

Application for a Danish Research Data Alliance Node (DK-RDA node)

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This node application is sent by the Danish e-Infrastructure Cooperation (DeiC) – an entity under the Danish Ministry of Higher Education and Science serving the Danish Universities, the Danish National Archives and the Danish Research Libraries.



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Executive summary

This application is submitted by the Danish e-Infrastructure Cooperation (DeiC) with the intent to establish a Danish Research Data Alliance node (DK-RDA node).

DeiC is an entity under the Danish Ministry of Higher Education and Science and provides infrastructure (computing, data storage, and networks) for research and research-based teaching. An agreement between the Danish universities and the Danish Agency for Science, Technology and Innovation requires DeiC to perform development activities of national and inter-institutional nature, including in the area of research data management (RDM). In this capacity DeiC – together with another important national RDM stakeholder, Denmarks Electronic Research Library (DEFF) – has instigated the formulation of a national RDM Strategy¹ and the creation of The National Forum for Research Data Management (DM Forum).

DeiC provides secretariat as well as management and organisational support for DM Forum, and its executive board is part of the reporting structure of DM Forum. DM Forum gathers key personnel from all the Danish universities, the Royal Danish Library and the Danish National Archives involved in advancing RDM. DM Forum is central to the national knowledge exchange and collaboration on development of RDM related competencies and infrastructures, as well as to the coordination of the Danish efforts in international RDM activities.

The main aim of the DK-RDA node will be to create awareness about RDA recommendations and outputs with a view to implement them in Danish data projects, and to foster participation in RDA plenaries and active engagement in RDA interest and working groups among the Danish researchers and research support organisations. Additionally, the DK-RDA node will coordinate with relevant Nordic and European organisations on RDA node related activities.

From a Danish perspective the node will help bridge the international, national and local RDM activities, providing tangible advice on and direction for improving national and local RDM and offering possibilities for aligning Danish efforts with European and international developments in the RDM area.

From a RDA perspective a Danish node will 1) promote data sharing, 2) help make RDM relevant knowledge and know-how residing in the Danish research community globally accessible, 3) grow membership in Denmark, 4) strengthen Nordic RDA collaboration.

The Danish node will be organised as an activity within DM Forum. This will ensure broad national engagement in and with RDA activities, and that the RDA node is well aligned with the national RDM activities in general, as well with the national strategies for Open Science and data management.

¹ English summary at https://www.deic.dk/en/research-data-management



Title

Danish Research Data Alliance Node (henceforth abbreviated as 'DK-RDA node').

1 Geographic area covered by the proposed node

Denmark, covering a broad selection of research institutions, research libraries and the national archives.

2 Key personnel involved in the application

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The DK-RDA node will be organised as an activity within the National Forum for Research Data Management (DM Forum). DM Forum gathers key personnel from all eight Danish universities, the Royal Danish Library and the Danish National Archives involved in advancing RDM in their respective institutions.

Key personnel involved in the application and the possible realization of a DK-RDA node are:

- Anders Sparre Conrad, Research Data Management Expert at the Royal Library, Chairman of DM
 Forum, affiliated to DeiC as data management COO, member of RDA Organisational Assembly. He
 has well-established connections to the Ministry of Science and a wide network within the
 community of Danish RDM professionals, and as such is expected to reach and engage a wide range
 of stakeholders. Expected to be head of steering committee for the DK-RDA node.
- Anne Sofie Fink Kjeldgaard, Head of Research Data Dissemination Services at the Danish National
 Archives, lead of the RDA working group, member of DM Forum. The Danish National Archives is
 appointed CESSDA² ERIC service provider by the Ministry of Higher Education and Science and she
 is heavily involved in CESSDA activities. She will be the main responsible party for the DK-RDA node
 activity under DM Forum and has contacts and experience with the Danish research community as
 well as with the Danish Ministry of Higher Education and Science.
- Karsten Kryger Hansen, special consultant at Aalborg University, member of DM Forum. He has a
 wide network with researchers and administrative personal and has found much inspiration in RDA
 activities during the work of implementing RDM at Aalborg University. Karsten has participated in a
 number of national RDM activities and in the DM Forum and has utilized some RDA output in these
 activities.
- Anne-Marie Bach, strategic Officer at Aarhus University and training manager at The Nordic e-Infrastructure Collaboration (NeIC) and NordForsk, an organisation under the Nordic Council of Ministers that provides funding for and facilitates Nordic cooperation on research and research infrastructure. She is member of DM Forum and will play an instrumental role in implementing RDA results at Aarhus University and also has a wide research community network.

