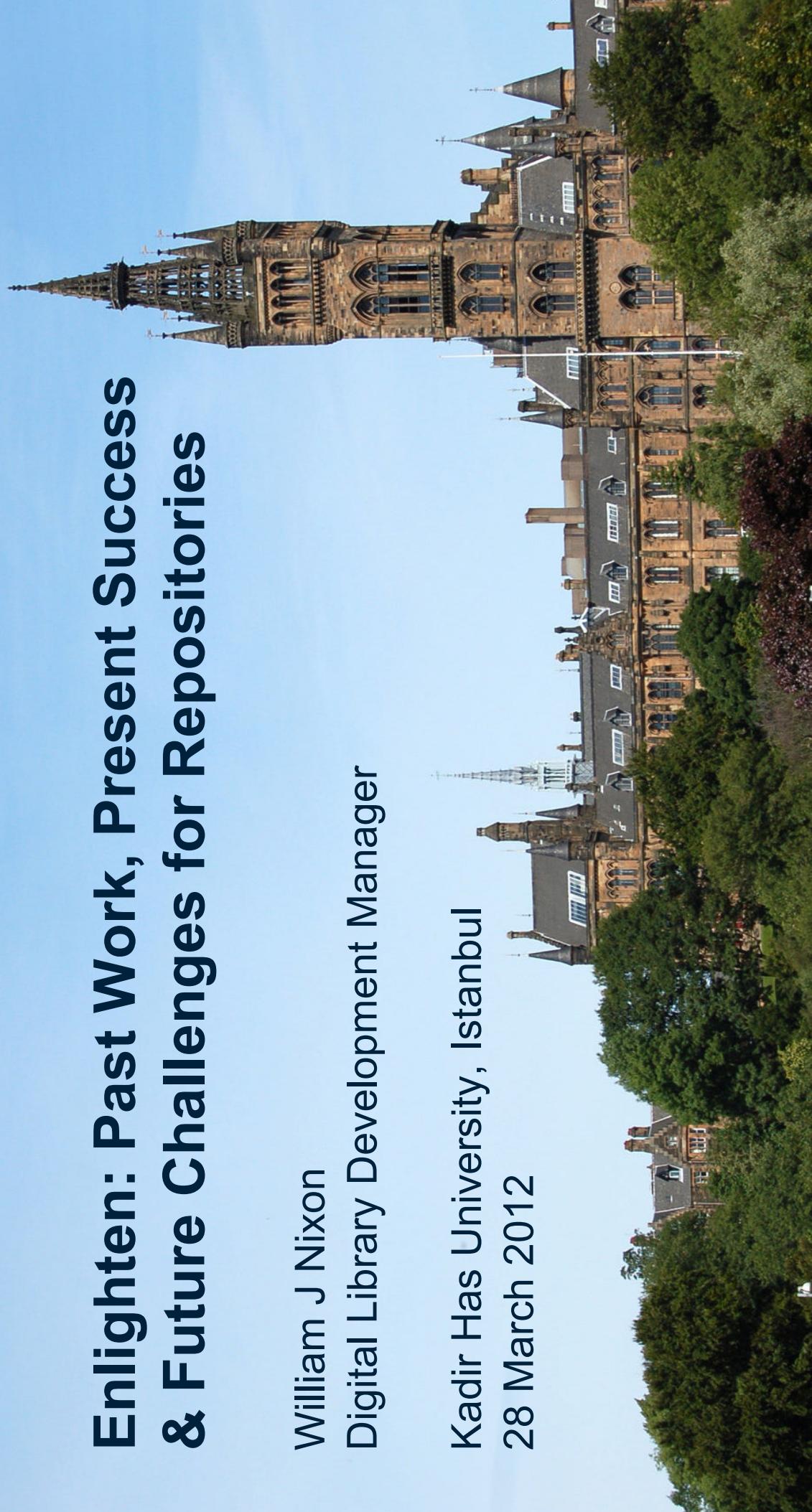


Enlighten: Past Work, Present Success & Future Challenges for Repositories

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28 March 2012



Glasgow, Scotland and Open Access

- 14 Universities
- Scottish OA Declaration - 2004
 - ‘We believe that the interests of Scotland will be best served by the rapid adoption of open access to scientific and research literature.’
- Range of Repositories
 - EPrints
 - DSpace
 - Digital Commons



