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## GL20 Conference Announcement

Twentieth International Conference on Grey Literature  
'Research Data Fuels and Sustains Grey Literature'  
Loyola University, New Orleans, 3-4 December 2018

The definition of research data is as encompassing as the field of grey literature. What should be included and what should be excluded is and remains an issue of concern. Research data can be defined as factual materials collected by diverse communities of practice required to validate findings. While the majority of research data is created in digital format, research data in other formats cannot be excluded. The formats in which research data appear are multiple and the types of research data are diverse. This also holds for the numerous document types in which grey literature appear published.

Today, while emphasis is placed on big data, the fact that the majority of research projects are small to medium size is overlooked. This is but another characteristic that holds true for grey literature. Nonetheless, one should be aware that research publications are not research data, for they are often managed separately from one another. Just as there are a number of stakeholders involved in the production, access, and preservation of grey publications, so too are there stakeholders tasked with the creation and management of research data. Libraries and data management librarians have the responsibility for the curation of the data they collect and preserve. And, it is important to stress the need to maintain appropriate metadata related to research data in order to facilitate their interpretation and further reuse.

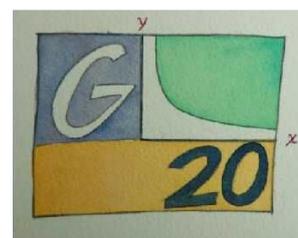
Over the past quarter century, grey literature communities have worked diligently to demonstrate how their documents are produced, published, reviewed, indexed, accessed, and further used, applied, and preserved. Today, these communities are now challenged to demonstrate how research data fuels and sustains their grey literature. These communities of dedicated researchers and authors maintain a strong conviction in the uses and applications of grey literature for science and society. Through the years, they have proved willing to share the results of scholarly work well beyond their own institutions. Hence, one can assume they are aware that innovation forfeits with the loss of data as with the loss of information. This 20<sup>th</sup> International Conference in the GL-Series seeks to address key issues and topics related to grey literature and its underlying research data.

# Twentieth International Conference on Grey Literature Research Data Fuels and Sustains Grey Literature



Loyola University, New Orleans, Louisiana, USA

December 3-4, 2018



## Call for Papers

<b>Title of Paper:</b>	<b>Conference Topic(s):</b>
<b>Author Name(s):</b>	<b>Phone:</b>
<b>Organization(s):</b>	<b>Email:</b>
<b>Postal Address:</b>	<b>URL:</b>
<b>Postal/Zip Code – City – Country:</b>	

## Guidelines for Abstracts

Participants who seek to present a paper dealing with grey literature are invited to submit an English language abstract between 350-400 words. The abstract should address the problem/goal, the research method/procedure, an indication of costs related to the project, as well as the anticipated results of the research. The abstract should likewise include the title of the proposed paper, conference topic(s) most suited to the paper, name(s) of the author(s), and full address information. Abstracts are the only tangible source that allows the Program Committee to guarantee the content and balance in the conference program. Every effort should be made to reflect the content of your work in the abstract submitted. Abstracts not in compliance with the guidelines will be returned to the author for revision.

### Related Conference Topics

- Long Tail Research Data and Grey Literature
- Metadata on the Frontline of Research
- Data Management and the Role of Librarians
- Current Research Trends in Grey Literature
- Research Data and Open Access Compliance
- Data Policies Reflect the Political Will of Organizations
- Other related topic:

## Due Date and Format for Submission

Abstracts in MS Word must be emailed to [conference@textrelease.com](mailto:conference@textrelease.com) on or before **April 15, 2018**. The author will receive verification upon its receipt. By early May, shortly after the Program Committee meets, authors will be notified of their place on the conference program. This notice will be accompanied by further guidelines for submission of full text papers, biographical information, accompanying research data, PowerPoint slides, and required Author Registration.

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GL20 Program and Conference Bureau

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"The GreyForum is a series of onsite and online courses, seminars, and workshops where grey literature provides common ground for information professionals in the process of knowledge transfer"

## Data Papers, A Trusted Tool in Research and Data Sharing



This forum and training is organized by GreyNet International, the University of Florida, George A. Smathers Libraries and the University of Florida, Informatics Institute

### Data Papers, A Trusted Tool in Research and Data Sharing



### GreyForum Series 6.1

#### Workshop

Data Papers, A Trusted Tool in Research and Data Sharing

#### Date

Tuesday, March 20<sup>th</sup> 2018

#### Time

9:00AM – 1:00PM

#### Location

University of Florida  
Marston Science Library  
Training Lab, Room L308  
Gainesville, Florida 32611 USA