² CESSDA – Consortium for European Social Science Data Archives: https://www.cessda.eu/



- Lene Krøl Andersen, Head of DeiC eScience Center and executive manager at NeiC. She is responsible for the DeiC eScience Portal³ that presents eScience tools and resources available to researchers in Denmark, and she holds a host of national representations and memberships, e.g. the Platform of National eScience Centers in Europe (PLAN-E) and the Baltic Science Network.
- Lene Offersgaard, Senior R&D Engineer at Faculty of Humanities at University of Copenhagen, chair
 of the European CLARIN Data Centre Assessment Committee, the Danish representative in the
 Standing Committee for CLARIN Technical Centres, member of the DM Forum, member of the
 Coordination Committee for RDM at the Faculty of Humanities at University of Copenhagen, leader
 of the Digital Humanities Lab (DIGHUMLAB) language resources theme. She has a wide network
 within the community of Danish RD M professionals, within the network of European CLARIN⁴ ERIC,
 and has followed the RDA work since the RDA Launch Event in Gothenburg in 2013.
- Evgenios Vlachos, Research Librarian at University of Southern Denmark specialized in Research Data Management and Open Science. He teaches "Responsible Conduct of Research" PhD courses and will have a key role in building the social and technical bridges that enable open sharing of data at University of Southern Denmark.
- Diba Terese Markus, project manager for DeiC data management. She provides the secretarial, management and organisational support for DM Forum.

3 Current RDA activities

DeiC, most Danish universities, the Royal Danish Library, and the Danish National Archives all have employees who hold memberships – at present 63 Danish individual memberships⁵.

DeiC is Organizational Member of RDA.

With national strategies for Open Science⁶ and institutional RDM policies in place, it is time to step up Denmark's involvement with RDA. Examples of involvement in the past 12-18 months include:

- DeiC representation in the RDA Organizational Assembly (https://www.rd-alliance.org/danish-e-infrastructure-cooperation).
- Participation in the RDA Plenary, Berlin 2018 (DeiC + Danish Technical University + Aalborg University).
- Participation in the 13-14th of August 2018 RDA meeting in Finland (The Danish National Archives)
- Setting up a RDA national group page (https://www.rd-alliance.org/groups/rda-denmark) where DeiC eScience Competence Center promotes RDM related training events.
- Some membership and involvement in working and interest groups.
- AAU has actively used RDA's recommendations and outputs. Specific cases include: Utilization of
 user requirements for machine actionable data management plans in a project defining data
 management by default and inspiration from terminology groups on creating educational material.

³ DeIC eScience Portal https://vidensportal.deic.dk/en

⁴ CLARIN - European Research Infrastructure for Language Resources and Technology: https://www.clarin.eu/

⁵ https://www.rd-alliance.org/members?field_profile_country_value=Denmark

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- DeiC has in its capacity of being national DataCite allocator promoted the Data Citation WG (WGDC) recommendations on 'Data Citation of Evolving Data' (and the more detailed paper http://www.ieee-tcdl.org/Bulletin/v12n1/papers/IEEE-TCDL-DC-2016_paper_1.pdf) as well as implementation examples https://www.rd-alliance.org/group/data-citation-wg/webconference/webconference-data-citation-wg.html
- Attendance in the Nordic Researcher's conference in Gothenburg June 2017 (The Danish National Archives and DeiC). DeiC support and contribution to the initiative taken by Finland, on behalf of RDA Europe, to strengthen the Nordic participation and impact on RDA.
- Participation from DeiC/DM Forum in:
 - RDA & the Nordics viewpoints on open science (http://openscience.fi/rdanordic-workshop), workshop 21 November 2016.
 - o RDA Nordic meeting, 13 August 2018.