University of Glasgow

- Founded in 1451
- 2nd oldest University in Scotland (4th UK)
- 6,000+ Staff
 - 2000 Researchers
- 25,000 Students
 - 16,000 Undergraduates
 - 5,000 Postgraduates
 - 5,000 Adult learners
- In the top 1% of universities in the world
- In the UK's top 10 earners for research
- Publications Policy 2008



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Budapest Open Access Initiative

The Budapest Open Access Initiative arises from a small but lively meeting convened in Budapest by the Open Society Institute (OSI) on December 1-2, 2001. The purpose of the meeting was to accelerate progress in the international effort to make research articles in all academic fields freely available on the Internet. The participants represented many points of view, many academic disciplines, and many nations, and had experience with many of the ongoing initiatives that make up the open access movement. In Budapest they explored how the separate initiatives could work together to achieve broader, deeper, and faster success. They explored the most effective and affordable strategies for serving the interests of research, researchers, and the institutions and societies that support research. Finally, they explored how OSI and other foundations could use their resources most productively to aid the transition to open access and to make open-access publishing economically self-sustaining. The result is the Budapest Open Access Initiative. It is at once a statement of principle, a statement of strategy, and a statement of commitment.

The initiative has been signed by the Budapest participants and a growing number of individuals and organizations from around the world who represent researchers, universities, laboratories, libraries, foundations, journals, publishers, learned societies, and kindred open-access initiatives. We invite the signatures, support, and participation of the entire world scientific and scholarly community.



6201 signatures
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"An old tradition and a new technology have converged to make possible an unprecedented public good."

Institutional Drivers for Open Access

- **Research Funders**

- The Wellcome Trust: “supports unrestricted access to the published output of research as a fundamental part of its charitable mission and a public benefit to be encouraged wherever possible. Specifically, the Wellcome Trust: expects authors of research papers to maximise the opportunities to make their results available for free”
- Research Councils UK: “Ideas and knowledge derived from publicly-funded research must be made available and accessible for public use, interrogation and scrutiny, as widely, rapidly and effectively as practicable”

- **Visibility and Impact**

- Some studies have shown a citation advantage for those articles which are freely accessible

- **Management information**

- Knowing what your researchers are doing!

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What is a repository?

A digital repository is a mechanism for managing and storing digital content. Repositories can be subject or institutional in their focus. Putting content into an institutional repository enables staff and institutions to manage and preserve it, and therefore derive maximum value from it. A repository can support research, learning, and administrative processes. Repositories use open standards to ensure that the content they contain is accessible in that it can be searched and retrieved for later use. The use of these agreed international standards allows mechanisms to be set up which import, export, identify, store and retrieve the digital content within the repository.

Digital repositories may include a wide range of content for a variety of purposes and users. What goes into a repository is currently less an issue of technological or software ability, and more a policy decision made by each institution or administrator. Typically content can include research outputs such as journal articles or research data, e-theses, e-learning objects and teaching materials, and administrative data. Some repositories only take in particular items (such as theses or journal papers), whilst others seek to gather any credible scholarly work produced by the institution; limited only by each author's retained rights from publishers. However, some more complex objects (websites, advanced learning objects, 3D topographical representations and other data sets) do present a technological challenge.