#### Directions, Travel, and Lodging



<http://cms.uflib.ufl.edu/envisioning-data-symposium/travel.aspx>

#### Sponsor

University of Florida,  
George A. Smathers Libraries

#### Participant Quota

The workshop and training can accommodate 24 participants

#### Online Registration

<https://informatics.institute.ufl.edu/2017/12/register-greynet-data-papers-training-workshop/>

#### Cancellation

[ufl@research.ufl.edu](mailto:ufl@research.ufl.edu)

### Program Outline, Instructors, and the Prospective Trainees

**Opening**, Judith C. Russell, Dean of University Libraries

**The Librarian's Pivotal Role in Research and Data Sharing**

*Dr. Plato L. Smith, Data Management Librarian,  
University of Florida, George A. Smathers Libraries, (USA)*

**Data Papers – Grey Literature that implements FAIR Principles**

*Dr. Dominic Farace, Director  
GreyNet International (Netherlands)*

**Workshop and Training**

*Hands-on completion of a data paper template and Assessment*

This program and training is geared to librarians, archivists, researchers, and other information professionals in government, academics, and business involved in the creation and/or management of research data. Emphasis lies in raising awareness to data access and its potential reuse for science and society. Instructor presentations are delivered in a plenary setting and are followed by a training session conducted with the aid of computers.

### Program Outline

09:00 Arrival, Welcome	11:15 Trainer Instruction
09:15 Librarian's Role in Research	11:30 Training Session
10:00 Introduction to Data Papers	12:30 Group Assessment
10:45 Morning Break	13:00 Close and Lunch

About the GreyForum Series [www.greynet.org/greyforumseries.html](http://www.greynet.org/greyforumseries.html)

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# Data Visualization of a GL Community: A Cooperative Project

Roberto Bartolini, Sara Goggi, Gabriella Pardelli, and Irene Russo

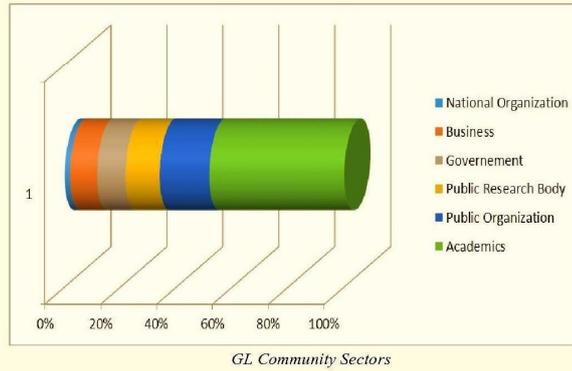
Institute for Computational Linguistics "Antonio Zampolli", ILC-CNR Italy  
 Dominic Farace and Jerry Frantzen  
 GreyNet International

## The Survey

The survey aims to provide a second snapshot of the geographical distribution of GL organizations and their participation to the annual International Conference on Grey Literature over the time (in the period from 2003 to 2016 [GL5-GL18]).

### WHY

This quotation stresses the important role of the several international organizations in producing and disseminating knowledge in the field of Grey Literature (GL)



### HOW

- The geographical representation of stakeholders in government, academics, business and industry aims at visualizing the GL community across the globe
- It concerns about 500 organizations which over the years have contributed to the development of a common vision on the most pressing issues of the field by using new paradigms such as Open Access and the social networks.

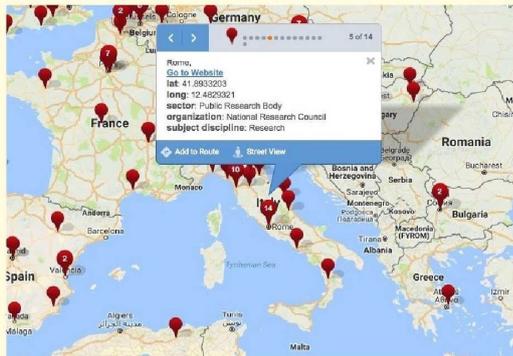
## Data analysis

SECTORS	JOB TITLE
Academics	Contributing Correspondent
Business	Digital Archivist
Business	Independent Information Consultant
Business	Assistant University Librarian
Public Research Body	Coordinator
Public Research Body	General Secretary
Academics	Research Librarian
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### WHAT

