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## GL2022 Conference Welcome Address Publishing Grey Literature in the Digital Century National Library of Medicine, USA • December 5-6, 2022



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data science. NLM's extensive data and information resources accelerate discovery, engage with new users, and advance the workforce for a data-driven future. Dr. Brennan has a Master of Science in Nursing from the University of Pennsylvania and a PhD in Industrial Engineering from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Dr. Brennan is a member of the US National Academy of Medicine, holds fellowships in the American Academy of Nursing and the American College of Medical Informatics, and the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering. [patti.brennan@nih.gov](mailto:patti.brennan@nih.gov)

## The GreyNet Award Recipient 2022



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# Twenty-Fourth International Conference on Grey Literature Publishing Grey Literature in the Digital Century

National Library of Medicine  
Lister Hill Auditorium, 5-6 December 2022  
Bethesda, Maryland USA

## Conference Program – Day 1

### OPENING SESSION

#### Welcome Address

*Dr. Patricia Flatley Brennan*  
National Library of Medicine  
United States

#### Keynote Address

*To be Announced*

#### Opening Address

*Dr. Markus Stocker*  
Leibniz Information Centre for  
Science and Technology, Germany

**Day Moderator – Kristina Womack, National Library of Medicine, United States**

### PLENARY SESSION ONE

#### DIGITAL PUBLISHING AND GREY LITERATURE

##### **Grey Literature in the Digital Century: What Makes it Different?**

*Julia Gelfand, University of California, Irvine, United States*

##### **Enhancing Access to Grey Literature and Data in Health Sciences**

*Sangeeta Narang, JPNA Trauma Centre, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, India*

##### **Characteristics of a Well-Developed Grey Literature Repository: The Case of the International Nuclear Information System**

*Brian Bales, International Atomic Energy Agency; Nuclear Information Section, Austria*

##### **A Retrospective on the Challenges of Introducing Grey Literature into a Scholarly Publishing Platform**

*Alistair Reece, GeoScienceWorld, United States*

##### **Information Fatigue Syndrome, Digital Burnout, and Grey Literature**

*Dobriva Savić, IAEA Information And Knowledge Management Consultant, Austria*

### PLENARY SESSION TWO

#### STAKEHOLDERS AND POLICIES INFLUENCING GREY LITERATURE

##### **Open Science as an Opportunity for Academic Grey Literature**

*Joachim Schöpfel, University of Lille and Hélène Prost, CNRS - GERiICO, France*

##### **Data Science as a Research Support Service and the Role of the Libraries: UF's CNI Executive Roundtable Experience**

*Plato Smith, Erik Deumens, and Christopher Barnes, University of Florida, United States*

##### **A Study on the Conceptualization of Digital Transformation from a Data Management Perspective**

*Seokjong Lim and JaeHoon Kim, Korea Institute of Science and Technology Information, KISTI, South Korea*

##### **Using the Overton policy to academic citation network: How does the policy grey literature and scholarly record connect?**

*Euan Adie, Terrence Bucknell, Jennifer Glover, and Angel Luis Jaso Tamame; Open Policy Ltd., UK*

##### **Legal Implications of the CASE Act on Grey Libraries and Grey Literature Authors**

*Tomas A. Lipinski and Laura Christine Schein, School of Information Studies; University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee, United States*

### INTRODUCTION TO CONFERENCE POSTERS

Lightening presentations on each conference poster that will be exhibited in the main conference hall during the Poster Session and Sponsor Showcase on the morning of Day 2.

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### Conference Program – Day 2

#### POSTER SESSION AND SPONSOR SHOWCASE

The Poster Session continues on the morning of Day 2, where the presenters meet with delegates and participants in an informal setting. Those presenting conference posters are eligible for the Poster Prize 2022 that will be awarded during the Closing Session. Posters will be judged on their innovative content, relevance to the conference, graphic design, and presentation. This year's posters will be judged by both a delegate jury as well as an online public forum. The first Call for Posters opens on April 25, 2022.

**Day Moderator – Esther Lee, National Library of Medicine, United States**

#### PLENARY SESSION THREE

##### INNOVATING AND REPURPOSING GREY LITERATURE

**ICSTI Member Survey: Innovative services for non-textual materials** *Margret Plank, TIB Hannover, Germany*  
*Shelby Stooksbury, OSTI-DOE, Lisa Curtin, International Council for Scientific and Technical Information, United States*

**Preregistration of research for theses - a new standard?**

*Tereza Šímová, Czech University of Science, Institute of Philosophy of the Czech Academy of Sciences, Czech Republic*

**Patent Files: Case Study of Digitalization in The National and University Library**

*Veronika Potocnik and Mojca Trtnik, National and University Library, Slovenia*

**Zine Making as Autoethnographic Serious Leisure**

*Andrea Marshall, Centre for Media and Celebrity Studies, United States*

**Digital Publishing, Open Access, and Grey Literature: The War in Ukraine 2022 as a Use Case**

*Dominic Farace, GreyNet International, Netherlands; Plato L. Smith, University of Florida; George A. Smathers Libraries, United States; Stefania Biagioni and Carlo Carlesi, InfraScience; ISTI-CNR, Italy*