Before you start

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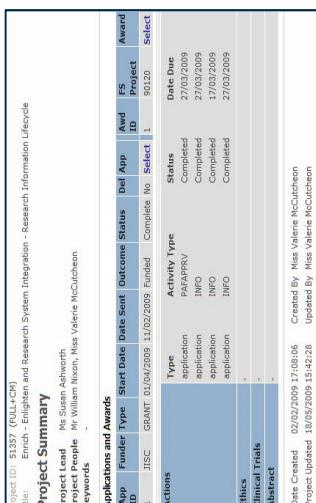
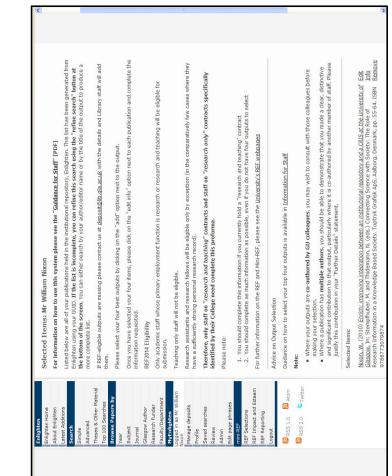
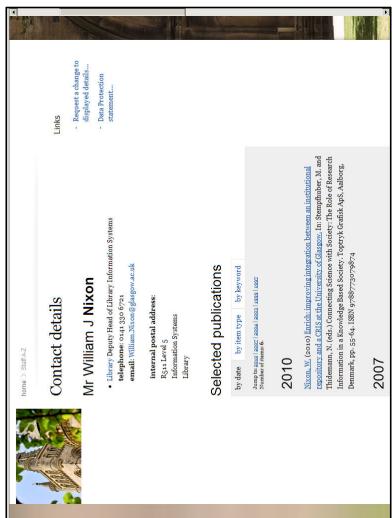
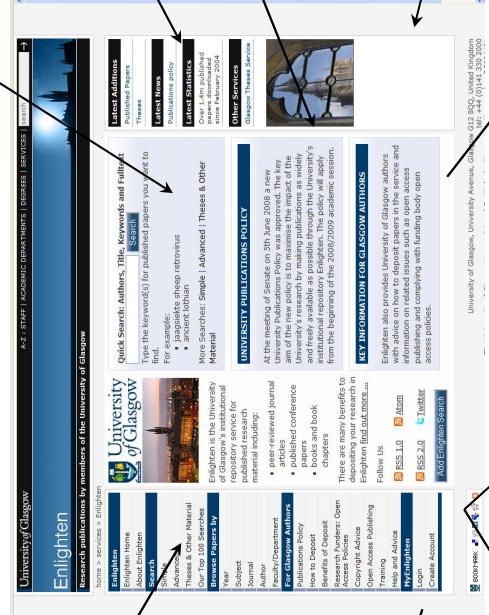


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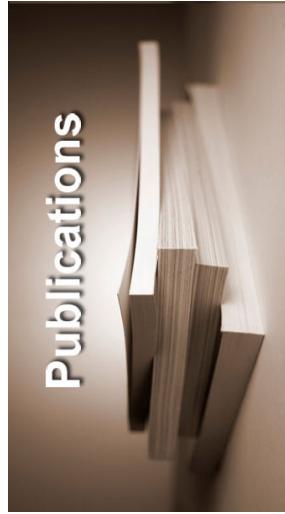


Beyond Silos: Embedded Repositories





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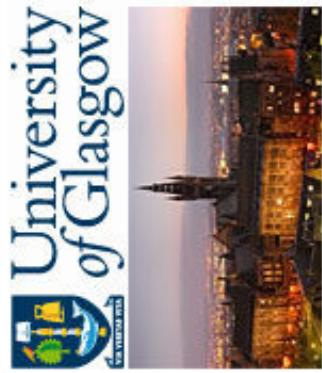


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At the meeting of Senate on 5th June 2008 a new University Publications Policy was approved. The key aim of the new policy is to maximise the impact of the University's research by making publications as widely and freely available as possible through the University's institutional repository Enlighten. The policy will apply from the beginning of the 2008/2009 academic session.

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- To increase the visibility of research publications produced by staff employed by or associated with the University of Glasgow
- To ensure that research outputs are prepared and curated in a way which helps maximise the value that they have for the university in terms of the external use of bibliometric data e.g. league tables, post-2008 RAE

Approach

1. The University will maximise the impact of University publications in bibliometric analyses by ensuring that all research outputs are accurately recorded as being produced by University of Glasgow staff. There is some lack of consistency in the addresses used by authors.

