

## New University Library Initiatives

### Illinois Experts BETA Launched

Illinois Experts BETA (IEb) <<https://experts.illinois.edu/>>, a joint initiative of the University Library and the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research, is a faculty profile sharing database to showcase the research and research expertise on campus. Currently it has 1,789 science, technology, engineering, math, and social science faculty profiles that will expand to 2,500 from all Illinois disciplines.

News and publishing content is automated from Scopus literature citation / abstract database and Newsflo media monitoring service, with plans to expand types of content (e.g., grants, patents) and input sources (e.g., OCLC World-Cat database among others). Search experts' profiles, research output, datasets, activities, press / media, prizes, and more from the website.

### Illinois Data Bank Now Available

Illinois Data Bank (IDB) <<https://databank.illinois.edu/>> is the public access repository for providing access to UIUC research data. A number of federal agencies have mandated data preservation and sharing. IDB provides a means for researchers to comply.

Deposits can be made on the IDS website, where they are then searchable. Data sets are given persistent identifier DOIs, and are archived in Medusa and a "copy of last resort" is in Amazon Glacier. Research Data Service <<http://researchdataservice.illinois.edu/>> is available for pre-deposit consultations, as well as an option to request review of deposit before it is published. More at <http://www.library.illinois.edu/news/IllinoisDataBank.html>.

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Funk Library, 4th floor, West Side, McFarland Carillon. Beautiful view to inspire while studying!

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## The Savvy Researchers' Workshops, Spring 2016

Join us for 50 minute, hands-on workshops that will help you improve your research and information management skills. These workshops are open to all affiliates of the University. Upcoming sessions include:

- Revamping Your Research Plan: Citation Chasing, Keyword Searching, and More
- Creating and Incorporating Visual Media into Your Research
- Digital Publishing with Scalar
- It's Fair Use Week—Do You Know Your Fair Use Rights?
- Smart and Simple Data Management
- Messy Data? Clean it up with OpenRefine!
- Advanced Text Mining Techniques with Python and HathiTrust Data

We have 60 unique titles being offered this semester and almost 110 sessions scheduled! Plus we have the old standbys. View the schedule: <http://go.library.illinois.edu/savvyresearcher>.

Many of our sessions have online support, please see the workshop descriptions and LibGuides (<http://guides.library.illinois.edu/>) for links.

Remember that ALL of our workshops can be scheduled for class sessions or faculty meetings. Please direct all queries to this form (which is also linked at the top of the workshop calendar): <http://go.library.illinois.edu/workshoprequest>.

For more details and registration: <http://go.library.illinois.edu/savvyresearcher>

All sessions held in the Main Library, Room 314 unless otherwise noted.

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## Smart and Simple Data Management for the Busy Researcher

This session aims to provide you with data management best practices and tools to increase your research efficiency and impact. We'll present a basic introduction to data management using a data management plan framework and discuss how to find and vet resources for making data publicly accessible.

- DATE & TIME: February 17, 2017 | 10:00am – 11:30am
- LOCATION: Funk ACES Library, Room 509
- PRESENTERS: Sarah Williams & Heidi Imker

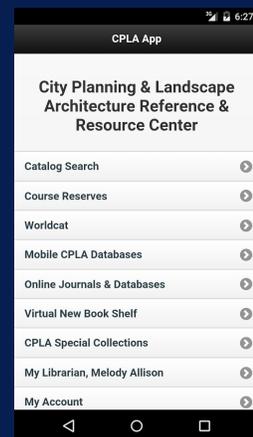
For more details and a registration link go to <https://illinois.edu/calendar/detail/4068?eventId=33254162&calMin=201701&cal=20170112&skinId=7198>

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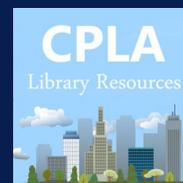
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<http://www.library.illinois.edu/funkaces>

for more about us!

## Camiros Makes Major Collection Gift to University Library

The Funk Library is pleased to announce the acquisition of 1,393 planning documents published from the 1970s through 2000s from the Chicago based urban planning consulting firm of Camiros, Ltd. <<http://www.camiros.com/>>. Professor Robert Olshansky, Head, UIUC Department of Urban and Regional Planning, states, "Camiros is one of a small number of eminent longstanding planning firms in Chicago. ... We appreciate the donation of this unique collection of historic documents, as they record the evolution of thinking in our field."