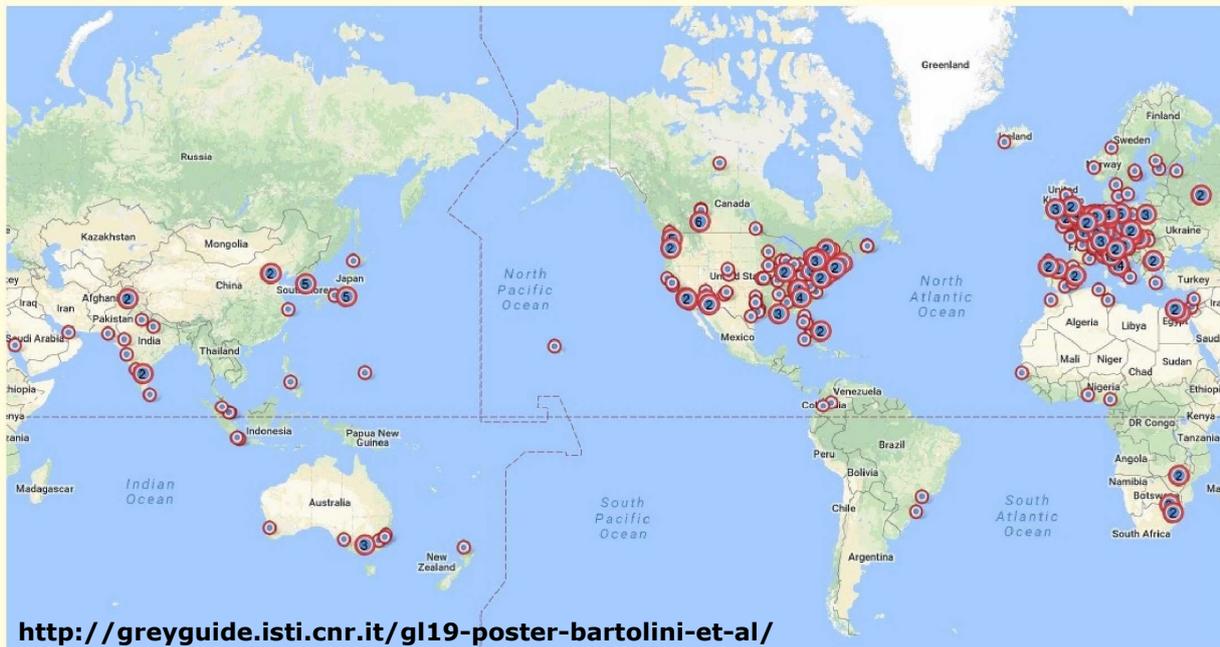
This year GreyNet International marks its Twenty Fifth Anniversary and seeks to more fully showcase organizations, whose involvement in grey literature is in one or more ways linked to GreyNet.org. This revised and updated edition of IDGL will benefit from the use of visualization software mapping the cities in which GreyNet's contacts are located. Behind each point of contact are a number of fields that can be grouped and cross-tabulated for further data analysis. Such fields include the name of the organization, acronym, URL, sector of information, subject/discipline, affiliate's job title, city, state, country (ISO), and continent.

## Data visualization



ORGANIZATION	SUBJECT / DISCIPLINE	ACRONYM	CITY
Aalto University			Aalto
Access Innovations, Inc.			Albuquerque
ACI Scholarly Blog Index, ACI Information Group			Hamden
Acquire Media BV	Publishing		Zwolle
ADLIB Information Systems	Information Systems		Maarsse
Agence bibliographique de l'enseignement supérieur		ABES	Montpellier
Alberta Health Services, Tom Baker Cancer Centre	Health Services	AHS	Calgary
Albion College			Albion
Alama iqbal Open University			Islamabad

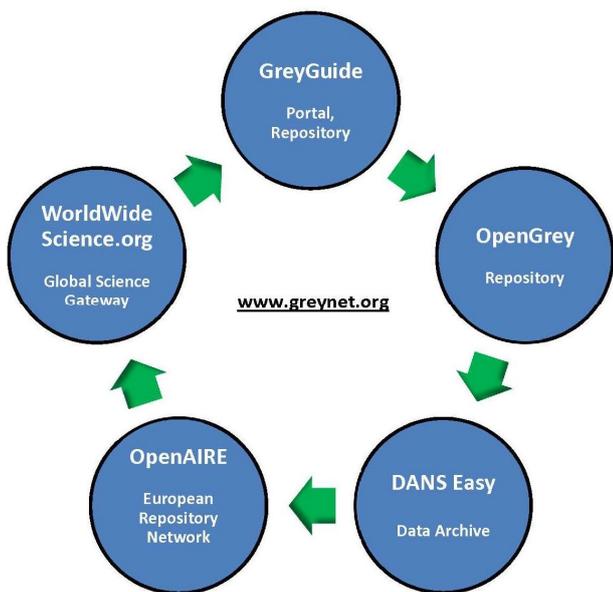
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	Finland	Europe	FIN	http://www.aalto.fi
New Mexico	United States	North America	USA	http://www.accessinn.com
Connecticut	United States	North America	USA	http://www.aci.info
	Netherlands	Europe	NLD	http://www.acquiremedia.nl
	Netherlands	Europe	NLD	http://www.adlibsoft.com
	France	Europe	FRA	http://www.abes.fr
	Canada	North America	CAN	http://www.ahs.ca
Michigan	United States	North America	USA	http://www.albion.edu



