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T6.2 Starter kits for professional networks

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Development of starter kits for professional networks

- Step-by-step creation of new professional and sustainable networks where gaps were identified in task 6.1
- Two kits
 - Generic network starter kit
 - Dedicated kit for data stewards network
- Building on the Open Science Community Starter Kit
- Deliver: August 2023, M12.



What have we done so far?

- Horton, Laurence, Drachen, Thea Marie, Hansen, Karsten Kryger, Sharma, Curtis, & Vlachos, Evgenios. (2023). D6.2 Development of starter kits for professional networks: data steward (1.1). Zenodo. <https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.7682836>
- Horton, Laurence, Drachen, Thea Marie, Hansen, Karsten Kryger, Sharma, Curtis, & Vlachos, Evgenios. (2023). D6.2 Development of starter kits for professional networks: generic (1.1). Zenodo. <https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.7682938>

What have we done so far?

- Built around:
 - CSCCE Community Participation model
 - Community of Practice
 - The Community Canvas
- Reference to management and social psychology literature on groups and tasks
- References to task 6.1 (existing networks), 2.1 (MVS Data Stewards), WP7 (Competence Centres)
- Case studies:
 - Data Steward: Data Steward Network, ELIXIR-UK Data Data Management Working group, ICDI Competence Centre (ICDI-CC)
 - Generic: Flemish Data Research Network, rOpenSci

Reviewers

Thanks to reviewers of the toolkits for constructive and timely reviews.

- Data Steward
 - Nida van Leersum (TU-Delft)
 - Valentina Pasquale (IIT)
 - Sara Di Giorgio (GARR)
- Generic
 - William Isley (SND)
 - Jeremy Azzopardi (Chalmers)

Plus, moderator and coordinator comments from Emma Lazzeri (GARR) and Curtis Sharma (TU-Delft), respectively.

Review summary

- Main work from the reviewers' comments was to
 - Conceptual clarity: Be consistent in using concepts of community and network.
 - Practical content: more advice on what to do and how to do it
 - Proofing and tidying: consistency in terms and style, tenses, language.



Next?

- Use it.
 - Data steward: 76 views (62 unique), 65 downloads (56 unique)
 - Generic: 50 views (40 unique), 36 downloads (31 unique)Statistics as of 27 September 2023.
- Starter Kit already under adoption both inside and outside the Skills4EOSC consortium (Italy, Portugal)



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Thank you! Questions?

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