

# Towards Research Data Management Training at Kaunas University of Technology



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- Kaunas University of Technology for Open Access and Open Science
- Institutional initiatives: stand-alone and towards integration & sustainability
- Lessons learnt

## **Open Access policy**



EC Recommendation on access to and preservation of scientific information, 2012, revised in 2018

The Research Council of Lithuania adopted the Guidelines on Open Access to Scientific Publications and Data on February 29, 2016

- The Open Access to scientific publications is provided by uploading the publications in repositories, and/or Open Access journals
- The data must be preserved for a period no shorter than five years following the completion of the project;
- > A data management plan must be included in the project proposal.

The Guidelines on Open Access to Scientific Publications and Data adopted at Kaunas University of Technology on December 22, 2016



## **Open Science policy**



**Open Science** 

Better dissemination and exploitation of R&I results and support to active engagement of society

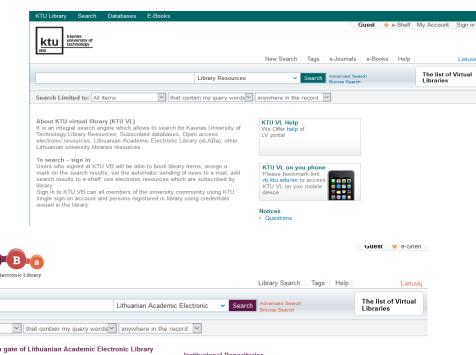
Mandatory Open Access to publications: beneficiaries shall ensure that they or the authors retain sufficient intellectual property rights to comply with open access requirements

Open Access to research data ensured: in line with the principle "as open as possible, as closed as necessary"; Mandatory Data Management Plan for FAIR (Findable, Accessible, Interoperable, Re-usable) and Open Research Data

- Support to researcher skills and reward systems for open science
- Use of European Open Science Cloud



## **Open access to publications via** institutional repository



## The Library

organizes the publications and electronic theses and dissertations database on the institutional repository (based on the national repository eLABa)

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- carries out bibliometric analysis
- provides training sessions /  $\geq$ consultations



Try new user interface Try new Primo Explore UI.

Search Help We offer help of search portal

### Institucional Repositories

### Learn more

about institutional repositories, uploading them to, plagiarism, copyright and open access

#### Virtualios Libraries

- Kauno University of Technology
- > Vytautas Magnus University

All items

Welcome to search gate of Lithuanian Academic Electronic Library

Search gate is an integral search system allowing search in Lithuanian academic libraries and other databases.

If you want to order and renew borrowed items and to use additional possibilities please select your Institutional Virtual Library (IVL) from the List of Virtual Libraries and sign in inside this IVL.

- > Lithuanian University of Health Sciences
- > Vilnius University
- List of Virtual Libraries...

### Lithuanian Academic Electronic Library

# LiDA – data repository for Social Sciences and Humanities





## National Open Access Desk for Lithuanian Researchers

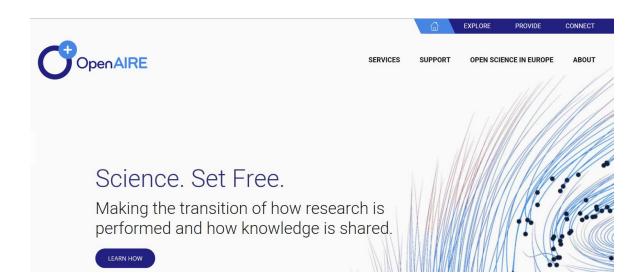


- 2018 2020 OpenAIRE-Advance (OpenAIRE Advancing Open Scholarship)
- 2015 2018 OpenAIRE2020 (Open Access Infrastructure for Research in Europe 2020)
- 2011 2014 OpenAIRE plus (2<sup>nd</sup> Generation of Open Access Infrastructure for Research in Europe)
- 2009 2011 OpenAIRE (Open Access Infrastructure for Research in Europe)



# Research support provided by OpenAIRE NOAD





- > Workshops, webinars
- Training sessions
- > Courses
- Web-based training material

## **FOSTER: "Promoting Open Science** among Young Researchers: **Opportunities and Challenges**"

341 peržiūra



2015-2016





Foster Kaunas University of Technology



Promoting Open Science among Young Researchers: Challenges and Opportunities

KTU E.mokymosi technologijų centras / KTU E-learni... ktu 200





## **Towards built-in practices**



KTU in cooperation with the University of Stavanger and European Consortium of Innovative Universities, focus on the development of transferable skills at the international PhD Summer School

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## KTU INTERNATIONAL PhD Summer School

21–25 AUGUST 2017 palanga, lithuania







2<sup>nd</sup> international PhD Summer School: "Open Science and Research Data Management" 24 August 2017



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# Workshop "Practising FAIR and Open Data Management", 19-20 April 2018









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## Open Science Trainer Bootcamp and Open Data Workshop on writing Data Management Plans 2-3 April 2019









## PhD course "Research Data Management"

June 26, 2017: approval at the committee of the joint Doctoral Programme in Educational Science October 2017: registration at Kaunas University of Technology 2018 – 2019 Moodle-based course is offered for PhD students as an elective

## **Topics:**

- 1. Research Data.
- 2. Research Data Management Plan.
- 3. Research Data Management Guidelines, Standards and Tools.
- 4. Legal and Ethical Issues. Data Licensing and Data Citations.
- 5. Using and Sharing Data.
- 6. Data Repositories and Archives.
- 7. Open Science Initiatives.



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## **Data Management Plan**

2018 / 2019



Data Management Plan was introduced as an obligatory element in the doctoral studies at Kaunas University of Technology.





Build your Data Management Plan

## **Research Data Alliance Europe National Node Lithuania, 2019**





The Node acts as a team of experts who represent different institutions and fields of activity and will be ready to promote and disseminate the outputs and recommendations developed by RDA to raise awareness and provide support in RDM in the national context, also provide feedback to RDA on achievements.



## **RDA in Lithuania**



leva Cesevičiūtė – RDA Node coordinator, Kaunas University of Technology.

**Aušra Gribauskienė** -- the Ministry of Education, Science and Sport of the Republic of Lithuania, national representative in the EOSC GB.

**Saulius Gražulis** — Professor at the Institute of Biotechnology, VU, actively developing the Crystallography Open Database (COD, <u>http://crystallography.net</u>).

**Iryna Kuchma** — Open Access Programme Manager for Electronic Information for Libraries (EIFL); OpenAIRE and FOSTER projects training activities in Europe.

**Vaidas Morkevičius** — the Lithuanian Data Archive for Social Sciences and Humanities (LiDA, <u>www.lidata.eu</u>).

**Jelena Tamulienė** — Senior Researcher at the Institute of Theoretical Physics and Astronomy, Vilnius University; an expert in EGI.eu.

**Gintarė Tautkevičienė** — Library Director, Kaunas University of Technology; OpenAIRE NOAD since 2009.

## Lessons learnt



To implement Open Science, we need to:

- know about global tendencies and seek to implement them on the national and institutional level (legal documents, infrastructure)
- seek support from stakeholders
- raise awareness
- develop the competence of researchers and administrative staff
- be proactive



Thank you for your attention!

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