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EcoScience Pathways Forum

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Friday, 17 August

Digital Humanities Brisbane Pathways Forum

26 Oct 2018



Using Pathways
Forums to inform
future initiatives for
your research field.
eResearch Australasia 2018

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About eRSA

- We exist to support the advancement of research through innovation
- Providers of eResearch tools and technology
- We're governed by our 3 major universities
- Everything we do is with researchers in mind
- Operate as pathway to national funding, opportunities and tools for South Australian researchers.



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Presented by **tinker.**

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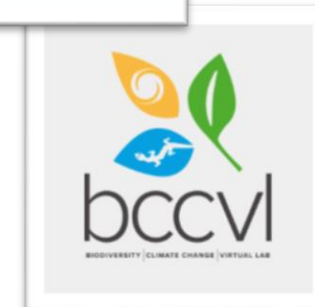
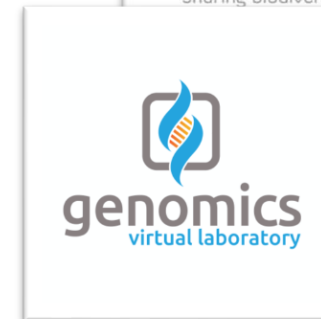
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The Origin

- Concept established in 2016 as a way to connect both academics and industry professionals
- Conduit to national tools from research areas such as Ecology, Urban, Biodiversity, and Genomics
- Gained national recognition through partnerships
- We've since delivered this framework as an engagement stream in multiple DEVL projects



The 'Recipe' for a Pathways Forum

You need a great planning committee...



Pictured above: eRSA + Local Host Institution

...and a dynamic program!

1. Keynote Speakers
2. Projects Showcase
3. Discussion Panel
4. Open Consultation
5. Networking opportunities



The 'Internal Results'

- Delivered over 15 pathways, across 6 states in two years with 2 more this year.
- Attended by over 1100 members to date
- Not to mention the empowered twitter audience

#DHPATHWAYS18 **#ECOPATHWAYS18**

- Increase in eNewsletter subscribers by 15%.
- Lead generation: Invites to present and collaborate



Becc Repper @BeccBanks · May 22

Love asking questions and hearing excellent discussion! Thanks for the opportunity **#DHPathways18**



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An actively engaged crowd at the **#DHPathways18** at @PawseyCentre, asking questions during the GLAM panel **#DSW18**



Sara King @sarasrking · Sep 4

Best line of the day from an undergraduate computer science student: "I'm a big fan of density waves." **#DHPathways18** Just after blowing our minds with a visualisation demo of data from 25,000 convict voyages. Wow. **#digitalhumanities**
pic.twitter.com/arg8IY2THL



Ingrid Mason @1n9r1d · 25 Jul 2017

Perfect reason for any **#Canberra** culture vulture to come along to **#DHPathways17** forum 4 August (rego is open) **#eResearch**

Tim Sherratt @wragge

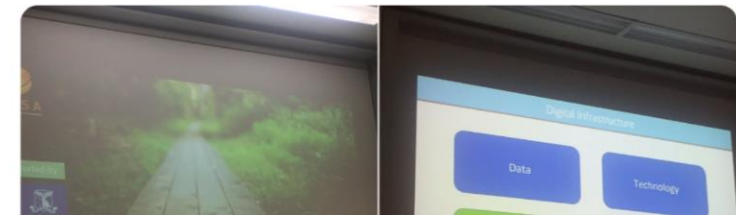
There may be **#redactionart** and some grumpiness...
twitter.com/eResearchSA/st...

♥ Australian Research Data Commons (ARDC) and 4 others liked



Serryn Eagleson @SerrynEagleson · Aug 17

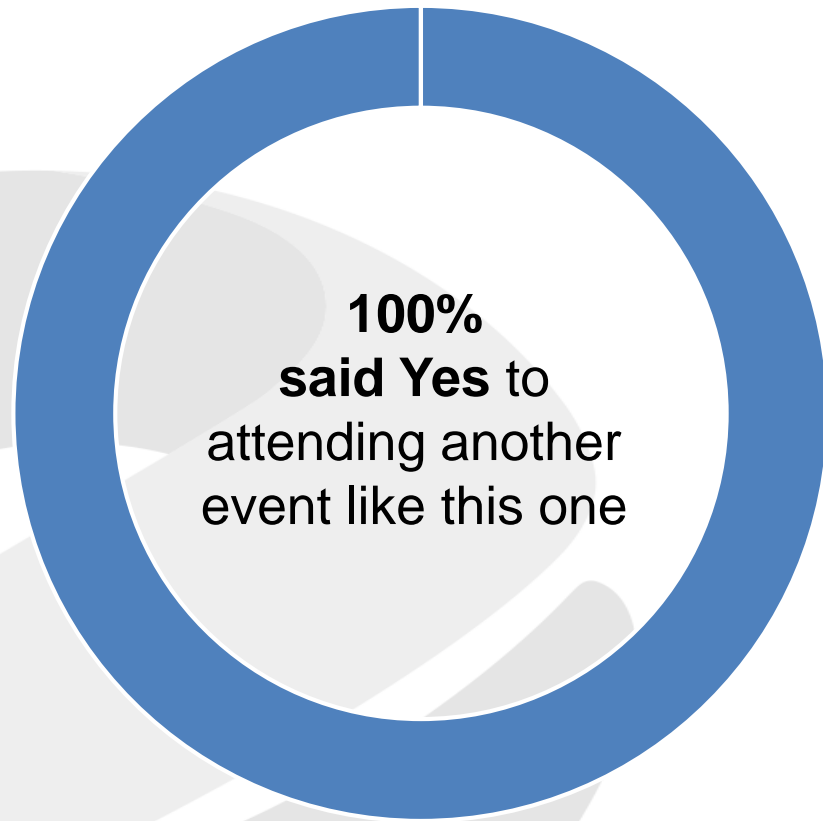
Great to see **#EcoPathways18** addressing the need for enhanced collaboration to push the boundaries for world class research - focus on eco meets urban by Nano Langenheim @atlaslivingaust @eResearchSA @ChantalHuijbers @BCCVL



The 'External Results'

- Share knowledge!
- Strengthen communities
- Consultation informed the proposal for the HASS DEVL/RDC
- Build tools, advocate for champions, design user led infrastructure
- Hear from established researchers and emerging innovators
- Increase in face to face with sectors, making it systemic rather than individual
- We get to operate as 'honest broker facilitators'
- Opportunity to build on existing research and networks
- Externalise research projects

The community feedback



“The insight into other areas of research and the diversity of topics! It's rare to meet new networks in Tasmania and I was so inspired”

“I liked hearing what other people were using computers and data for in the humanities, and what challenges they were finding.”

“They [the presentations] were all fascinating and I was in no danger of falling asleep once.”

What's next for the Pathways Forums

It's evolving!

- Topic focussed forums
- Segmented session
- We've become our own brand, and a community expectation
- Regularity of the forums are markers to indicate progress
- Transferable framework application into other disciplines

To find out what else we're working on nationally, head to **ersa.edu.au/national-collaborations**



How you can leverage this concept

Need an engagement piece to your project?

Want to deliver this your own institution?

Have a tool or service you'd like to share?

OR want be a part of the program?

Talk to us about our host partnership framework
or email comms@ersa.edu.au.

- See us in action:
 - **Brisbane**, Friday 26 October
 - **Sydney**, Friday 7 December





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