4 Planned node activities to support the vision of RDA

The overall aim of establishing the DK-RDA node is to create awareness about RDA among the research communities in Denmark, in order to integrate RDA outputs and activities in the national agenda and national activities in the Open Science and RDM areas. In this way the node will pave the way for adoption of RDA recommendations and outputs in future Danish data projects. Additionally, the DK-RDA node will coordinate with relevant Nordic and European organisations on RDA node related activities.

Table 1: Aims and supporting node activities with their related KPIs:

I. Encourage and support the uptake of RDA recommendations and outputs in Denmark:

- a. Establish a dedicated project group for the activity "DK-RDA node" with the Danish national Archives as the project manager. Members must represent research communities as well as the research infrastructure actors and services
- b. Develop a communication plan that utilises communication channels of DeiC, the research organisations, and other relevant research networks and entities with a view to:
 - Distribute newsletters half yearly that describe key RDA activities and outputs as well as present guidance in relation to possibilities for future projects and involvement.
 - Market the services offered by the local support units via newsletters, websites, mailing lists and at conferences, workshops and Train-the-Trainer events.
 - Market selected RDA and DK-RDA node outputs, news and events via the DeiC eScience Knowledge Portal (https://vidensportal.deic.dk/en/node/632), the interlinked NeIC eScience Training Calendar (https://neic.no/training/), and relevant discipline-specific channels.
 - Showcase DK-RDA node activity and its results on DeiC's website and annual conference, including introducing the showcase in a Nordic context at the NeIC conference 2019.
 - Keep the DeiC Board and the funding body board representative from the Danish Agency for Science and Higher Education, informed about the DK-RDA node activities and progress (4 board meetings/year).
- c. Evaluate RDA outputs and recommendations with the intent of implementation. This will be done through 2 workshops and 1 DM Forum Train-the-Trainer session open to all researchers and data management professionals in Denmark.



- d. Supply knowledge produced in RDA WGs as support for at least one national initiative towards Open Science and/or FAIR data .
- e. Develop at least one documented Danish RDA output adoption case published in RDA material and publications (e.g. CODATA Journal).
- f. Regularly submit status reports on node activities and achieved results including a plan for the coming period. These reports will be publicly available.
- II. Fostering active engagement in RDA activities such as RDA working groups and interest groups by Danish researchers and research support organisations. During the project period:
 - a. Increase the number of individual RDA members in Denmark with at least 15%.
 - b. Increase the number of active Danish participants in RDA IGs and WGs with at least 10 persons.
 - c. Facilitate the suggestion of at least 1 new RDA interest group.
 - d. Help a least 1 researcher from a Danish university to apply for a RDA Early Career grant.
- III. Coordinate with relevant Nordic and European organisations on RDA related results and activities:
 - a. Enrich the Danish RDA webpage https://www.rd-alliance.org/groups/rda-denmark.
 - b. In the case a Nordic node is created, the Danish node will support such an effort.
 - c. Coordinate activities with CESSDA activities where relevant.

Overall, the DK-RDA node has two main tasks with key outputs as described below:

- 1. Knowledge distribution and network engagement: This task focuses on engaging researchers and data management professionals and support their involvement in RDA incl. utilising the gained RDA knowledge in an active manner through results and outputs. This task is done through communication channels, Train-the-Trainer events and workshops. Task 1 is done before task 2 as it is a prerequisite for collecting adoption cases.
- Development of documented cases: This task will develop at least one documented case of RDA
 outputs/recommendations/ICT specifications adoption in Denmark that can be used in RDA
 material and publications. Cases will be collected, analyzed with respect to key learning points and
 distributed to the RDA network as well as advocated inside the DK-RDA node to maximize the
 impact.

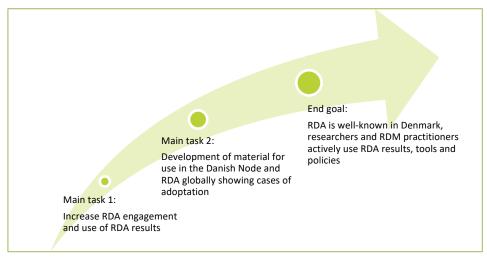


Figure 1: Key outputs



5 Community endorsement and support

The DK-RDA node will be embedded in DM Forum which is jointly funded by DeiC and DEFF.