The following addresses are examples of this. Taken from the Web of Science, one of the preferred bibliographic tools for the REF, these addresses appear on recent publications by University academic staff:
BUE Chalmers Lundström, Daniel, Lundström, Ivar and Sundström,

Publications Policy

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Introduction

The University's ambition as stated in its strategic plan, "Building on Excellence" and Research Strategy 2006-2010 is be one of the world's Top 50 research intensive universities.

In 2006 the Government announced its intention to replace the existing RAE with the Research Excellence Framework (REF), an assessment based on metrics, including bibliometrics in the form of citations to papers. HEFCE states that:

'The REF will consist of a single unified framework for the funding and assessment of research across all subjects. It will make greater use of quantitative indicators in the assessment of research quality than the present system, while taking account of key differences between the different disciplines. Assessment will combine quantitative indicators - including bibliometric indicators wherever these are appropriate - and light-touch expert review, which of these elements are employed, and the balance between them, will vary as appropriate to each subject.'

Following a recent consultation HEFCE have decided that future assessments will include some form of metrics-based assessment, including bibliometrics, as well as peer review for all (not just STEM) subjects.

The University recognises that research publications, as one of the main outputs of research, are a key asset. As such, they should be managed in a way that ensures that they provide maximum value both to individual members of the academic community, whose research output they represent, and collectively to the institution. The academic community has an essential role to play in the generation and publication of research publications while the University has an important role to play both to support and assist academic staff, and as the curator of the assets.

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Gaelic place-names and the social history of Gaelic speakers in medieval Menteith

McNiven, Peter Edward (2011) *Gaelic place-names and the social history of Gaelic speakers in medieval Menteith*. PhD thesis, University of Glasgow.

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Abstract

This thesis illustrates that place-names are an essential resource for our understanding of Scottish medieval rural society, with a particular emphasis on Menteith. Place-names are an under-utilised resource in historical studies, and yet have much to inform the historian or archaeologist of how people used and viewed the medieval landscape. We know a great deal of the upper echelons of Scottish medieval society, especially the politics, battles, and lives of significant figures, such as various kings and great barons. However, we know next to nothing of the people from whom the nobility derived their power. The thesis is divided into two parts. Part 1 begins by defining the extent and geography of the medieval earldom of Menteith. The source material is analysed, highlighting the advantages and pitfalls of different sources that can be used for place-name studies. The different languages spoken in Menteith in the Middle Ages, ranging from P-Celtic to Scottish Gaelic to Scots, can be seen in the onomastic evidence. A crucial question that is explored, if not fully answered, is 'what P-Celtic language was spoken in Menteith: British or Pictish?'. This is followed by an exploration of what we know of the Gaelic language in Menteith. Documents and place-names allow us to pinpoint the beginnings of the change from Gaelic to Scots as the naming language in the area to the later 15th C. A brief survey of the historical background shows the influence the earls of Menteith and other nobles may have had on the languages of the earldom. The final two chapters of Part 1 look at the issue of using place-names as a historical resource; Chapter 5 explores secular activities, such as hunting and agriculture. Chapter 6 is a case study examining how place-names can inform us of the medieval church. Part 2 is a survey of the place-names of the six parishes that consisted of the medieval earldom of Menteith, including early forms and analysis of the names.

