# "It Takes Two to Tango"

A successful research collaboration between USQ's Library and Office of Research



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## The Dancers

### Library

- Contribute to instructional reports on research publications and impact
- Engage on publication strategies,
   data management, open access,
   repositories and training

#### **Office of Research**

"services that facilitate USQ's research enterprise through the provision of high quality advisory and support services" 1

<sup>1</sup> University of Southern Queensland Office of Research Strategic Plan 2016-2020

## The Dance

To enable the 'dance' to flow, the teams identified mutually beneficial partnerships

**COLLABORATION and COMMUNICATION** 

**RECOGNITION and RESPECT** 

**UNIQUE SKILLS and CONTRIBUTIONS** 

WILLINGNESS to ENGAGE







# The Tango .....

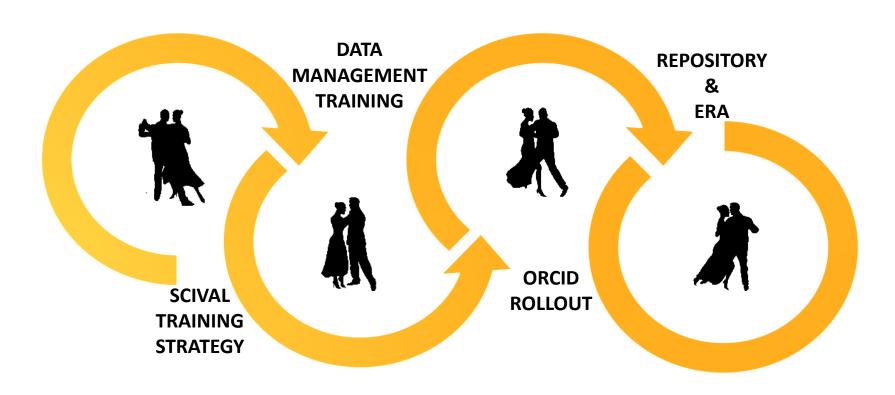
"collaborative process that encourages the development of sensitivity, clarity, trust and respect"2



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Tango Lingua: What is tango? Retrieved from <a href="http://www.tangolingua.com/home">http://www.tangolingua.com/home</a>

# The Steps

"at the institutional level, libraries will want to work more closely with Research Offices" <sup>3</sup>



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Richardson, J., Nolan-Brown, T., Loria, P., Bradbury. S., (2017). *Library Research Support in Queensland: A Survey*. Retrieved from https://eprints.gut.edu.au/57384/1/82418 1.pdf.







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