Texas Conference on Digital Libraries

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AGENDA

About TCDL
Venue: rooms & technology
Theme & topics
Session types
Submission process
Review process & notifications
Co-Working (breakout rooms)
Open forum / Q&A
COMMUNITY AGREEMENT

BE EXCELLENT TO EACH OTHER

Be considerate and respectful in speech and action.

Attempt collaboration before conflict.

Refrain from demeaning, discriminatory, or harassing behavior and speech.

Be mindful of your environment and of your fellow participants.
ABOUT TCDL

All are welcome!

Brief overview

Code of Conduct
TCDL CONFERENCE VENUE

Commons Conference Center

JJ Pickle Campus, UT Austin
10100 Burnet Road, Bldg 137
Austin, TX 78758

Auditorium-style: keynote, opening plenary, posters, lightning talks
Classrooms: birds-of-a-feather, panels, presentations
Networking: reception, dining, registration, networking
SPEAKER SUPPORT

Sub-Committee dedicated to supporting presenters and moderators before, during, and after the conference

At least one moderator dedicated to each session

Coordinate moderator training on equipment such as laptop, microphones, etc.

Prepare session flow documents to organize the program for each session (e.g. date, room, time, speaker and moderator contacts, order of speakers, technology, etc.)

Accessibility accommodations upon request
TCDL THEME & TOPICS

“REIGNITING CURIOSITY”

Topics about digital libraries are welcome at TCDL. Including but not limited to:

- Institutional repositories and digital library systems
- Rights, reuse, or risk
- Creative or joyful methods in libraries and archives outreach (ex: gamification)
- All things Open – Access, Data, Education, Initiatives
- Legislation and/or government regulation implementation
- Software development for non-profit GLAM institutions
- Accessible digital libraries and archives

- Digital library collections and services analysis and assessment
- Inclusion of all peoples and abilities in the library & archives socio-technical work: dreams, struggles, wins, approaches, and next steps
- Leadership and Managerial training methods, growth, philosophy, perspectives

...and your ideas
TCDL SESSION TYPES

PRESENTATIONS

- **Timeframe:** 15-20 minutes; plus time for Q&A
- **Format:** Live in-person presentation; Q&A
- **Session length:** Presentations are usually paired by topic / theme for two or three presentations per session

PANELS

- **Timeframe:** 40 minutes; plus time for Q&A
- **Format:** Live in-person discussion; Q&A
- **Session length:** 50 minutes

20 X 20 LIGHTNING TALKS

- **Timeframe:** 6.5 minutes; 20 slides with 20 seconds of commentary for each slide
- **Format:** In-person presentation; moderated Q&A
- **Session length:** Presentations will be grouped by topic / theme for a session
POSTERS

- **Timeframe:** 1 minute “elevator pitch” of your poster
- **Format:** Printed Poster for exhibition; one-minute timed explanation of your poster at the Poster Minute Madness session
- **Session Length:** The poster will be available from the evening reception throughout the remainder of the conference

WORKSHOPS / DEMONSTRATIONS

- **Timeframe:** Events in this category can range from 1 to 4 hours
- **Format:** In-person Workshops and Demonstrations
- **Session length:** Workshops are a single, stand-alone session
- **Proposals should include:** Objectives/outcomes for the session, Target audience, Tech requirements, Prerequisite knowledge or experience, Time expectation
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BIRDS-OF-A-FEATHER
- **Timeframe:** 45 to 50 minutes
- **Format:** In-person gathering
- **Session length:** Roundtable discussions are a stand-alone session
- **Proposals should include:** Topic for discussion, Intended audience, and Agenda for meeting

IDEA LABS SESSIONS
- Short engaging conversations built around collaboration, taking risks, providing guidance, sharing ideas, and planning the next steps. Presenters bring a particular problem or issue to the table with a small presentation followed by a structured discussion centered around next steps.
- Presenters can propose a **Show and Fail** idea lab to share new projects or initiatives that didn’t pan out well in a low-stakes environment to get further insight from attendees. The issue presented should be relatable digital libraries and archives work.
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IDEAS LAB SESSIONS (CONT’D)

• **Timeframe:** 20 minutes – (10-15 minutes for presentations, 5-10 minutes for discussion)*
• **Format:** Presentation and roundtable discussion
• **Session length:** Labs proposals will be paired by topic / theme for two or three presentations per hour-long session
• **Proposals should include:** Problem/issue or project to be discussed, Target audience, Tech requirements, Prerequisite knowledge or experience, Keywords

*NOTE: If you propose a longer Idea Lab session, please indicate your needs by responding to “Anything else you would like us to know about your proposal?” in the submission form.*
TCDL 2024 | SUBMIT YOUR PROPOSAL

Since 2007, the Texas Digital Library has hosted the annual Texas Conference on Digital Libraries (TCDL). TCDL covers topics relevant to the creation, promotion, dissemination, and preservation of research, scholarship, and cultural heritage digital materials. The goal of TCDL is to bring together those working on digital projects — including outreach librarians, repository managers, catalogers, faculty members, technical staff, and others — in order to build a practical, usable, and sustainable model for digital libraries.

TCDL encourages and welcomes participation from students, scholars, librarians, researchers, faculty, and users from all backgrounds, identities, and experiences. All are welcome!

Read TCDL’s Code of Conduct.
REVIEWS & NOTIFICATION

March 3: Proposals due

March 11: Committee begins reviews

Week of March 29: Notification of acceptance

Resources are available on the CFP home page!

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Co-working breakout rooms are for:

discussion
brainstorming
writing
thinking

You can choose which breakout room to attend.
You can return to the main room at any time.
BREAKEOUT ROOMS

Breakout rooms are un-moderated. (Remember our Community Agreement)

Choose your breakout room adventure:

- Scholarly Communication
- Digital Preservation
- Digital Humanities / Digital Scholarship
- Digital Collections / Cultural Heritage
- Outside the Box / Other
- Quiet Room