#### SPECIAL PANEL SESSION

##### CHALLENGES AND REWARDS OF COLLECTING AND PROCESSING DIGITAL GREY LITERATURE IN U.S. NATIONAL LIBRARIES AND AGENCIES

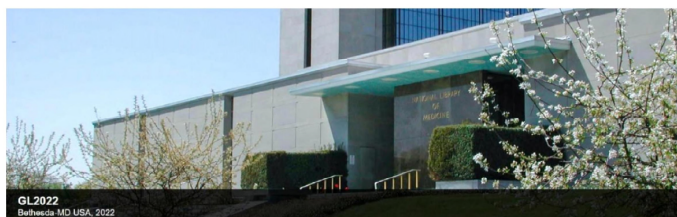
A Special Panel comprising four government subject matter experts on grey literature will talk about the unique challenges and rewards they face as consumers of published grey literature in this digital era in the public sector.

#### CLOSING SESSION

Closing wrap-up by the two Conference Moderators, Presentation of the Poster Prize, Conference Handoff, and Farewell

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### Online Survey

## Digital Publishing, Open Access, and Grey Literature The War in Ukraine 2022 as a Use Case

The underlying strategy in this study focuses on digital persistent identifiers and other linked open data as they become connected and interrelated in the course of research and whose outcome is published as grey literature. On January 31st 2022, GreyNet published its 2nd edition of the International Directory of Organizations in Grey Literature (IDGL). This edition includes record entries from 45 countries worldwide with a listing of 224 organizations. Each entry contains the organization's URL and ROR ID, which further provides access to other linked open data such as GRID, ISNI, CrossRef Funder ID, and Wikidata. GreyNet will use this information resource as a lead into the project dealing with digital publishing, open access, and grey literature, whereby the War in Ukraine will serve as a use case. The population of the study relies for the greater part on IDGL, a digital publication that contains access to persistent identifiers, specifically the ROR ID. An online survey is then further designed, the questions are formulated in such a way that a number of the responses provide other linked open data and digital persistent identifiers namely ORCIDs and DOIs. Survey data together with the linked metadata gathered and compiled in this study will then be analyzed. The results are expected to demonstrate the currentness of grey literature, its diverseness in formats and document types, the organizations that stand behind these publications, and how actionable persistent identifiers opens research in grey literature to a new level playing field situated in a FAIR environment. An environment where data is not only findable and openly accessible but also interoperable and reusable by means of digital publishing. Records harvested via the online survey will be included in the RGL Collection (Resources in Grey Literature) housed in the GreyGuide Repository. <https://nl.surveymonkey.com/r/6XCP5QR>



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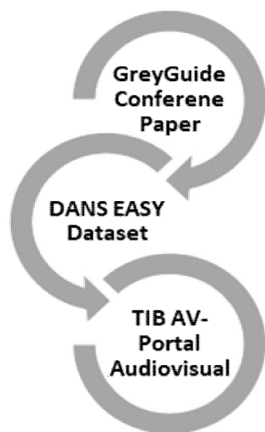
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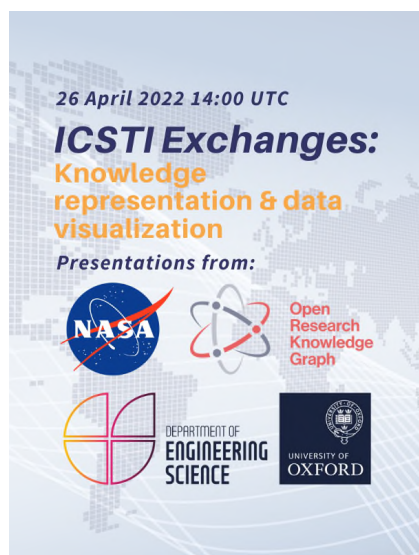
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## GreyNet’s Partner ICSTI Offers Free Event April 26, 2022



The International Council for Scientific and Technical Information (ICSTI), presents the second entry in their ICSTI Exchanges webinar series. ICSTI Exchanges webinars are free to attend and open to the public. The topic of the upcoming session, scheduled for April 26 at 14:00 UTC, is knowledge representation and data visualization. Three invited speakers will exchange recent approaches on the design and use of visualization and representation techniques and tools, including knowledge graphs. Following their short presentations, there will be time for open Q&A and discussion. The invited speakers on April 26 are Dr. Min Chen, Professor of Scientific Visualization at the University of Oxford Department of Engineering Science, Dr. Anna-Lena Lorenz, Community Builder for the Open Research Knowledge Graph, and Dr. David Meza, Senior Data Scientist at NASA. ICSTI Exchanges events are open to all in the scientific and technical information community. Free registration is required.

### Event Registration

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### The Grey Lit Café Podcast



The Grey Lit Café explores the opportunities and benefits that grey lit provides for professionals and researchers. The podcast is directed by Anthony Haynes, produced by Dr Bart Hallmark, and published by Frontinus Ltd ([frontinus.org.uk](http://frontinus.org.uk)), a communications agency focused on engineering, infrastructure, sustainability, and research. <https://thegreylitcafe.buzzsprout.com/>

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