DM Forum was established as one of the key elements in the implementation the national RDM strategy, and provided with the mandate to ensure that RDM initiatives in Denmark are based on international experience and collaboration as far as possible. DM Forum is broadly composed and counts both researchers and affiliated staff at university libraries, research support units, university administration and management, IT departments and preservation institutions/archives⁷.

The DM Forum already conducts a number of activities and Train-the-Trainer events⁸, as well as oversees a number of national RDM infrastructure pilot projects. Furthermore, DM Forum has an established activity model and rules of procedure, secretariat, leadership, reporting and support structure in place that will serve as framework for the DK-RDA node.

DEFF is an organisational and technological collaboration between Danish academic, research and educational libraries. DEFF is co-funding DM Forum activities and organisation, and DEFF's steering committee is part of the national RDM governance structure.

Digital Humanities Lab (DIGHUMLAB) has expressed its support. DIGHUMLAB is a community supporting digital research activities within the humanities and the social sciences in Denmark and is the Danish representative in the European ERICs CLARIN and Dariah. Partners in DIGHUMLAB are the art-faculties at University of Copenhagen, Aarhus University, Aalborg University and University of Southern Denmark as well as the Royal Danish Library. DIGHUMLABs offers inspiration and personal support to digital enabled research and offers recommendation and access to tools and data.

DeiC eScience Centre is a national platform for all eScience parties to 1) share expertise, best practices and challenges across disciplines, communities and universities, 2) promote the use of digital methods in research, the eScience Centre arranges training sessions together with universities - inspired by researchers already using eScience tools (https://vidensportal.DeiC.dk/en/competence-center).

The eScience Centre has connections with research communities that will be able to contribute to the assessment of RDA's outputs relevant to the communities in question, and thus further the involvement of researchers. Furthermore, the eScience Center collaborates closely with NeIC, e.g. on the NeiC mobility enhancement program that supports and funds the mobility of course participant and/or trainer within the Nordics. This opportunity will give rise to increased regional competence building mechanism and partnerships, reaching into the Nordic region, supporting the RDA Europe vision of increasing the RDA communities in the Nordics.

DeiC eScience Committee includes representatives from all 8 Danish universities in a researcher based forum that advices the DeiC board regarding developments and activities within the e-infrastructure area. The eScience Committee has agreed to be consulted on relevant topics that the Danish RDA node requests and act as entrance point for identifying and contacting research groups within specific areas.

⁷ See https://www.deic.dk/en/national-research-data-management-governance-structure for the entire national RDM governance structure.

⁸ For more information see here: <u>https://www.DeiC.dk/da/datamanagement/aktiviteter/Train-the-Trainers</u>



Last, but not least **several Danish universities** have expressed its interest in further national involvement in RDA, as can be seen from the attached Letters of Support.

Taken together, these fora will have ample potential to reach major stakeholders and engage researchers and data professionals from different institutions, disciplines and communities. The organisational structure and possible communication channels to reach researchers and data management professionals are illustrated below/alternatively at https://www.deic.dk/da/structure-danish-research-data-alliance-node.

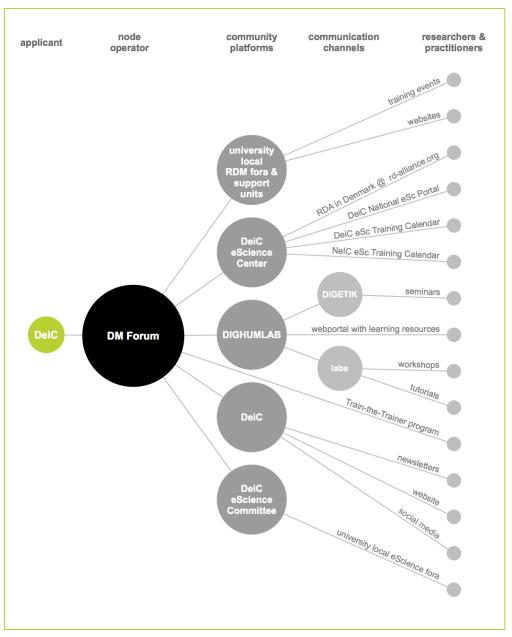


Figure 2: The structure of the Danish node



6 Sustainability plans

As a consequence of the recommendations in the national RDM strategy, DM Forum is established as a 3-year pilot project running 2015-2018. At the time of writing an application for funding of DM Forum activities in 2019 has been submitted. Beyond 2019, the Danish data management organisation may be subject to alterations, as the Ministry of Higher Education and Science is drafting a national e-infrastructure strategy for 2020 and onwards, that is expected to include data management, FAIR data and Open Science. There is every indication of a continued strong focus on the RDM and Open Science area on the national level in the years to come.

