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GL18 Special Panel Session on Data Data is a key component of the grey literature universe

Most data is not being indexed, published or controlled in a manner that is easily accessible or findable. Panelists will talk about what big data is, how to find datasets, and discuss some of the projects that they are working on.



Eighteenth International Conference on Grey Literature
"Leveraging Diversity in Grey Literature"

Panel Session – Data: Its Use and Preservation



José A. Pagán PhD

**Director, Center for Health Innovation
New York Academy of Medicine**

"What people mean by big data and why it is important to know what it is and how data can be used to improve health"

José A. Pagán, PhD, is Director of the Center for Health Innovation at The New York Academy of Medicine and Professor in the Department of Population Health Science and Policy at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai. He is a former Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health & Society Scholar with expertise in health economics and health services research. Dr. Pagán received his PhD in economics from the University of New Mexico and he is also Adjunct Senior Fellow of the Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics at the University of Pennsylvania.

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Fred LaPolla M.L.S.

**Knowledge Management Librarian
NYU School of Medicine**

"Availability of shareable datasets and what NYU Health Sciences Library has done to make them discoverable"

Fred LaPolla is a member of the Health Sciences Library's Data Services team and the liaison to the Radiology Department. His main area of work is in data visualization services and he is available for classes, workshops, and one-on-one consults on design best practices. He is also interested in publishing metrics, as well as assisting members of the NYULMC community with literature searching and citation management. Fred LaPolla earned his B.A. in Chinese language and literature from George Washington University and his M.L.S. from CUNY Queens College.

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Plato L. Smith PhD

**Data Management Librarian
University of Florida Libraries**

"How stakeholders are involved in the data management planning and data lifecycle processes. Developing a dataset collection using Zenodo."

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1216 Fifth Avenue
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November 28-29, 2016

Call for Posters

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Author Name(s):	Phone:
Organization(s):	Fax:
Postal Address:	Email:
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Participants who seek to present a poster during GL18 are invited to submit an English abstract between 300-350 words. The abstract should describe the project and/or related information product or service. The abstract should likewise include a title, name(s) of the presenter(s) and their full address information. Abstracts are an important source of information available prior to the conference that is accessible to both the delegates and conference participants.

Conference Related Topics

- Diversity in Publishing and Disseminating Grey Literature
- Open Access and Shared Grey Resources
- Altmetrics, Aggregating Data and its Semantic Analysis
- Fueling Public Awareness to Grey Literature
- Other Poster Topic:

Due Date and Format for Submission

Timely registration is a guarantee of your placement on the conference program. The conference venue is only able to accommodate a limited number of physical posters. Abstracts in Word should be emailed to conference@textrelease.com on or before **November 1st 2016**. The author will receive verification upon receipt and this will be accompanied by further guidelines for submission of PowerPoint slides, Conference Registration, etc.

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Registration Form

The Conference Registration Fee includes attendance during the Plenary , Poster and Panel Sessions, a copy of the GL18 Program Book, the full-text of the Conference Papers and PowerPoint Slides along with the conference pouch and participant badge. Also included are lunches and refreshments during the morning and afternoon breaks as well as the scheduled conference tours.

Payment after October 15th 2016 add a USD 60 Surcharge

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Grey Literature on a Level Playing Field

Outline of a presentation for the SWI-Working Group

African Studies Centre Leiden, Netherlands on 15 November 2016

Dominic Farace

Flip the switch, identify grey in a new light



It may not be alarming that the general public is unaware of what constitutes grey literature. What is alarming is when information professionals well into the 21st Century remain in the dark confusing grey literature with ephemera, echoing half-truths that it's hard to find, that it's unpublished, that it's not peer reviewed and of inferior quality to commercial publications. Even inserting personal bias *e.g.* that they don't like the term 'grey literature'. Let's take a few minutes to shed light on significant developments in this field of library and information science over the last couple of decades.

Grey Literature on the changing information landscape



One should not be surprised by changes in grey literature given the rapid pace of change on the information landscape brought on by advancements in technology and its impact on the production, processing, access, and preservation of grey as well as commercial publications. It could be said that the driving force behind these technological advancements were to a great degree focused on resolving the fundamental problems of information overload and its concomitant loss of information. Two problems seen as interconnected with the supply and demand sides of grey literature.

Examples of Grey Research Communities



Grey Literature is highly diverse bridging sectors of government, academics, business and industry. Even within one of these sectors diversity becomes further accentuated. Take for example academics, where research leading to published grey literature extends to disciplines and subject areas in the natural sciences, social sciences and humanities. As a result, numerous grey literature communities have developed over the years in a concerted effort to facilitate both the supply and demand sides for their grey literature. Let's look at some examples of the work done by these communities with particular emphasis on the social sciences.

Welcome to challenges on the Grey Horizon



In the spring of 2014, a workshop held in Pisa, Italy addressed challenges to policy development of grey literature resources. A 15 point document that has come to be known as the Pisa Declaration was drawn-up and has since been signed by over 140 signatories from some 70 organizations in 30 countries worldwide. The Pisa Declaration has since been translated and published in 20 languages. GreyNet being one of the signatories to the Pisa Declaration carried out a study to assess and further leverage its own information resources. This presentation concludes with a brief review of the outcome of that study.

About the Presenter



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Conference delegates and participants to the Eighteenth International Conference on Grey Literature will have the opportunity to join in a special conference tour of the United Nations Dag Hammarskjöld Library on November 29, 2016. Those who are already registered or who plan to register for GL18 and wish to take part in this tour are asked to notify the conference bureau on or before November 20, 2016 in order to arrange for a special pass from the UN Security Office.

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