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Research Data Management Planning

An Overview for Postgraduate Students

Good research data management planning protects your work, supports your thesis journey, and saves time.

What is a DMP?

A Data Management Plan (DMP) outlines how research data will be managed throughout your project. It is a living document that you should update as your research evolves.

The University has an **online DMP tool** that provides guided support to simplify data management and save you time in the future.

A DMP is required for research projects involving **sensitive or restricted** research data.



Protect research data

Helps you organise, document, and securely store data to prevent loss or misuse.



Compliance and best practice

Meets University, ethics and funder requirements and supports thesis submission.



Facilitate collaboration

Keeps project information in one place where it can be shared and discussed with your supervisor and project team.



Prepare for the future

Plan for data preservation and sharing to support future reuse and increase the visibility of your research.

How to get started

01

Log in to the University's online DMP tool

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Attend a DMP training workshop

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Review DMP guidance for students and supervisors

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