Workshop on Open Data and Reuse in Social Science Weather Research:
CU Boulder Listening Sessions - Lessons Learned for the Social Sciences

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Listening Sessions

3 sessions during Spring 2023 organized by the Boulder Faculty Assembly, Libraries, and Research & Innovation Office

Low attendance; hardly any representation from the social sciences.

Bandwidth and time may be the most significant challenge.
Lessons Learned

Significant questions/concerns around data publication:

1. Need more guidance around what counts for data.
2. Considerations for data with special circumstances (confidential or sensitive data, but also others)
3. Identifying appropriate and/or designated repositories for research data
Implications

Workshop Outcome:
How to make social, behavioral, and economic science data more *transparent* and *accessible* in accordance with new OSTP requirements.

Consider implications of public access on data REUSE
- Metadata, read.me files, codebooks for data
- Persistent Identifiers like DOIs and ORCiDs

Importantly, keep these conversations going, moving forward
CRDDS Training and Support

- Interdisciplinary Consult Hours
  - Tuesdays and Thursdays
- A variety of data-related workshops and trainings
- CU Scholar public access, archiving, and preservation for data sets
  - Can handle “big” data on the terabyte scale
  - CoreTrustSeal certification
- Data Management Plan (DMP) and Data Management and Sharing (DMS) Plan support
  - Consults
  - Review of draft plans
  - Guide to DMPTool for CU Boulder Researchers
Thank you!

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