<http://greyguide.isti.cnr.it/gl19-poster-bartolini-et-al/>

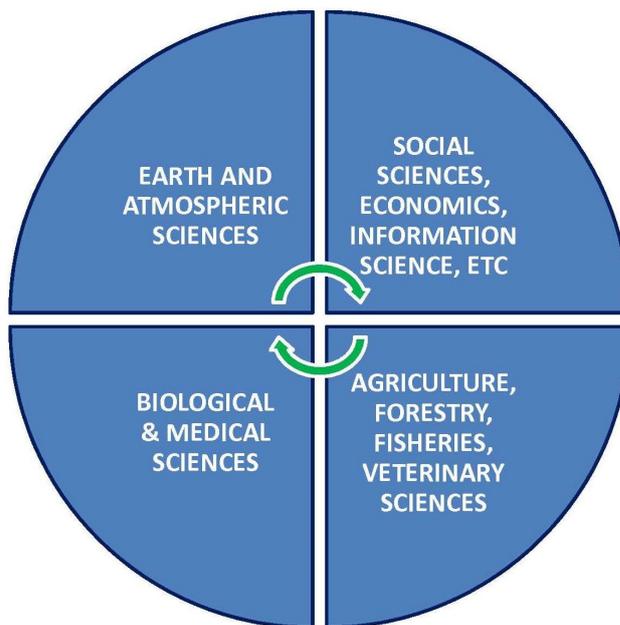
## GreyNet Network Service Providers

GreyGuide Portal/Repository, OpenGrey Repository, DANS Data Archive, OpenAIRE, WorldWideScience



## Grey Literature Communities of Practice

[www.greynet.org/greysourceindex.html](http://www.greynet.org/greysourceindex.html)



## GL Conference Lifecycle & Workflow

The Annual International Conference on Grey Literature renders during the course of its lifecycle a series of milestones and deliverables

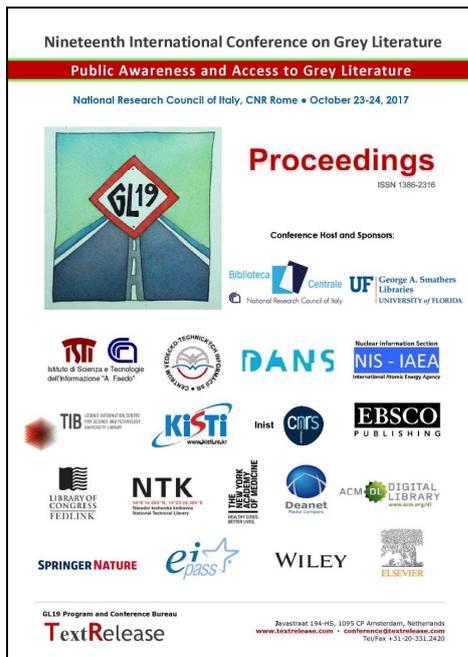
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	<b>3.</b> Program Committee Agenda and Logbook		<b>9.</b> Conference Evaluation
	<b>4.</b> Author Memoranda		<b>10.</b> Non-Exclusive Rights Agreements
	<b>5.</b> Draft Program published on Conference Website		<b>11.</b> Conference Proceedings ISSN 1386-2316 ISBN 978-90-77484-30-2
	<b>6.</b> Call for Posters		<b>12.</b> Conference Outputs via Service Providers: Metadata, Full Texts, Research Data, AVM, Etc.

## GreyNet's Social Media & Network

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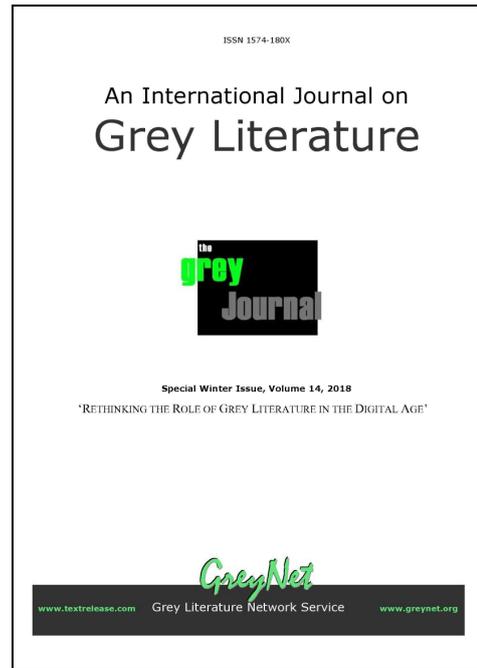


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