



*metrics MEasuring The Reliability and perceptions of Indicators for interactions with sScientific products

AIMS

- Develop a deeper understanding of *metrics (aka altmetrics / social media metrics)
- Assess their general significance and perception amongst stakeholders
- Critical examination of the quality of *metrics' underlying data (in terms of validity and reliability)
- Evaluate ability to adequately assess scientific outputs against the background of disciplinary specificities

ACTIVITIES

- Capturing of status quo through exploratory user- and usage studies in the field of economics and social sciences
- Launching of a social media registry
- Recommendations for standardization
- Technology analysis for the collection and provision of *metrics

COMMUNITY

- Networking via *metrics information platform and social media
- Project workshops to present and discuss current research topics and outcomes
- Early feedback on developments, i.e. input for social media registry

PROJECT PARTNERS

- Göttingen State and University Library (SUB Göttingen)
- ZBW – Leibniz Information Centre for Economics
- GESIS Leibniz-Institute for the Social Sciences
- Verbundzentrale des gemeinsamen Bibliotheksverbunds (VZG) - common library network of seven German federal states

*metrics Project

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