It is expected that a joint national organisation, identical or similar to DeiC will continue to exist, and will be able to serve as the anchor of the DK-RDA node after the establishment period.

However, in the unlikely event such aspirations prove to be unrealistic, robust national organisations will prevail, that are well-suited as a long-term foundation of a DK-RDA node. The Danish National Archives is a longstanding institution that will be able to suggest and provide a long-term solution for sustainability for the node within institutional and economic limits.

The DK-RDA node will produce a detailed plan for the sustainability of the node when the future strategy and institutional framework for national RDM activities will be known.

7 Resources

To establish the DK-RDA node **DeiC** applies for a total of EUR 56,000.

This amount will cover the costs of establishing the node and its associated activities until May 2020. The node will be organised as a DM Forum activity, and will be reporting at the 4 annual DM Forum meetings. DM Forum's chairman and secretariat will serve as steering committee. The National Archive will appoint a professional project manager. The DK-RDA node working group will consist of DM Forum members, possibly supplemented by other relevant RDM staff from universities and preservation institutions.

Costs for conferences, workshops and train-the-trainer sessions that will be covered by the grant include catering for participants and travel and accommodation expense for presenters. Other deliverables such as reports, applications, meetings include working hours by the DK-RDA working group, that will be covered by the grant. Working hours for steering, reporting, secretarial and general DM Forum support will be covered by DeiC/DEFF and participating institutions in-kind. Researcher and other participation in meetings and events arranged by the node will be covered in-kind by the respective institutions.

Expected spendings is listed in the table below:

Activity	Time period	Amount (EUR)
Project management	December 2018 - May 2020	16,000
Final report on DK-RDA node related work	May 2020	2,000
Arranging meetings, reporting etc.	Continuous	14,000
Task 1: Facilitation & knowledge sharing	January 2019 - December 2019	20,000
Workshops	April 2019 - May 2019	4,000



Working hours for the DK-RDA node project group,	January 2019 - December 2019	16,000
incl. meetings, contacting funding bodies, contacting		
researchers		
Task 2: Case material development	August 2019 - April 2020	20,000
Train-the-Trainer session	January 2020 - May 2020	2,000
Working hours for the DK-RDA node project group,	January 2020 - May 2020	18,000
incl. meetings, developing cases, arranging workshops		
<u>Total</u>		<u>56,000</u>

8 Other information in support of the proposal

It is a political aim for Denmark to create a digital research platform, connected nationwide and with European collaborators.

The Danish government's objectives for the research area for 2018 and onwards states "International cooperation is an important dimension in a well-functioning research and innovation system, not least participation in European research cooperation initiatives" (translated from Danish, the Research and innovation political strategy: Denmark: Ready to seize future opportunities⁹).

Furthermore both international agendas for Open Science and FAIR data have indisputable national support both on the political and institutional level.

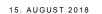
For the researchers and data management practitioners in Denmark there are great potentials in being a part of a community like RDA which is on the forefront of the political, research, industrial and digital infrastructure developments i Europe. Likewise, having Danish researchers - some of the world's most cited - on board may present potential for RDA, too.

9 Supporting documents

Letters of support have been obtained by

- Aalborg University
- Aarhus University
- Copenhagen Business School
- Danish National Archives
- Digital Humanities Lab (DIGHUMLAB)
- Technical University of Denmark
- University of Copenhagen
- University of Southern Denmark

⁹ https://ufm.dk/en/publications/2018/denmark-ready-to-seize-future-opportunities





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Letter of support for a Danish RDA node

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At Aalborg University RDM support team, we fully support the creation of a Danish RDA node, and have contributed with input for the application. We have previously gained good input from RDA activities, and attended RDA events, and hope to join the community in a more active way. A RDA node will be a good stepping stone for getting the Danish RDM and research community more engaged with RDA activities.

We look forward to participate in projects and activities around the RDA node in Denmark.

