

# PID Non-User Story - FSD

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# FSD – Finnish Social Science Data Archive

- > National resource centre for research and teaching since 1999
- > Basic services free of charge
  - Archiving, long-term preserving, promoting and disseminating research data, information services, consultation in data management planning
- > National Service Provider for CESSDA
- > Separate unit within University of Tampere



## Requirements for PIDs

- > Free of charge (especially if used for variables)
- > Possibility to identify versions
- > Machine-usability:
  - PID generation
  - Automated updates for resolver
- > Resolver and redirection in the web
- > Persistence



# Challenges of introducing PID

- > Funding, personnel, time
  - Planning
  - Implementation
  - Programming
    - PID generation
    - URLs to resolution service



## Plans in FSD

- > Plans for starting to use URNs
- > The National Library of Finland
  - Provides URNs
  - Recommends using URNs
- > Own namespace `urn:nbn:fi:fsd:<NSS>`
  - `urn:nbn:fi:fsd:M-FSD11110-DDIC.fi-1.5-20140417`



- > PIDs for
  - AIP
  - DIP
  - DDI-C data descriptions
- > Accurate rules for versioning
- > New PIDs for new versions
- > Only considerable changes can cause the change of URN



# The role of CESSDA

- > Waiting recommendations and guidance
  - Parts/packages to be identified
  - PIDs to use
- > If obligations, transition time needed

**Thank you!**



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