

# University of Chicago

**1. Name(s) of programs (e.g. Scholars' Lab) and URL(s) associated with your DS program:** Center for Digital Scholarship  
<https://www.lib.uchicago.edu/research/scholar/>

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**2. If you have a mission statement or similar description of your program, please include it here:**

The Center for Digital Scholarship supports programs for scholarly communications, research data, and digital projects by collaborating across campus units to enable and amplify researchers' impact. The Center:

-Provides and coordinates sustainable access to data and infrastructure to conduct, preserve, and disseminate research.

-Leads scholarly communications and data management initiatives, and partners to enable researchers to exemplify the best practices of their fields.

-Serves as a dedicated space for deep scholarly engagement with digital methods for research and teaching.

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## CONSULTATION

Digital technologies and tools = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Project planning = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Project management = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Building databases and archives = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Class projects/assignments = Offered by Library, Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Copyright, intellectual property = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Data management plans = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Metadata = Offered by Library, Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Locating and selecting data sources = Offered by Library  
Researchers' grant writing = Offered by Library, Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Digital publishing and dissemination = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Digital preservation/curation = Offered by Library

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## EDUCATION/TRAINING

Workshops/bootcamps on tools/software = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Course-related sessions related to digital projects = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Credit courses on digital scholarship topics = Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Certificate programs in digital scholarship or related topic = Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Symposia = Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Events, e.g. GIS Day = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)

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## FACILITIES

Training/classroom space = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Consultation space = Offered by Library  
Collaborative project space = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Computer/data lab = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Media production studio = Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Visualization studio = Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Makerspace = Offered by other campus unit(s)  
VR/AR studio = Offered by other campus unit(s)  
AI lab = Offered by other campus unit(s)  
Data science lab = Offered by other campus unit(s)

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<b>Other (please specify the activity and who offers it):</b>	Digitization Lab offered by the Library
<b>INFRASTRUCUTRE/ENTERPRISE SERVICES</b>	<p>Digital preservation = Offered by Library</p> <p>Large-scale data storage = Offered by other campus unit(s)</p> <p>Digital publishing services = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)</p> <p>Repositories = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)</p> <p>Programming, writing APIs = Offered by other campus unit(s)</p> <p>Computational processing of data = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)</p> <p>Data recovery/migration = Offered by other campus unit(s)</p> <p>Software licensing = Offered by Library, Offered by Library + Partner(s), Offered by other campus unit(s)</p> <p>Virtual computing = Offered by other campus unit(s)</p> <p>Security = Offered by other campus unit(s)</p>
<b>3. What would you like to offer next?</b>	<p>Our Center is new and we're growing in several areas, including: expanded research data management and sharing services, including a campus-wide coordination of services; services that support faculty and student use of a newly conceived digital humanities infrastructure on campus; an outreach program on library open access strategies; and a vision for how the Center can partner with the broader community to enable new projects.</p>
<b>4. What type of staff are employed by your program? Check all that apply.</b>	<p>Librarians, archivists, library staff</p> <p>Graduate students</p>
<b>5. What constituencies are served by your program? Check all that apply</b>	<p>Faculty</p> <p>Postdocs</p> <p>Graduate students</p> <p>Undergraduate students</p> <p>Community members</p> <p>Individuals external to the university and local community</p>
<b>6. What disciplines are served by your program? Check all that apply</b>	<p>Humanities</p> <p>Arts</p> <p>Social sciences</p> <p>STEM (science, technology, engineering, math)</p> <p>Professional (health sciences, law, business, etc.)</p>
<b>7. Please provide pointers to additional materials that may be helpful in understanding the structure and work of your program (journal articles, book chapters, web pages, reports, etc.)</b>	<p>News post on launching the Center:  <a href="https://www.lib.uchicago.edu/about/news/launching-a-center-for-digital-scholarship-at-the-library/">https://www.lib.uchicago.edu/about/news/launching-a-center-for-digital-scholarship-at-the-library/</a></p>