Karsten Kryger Hansen RDM Coordinator, AAU



Letter of Support for a Danish Research Data Alliance node

Aarhus University fully support the application and efforts to be, working on a Danish Research Data Alliance node.

A Danish Research Data Alliance node can enable us to identify needs for new and future capabilities, necessary in order to meet new challenges in the research infrastructure.

Also, we believe the establishment of a Danish Research Data Alliance node will enhance and strengthen the national initiatives, and within the DM Forum collaboratively explore, evaluate, develop and deploy innovative infrastructure services in response to the strategic priorities in the area of e-infrastructure and the needs of the national e-infrastructure provider, DeiC.

The Danish Research Data Alliance node can assist creating awareness on sustainable research practise thru e-infrastructure services.

Aarhus University will be pleased to campaign a Danish Research Data Alliance node and to ensure that relevant information and knowledge gained thru this work is shared and disseminated at our university.

We look forward to participate in projects and activities in a Danish Research Data Alliance node.

Copenhagen, August 15, 2018

Anne-Marie Bach, Strategy Officer at Aarhus University



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RDA EUROPE CALL FOR NEW NODES

The Research Data Management Support Unit at CBS Library fully supports the application for creating a national Danish RDA node.

The creation of a Danish RDA node is of utmost importance to consolidate and harmonise the existing national efforts within the area of research data management that have been undertaken since 2010 and have been institutionalised in the National Forum for Data Management since 2015.

The Research Data Management Support Unit at CBS Library will contribute to future RDA Denmark activities to the necessary extent.

Kind regards

Chief Adviser













Odense, August 15 2018

The Danish National Archives fully support the establishment of a Danish Research Data Alliance node. The RDA node will be of remarkable value to the national work in the field of research data management and re-use as well as support global connectivity and corporation.

The Danish National Archives is one of the service providers in the field in Denmark and will contribute to the sharing and use of all relevant information and output from the RDA.

The Danish National Archive will be able to support the long time sustainability of the RDA Node within institutional and economical limits.

Sincerely Yours

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Letter of support

The Digital Humanities Lab (DIGHUMLAB) supports the application which Danish e-Infrastructure Cooperation (DeiC) has developed to establish a Danish Research Data Alliance node.

For DIGHUMLAB the proposal is very relevant as it will ensure that Danish research within the humanities and social sciences will adhere to international standards when it comes to organise and preserve data. DIGHUMLAB relies on DeiC and the libraries to provide advice and information on the right approach to data management.

DIGHUMLAB strongly supports all the principles behind FAIR and DIGHUMLAB is in its construction geared towards the European community, as it is the Danish node for CLARIN ad well as DARIAH. Therefore, DIGHUMLAB welcomes the proposed project.

DIGHUMLAB will ensure that all results are communicated and all courses will be announced to its audience.

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DANISH RDA NODE

DTU fully supports the establishment of a Danish RDA node under the auspices of DEIC and the national (Danish) Data Management Forum. DTU is committed to the establishment of an administrative and technical RDM infrastructure at DTU, but we recognize the importance of collaboration and cooperation across national and international institutions and organizations. The establishment of a Danish RDA node will, without doubt, enhance and strengthen national initiatives, knowledge exchange and sharing and provide inspiration from abroad. A Danish national RDA node will also provide the opportunity to present Danish RDM initiatives and projects to the RDA. DTU will ensure that relevant information and knowledge from the RDA is shared and disseminated at our university.

På vegne af Andrew Cranfield,

Thomas Skov Jensen

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UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN DEPARTMENT OF NORDIC STUDIES AND LINGUISTICS (NORS)

Letter of Support



NorS support the application for the Danish Research Data Alliance Node

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As Head of the department of Nordic Studies and Linguistics (NorS) I hereby confirm that the department supports the application for the Danish Research Data Alliance Node (DK-RDA node).

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Letter of support for a Danish RDA node

The RDM Support group of University of Southern Denmark fully supports the creation of a Danish RDA node, and has contributed with input for the application. We have previously gained good input from RDA activities and events, and hope to join the community in a more active way. The Danish RDA node is a great initiative for getting the Danish RDM and research community engaged with RDA activities.

We look forward to participating in RDA related projects and activities.

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