THE DATA CURATION PROFILE TOOLKIT:
A BRIEF INTRODUCTION

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Useful for gathering:

- Information about a particular data set
- What a researcher is doing to manage / curate the data set
- What a research would like to do with the data.

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Characteristics:

- Tells “the story” of the data from the perspective of the researcher
- Interview Based
- Focused on a specific data set – depth over breadth
- Meant to be “discipline neutral” and widely applicable to different types of data
- Modular – allows for flexibility and tailoring to specific situations and uses
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