Founded in 1976, Camiros serves public and private clients across the nation helping them to transform communities to provide their citizens a high quality of life. With a mission to create more livable communities, the firm has provided planning services to over 300 communities and over 200 business. Camiros has established a national reputation built, in part, upon its in-depth research to develop and propose cutting edge, implementable programs geared to the character of its client communities.

To facilitate its work, Camiros has, over the years, compiled a substantial print library offering both theoretical and practical insights into a broad range of urban planning topics. In addition to serving as a repository of its own work, the library served as a research tool for the firm's consultants and its clients.

As the internet has evolved to offer a ready base of such information, the firm felt that the time was now at hand to share its knowledge base with others through the donation of its print library to the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC) University Library. Melody Allison, Funk Library liaison to the UIUC Department of Urban and Regional Planning, states "We are extremely grateful to Camiros President William R. James, and Co-Founders Leslie S. Pollock and Jacques A. Gourguechon for selecting University Library to donate this extraordinary collection. This gift will substantially add unique titles to our extensive collection of urban and regional plans and make an invaluable contribution to resources for scholarship for planning scholars and community planners. It will add to the breadth of our historic information; provide context for current development; inspire new, or retro, development; and better understand our past to better plan our future."



### [The Image of Research - UR Edition 2017 is now taking submissions](#)

**Submit!** Image of Research is a multidisciplinary competition celebrating the diversity and breadth of undergraduate research at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign. All undergraduate students are invited to submit entries consisting of an image and brief text that articulates how the images relates to the research.

**Awards:** First prize: \$300 Second prize: \$200 Additionally, there may be up to two honorable mentions.

**Submission form:** <https://illinois.edu/sb/sec/2532186>

**Deadline for submissions:** Wednesday, March 1, 2017

**All submissions will be displayed** at the [Undergraduate Research Symposium](#) on April, and archived in [IDEALS](#).

**See examples** of past winners and all submissions: <https://undergradresearch.illinois.edu/students/award-winners.html>

**For more information**, please see the Image of Research-UR at <https://publish.illinois.edu/imageofresearch-undergrad>

**Questions should be addressed** to [sc@library.illinois.edu](mailto:sc@library.illinois.edu)

The Image of Research is organized by the [Scholarly Commons of the University Library](#) and the [Office of Undergraduate Research](#) and is supported by a generous gift to the Scholarly Commons from the [Division of Intercollegiate Athletics](#).

# Resource Highlight - Data Citation Index

Locating the data related to research output is a challenge. There are multiple repositories to navigate, some provided by academic institutions for their scholars, some by academic professional societies, and some by government agencies. Knowing where to go and finding what is accessible once there can be time-consuming and confusing.

Part of the Web of Science\* suite of citation databases, *Data Citation Index* is a one-stop resource to access research data sets from major repositories across disciplines all in one place! This allows content and summary information to be linked and considered in a broader perspective.



*Data Citation Index* also displays the data with related literature indexed in the Web of Science databases thus streamlining intellectual discovery and sharing. And of course, being a Web of Science citation database you have the power of cited reference searching

to see who has cited that data in the published literature.

Clarivate Analytics bases its selection of data repositories to include in *Data Citation Index* on the strengths and weaknesses of their persistence and stability, funding sources and statements, peer review, age of material, and links to the research literature. Though our campus Illinois Data Bank <<https://databank.illinois.edu/>> repository is currently not a part of this database, we have recently applied to be. Will update on this as news develops.

As with federated search and discovery systems for literature (think the Library's various Easy Search <[http://www.library.illinois.edu/funkaces/handouts/CPLA\\_Easy\\_Search.pdf](http://www.library.illinois.edu/funkaces/handouts/CPLA_Easy_Search.pdf)> iterations), there are times when it is best to use a specific repository for its unique search and analysis features. But for many *Data Citation Index* will become the go-to resource to get started on their data journey.

Access *Data Citation Index* from the Web of Science link on the CPLA Reference and Resource Center website at <http://www.library.illinois.edu/cpla/>.

More information can be found on product site at <https://tinyurl.com/h2mghtg>, or contact me at [mmalliso@illinois](mailto:mmalliso@illinois) with any questions!

\*Note: In 2016 Thomson Reuters sold its Intellectual Property & Science business (includes Web of Science, Derwent World Patents Index, among others) to Baring Private Equity Asia and Onex Corporation of Toronto (owner of Nielsen Analytics), forming an independent company Clarivate Analytics Onex Corporation.

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