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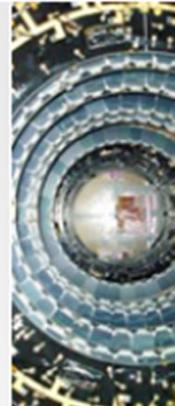
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 - Continued growth in records (45K+ records)
 - Continued growth in downloads (165K in 2011)
- Embedded in University’s preparation for national research assessment (REF) exercise
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- Publications Policy is a key platform for realising the advantages of Open Access and its impact

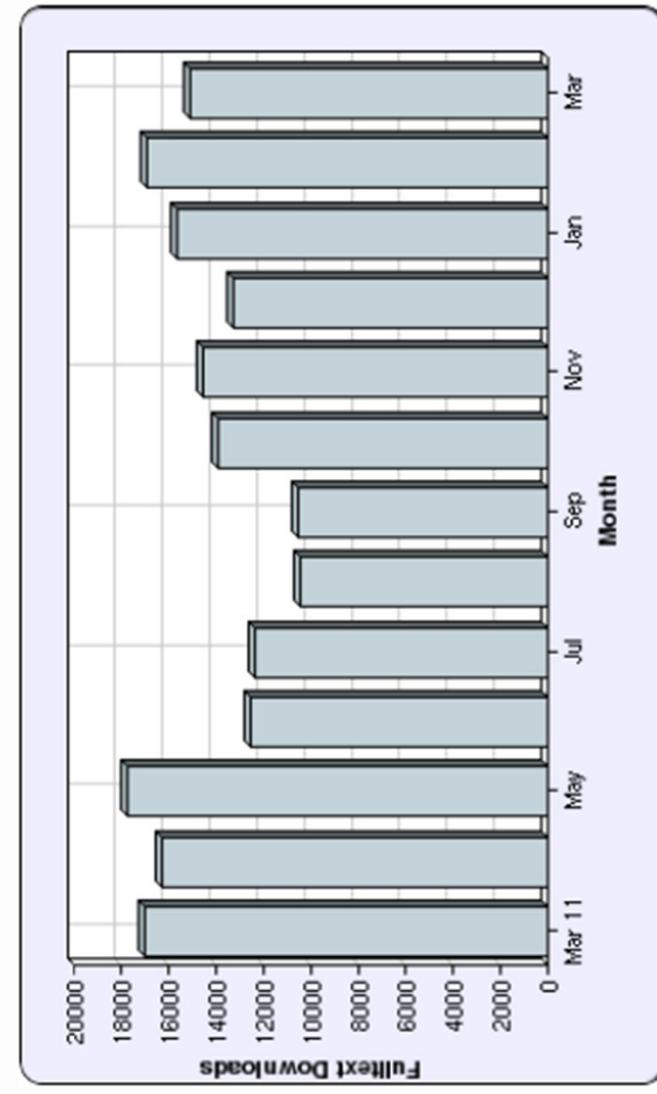
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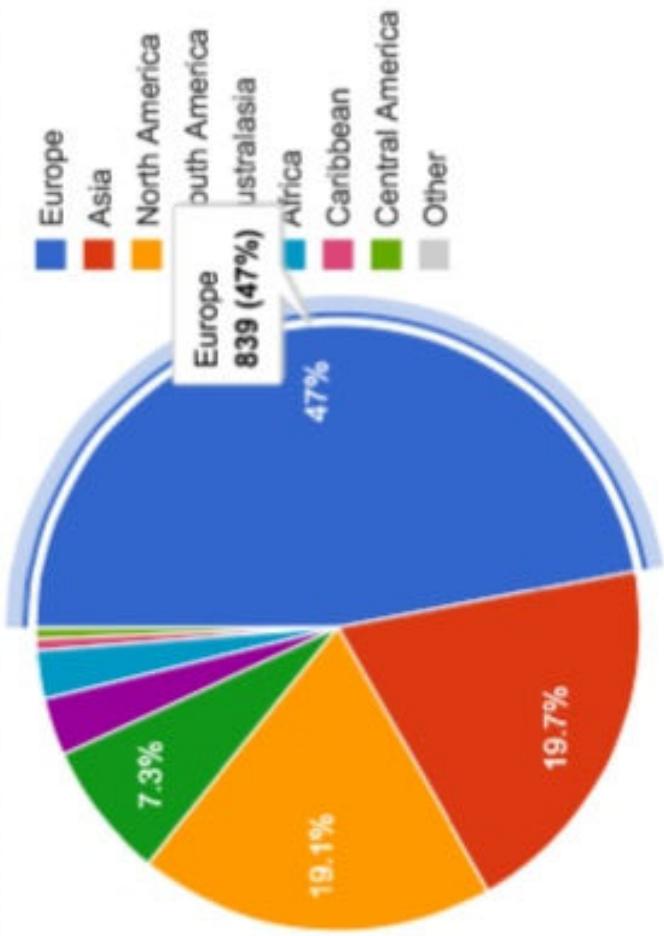
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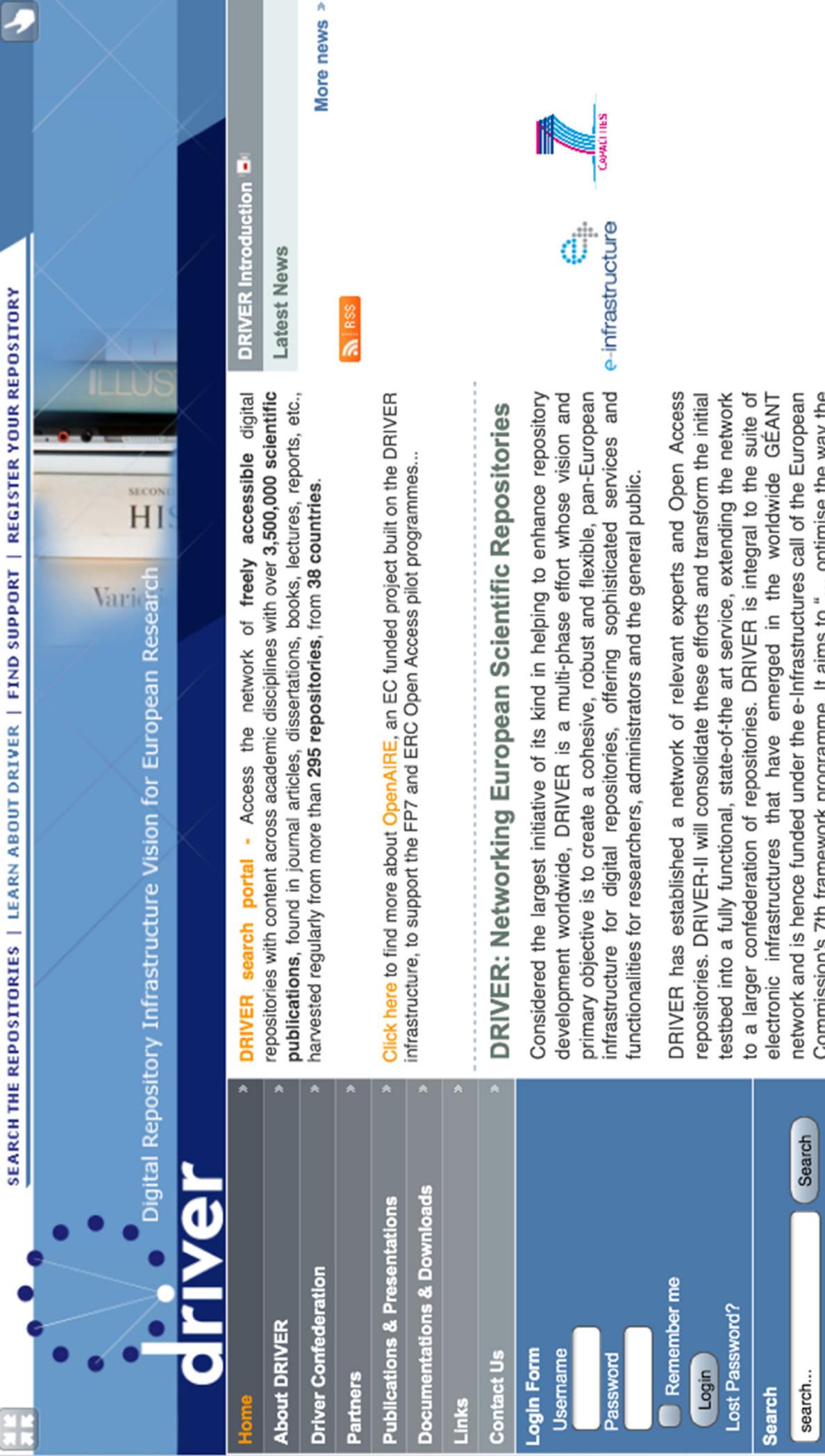
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Proportion of Repository Organisations by Continent - Worldwide



