Directions in Digital Scholarship:
Support for Digital, Data-intensive, and Computational Research: What’s Next?

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Components of the Initiative

- Interviews
- Institutional Profiles
- Invitational forums
- Session at CNI Spring 2023 Meeting
- Webinars
- Report

Digital Scholarship

What is Digital Scholarship?

Digital Scholarship extends traditional methods of research by leveraging new technologies and digital data to advance research and enhance pedagogy. While it is most commonly associated with Digital Humanities, Computational Social Science, and Data Science, Digital Scholarship is applicable to all disciplines, and it often relies on interdisciplinary collaborations. Examples of Digital Scholarship include:

- Text and data mining: apply computational and statistical methods to macroscopically explore large texts and data
- Social network analysis: uncover relationships and interactions between people, places, texts, etc
- Geospatial analysis: create data-driven maps
- Data visualization: analyze and display patterns, correlations, and other findings in meaningful ways
- Digital exhibits: build collections of images, texts, and sound to tell engaging stories
- Digital project management: get help designing and organizing your digital project to ensure scalability and sustainability

https://www.colorado.edu/libraries/research/digital-scholarship
What’s Next?

Initiatives that are:

- Intentionally responsive to institutional directions and priorities
- Focus on principles and broad trends
- Re-think organizational structures, policies, and partnerships
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What’s Next?

- Report based on interviews, profiles, and forums
- Will be released in spring/summer 2023
Thank you!

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