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DRIVER: Networking European Scientific Repositories

Considered the largest initiative of its kind in helping to enhance repository development worldwide, DRIVER is a multi-phase effort whose vision and primary objective is to create a cohesive, robust and flexible, pan-European infrastructure for digital repositories, offering sophisticated services and functionalities for researchers, administrators and the general public.

DRIVER has established a network of relevant experts and Open Access repositories. DRIVER-II will consolidate these efforts and transform the initial testbed into a fully functional, state-of-the art service, extending the network to a larger confederation of repositories. DRIVER is integral to the suite of electronic infrastructures that have emerged in the worldwide GÉANT network and is hence funded under the e-Infrastructures call of the European Commission's 7th framework programme. It aims to "... optimise the way the e-Infrastructure is used to store knowledge, add value to primary research data and information making secondary research more effective, provide a valuable asset for industry, and help bridging research and education."

The objectives of DRIVER-II, the second phase of the project, include efforts to expand, enrich, and strengthen the results of DRIVER, in the following areas:

- strategic geographic and community expansion by means of the DRIVER confederation

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14/03/2012

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OpenAIRE is harvesting usage data from repositories in an effort to produce metrics that will lead to an alternative way of assessing of FP7 OA publications. To ensure for maximum comparability of the statistics, the OpenAIRE Guidelines for Usage Statistics are in alignment with recent national initiatives in the UK (JISC PIRUS2), the Netherlands (SURF SURE) and Germany (OA-Statistik), all participating in the Knowledge Exchange Group on Usage statistics.

Contact us to learn how to join the effort and contribute with your repository's data.

A brief introduction is presented in the following sections, but you can also download the **OpenAIRE Guidelines for Usage Statistics v1.0** to find detailed information on how to participate in this effort.

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1 - What does usage statistics provides for stakeholder groups?

2 - Why are usage statistics important?

3 - How can your repository participate?

4 - How is aggregating performed?





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Operational Work Plan for the CRIS-IR Task Group

General objective of the Task Group:

"To work out an optimal solution for the interoperability of Research Information Systems on the one hand and Institutional Repositories on the other, on a European scale, taking into account all relevant aspects."

Concrete tasks:

1. Discussing and defining principles, policies and theoretical frameworks for the optimal organisation/interoperability of CRIS-OAR (the "philosophical" part of the job).
2. Determine and define the optimal set of metadata for a "CRIS-driven" repository.
3. Define a CERIF-XML based standard European interoperability format for CRIS-IR.
4. Work out technical models/proposals for optimal interoperability (integration, cooperation) of CRIS and IR. (An example of a concrete and practical activity here could be the issue of author identification, investigating the two main approaches: Digital Author/Person Identifiers vs. advanced person disambiguation techniques based on available metadata.)
5. Define the consequences of the previous points for CERIF and communicate this in the form of action points to the CERIF Task Group.
6. Work out models/proposals for optimal organisation of workflows and management activities related to CRIS-IR.
7. Development of use cases for CRIS-IR interoperability. Ambitious use cases could be useful in identifying potential ways forward.
8. Communicating within euroCRIS good practices in current real-life cases of interoperability between CRIS and repositories.
9. Actively promoting the cooperation between the CRIS and OAR communities.

Proposed actions for the near future.

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 - Repeat your message to management and academic colleagues
- Relationships
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- Different needs
 - Respect and accommodate different disciplines and their distinct academic requirements
- External influences
 - Use the work and decisions made by other institutions/funders to influence local change
- Systems and processes
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