

I'm a librarian,  
not a scientist!

*Exploring the strange new world of research data management*

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# Research Data?

○ Images

○ Text

○ Spreadsheets

○ Videos



# To Boldly Go...

*Oh wait, we've been here before*

- Collection building
- Preservation
- Access
- Rights





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# Lost In Space

- Disappearing data
- Stolen/lost/broken computer
- Can they share the data
  - Other researchers
  - Journals
  - Funding agencies

Research data Interview

How



# The Interview

- Data Cycle
- Formats
- Security
- Access
- Preservation
- Ownership
- Organization



# The Never-Ending Interview

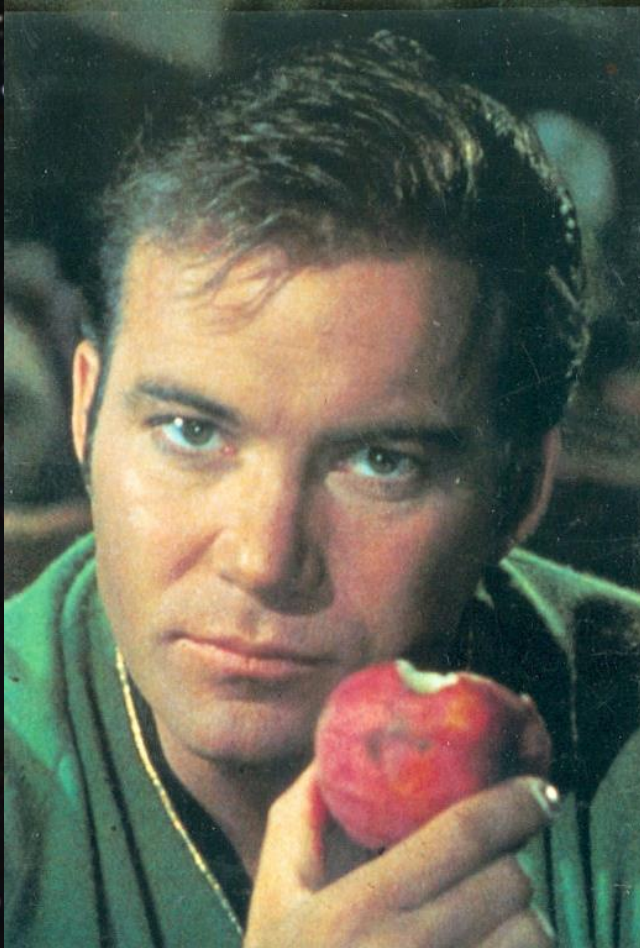


“I’m giving her all she’s got Captain!”

Instead,  
don’t give the  
researcher all  
you’ve got



# Keep It Simple



- 2-4 Easily fixable issues
- Full plan to help meet future goals

Can I Get Some

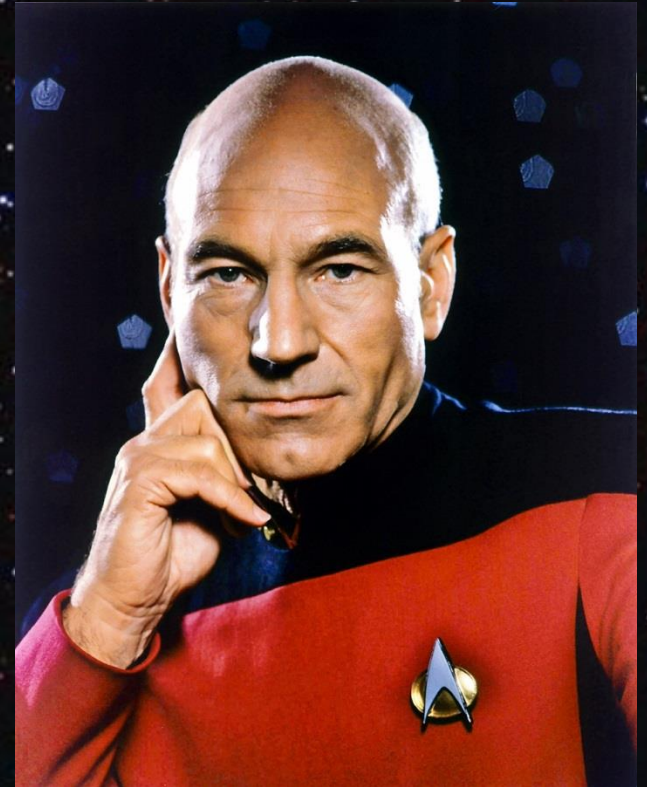
Real Help,

Please

# Wait, That's The Wrong Captain

○ RDMRose

○ <http://rdmrose.group.shef.ac.uk>



# The Interview Process

- Data Curation Profile

- Designed by Purdue University Libraries & University of Illinois – Urbana-Champaign

- <http://datacurationprofiles.org>

# “Excellent Work, Bones!”

○ Ezid

○ California digital library

○ <http://ezid.cdlib.org>



Give them credit for their work

# “Set Phasers To Stun”

- Blue Ribbon Task Force
  - Sustainable Economics for a Digital Planet
- National Science Foundation
  - Data Management Plan Guidelines
- ACRL- White Paper
  - Academic Libraries & Research Data Services



# *“Ahead Warp Factor 5”*

- Working with liaison librarians*
- Marketing & outreach*
- Training sessions*
- Follow the grant money*

# Reaching Out To The Next Generation

Reach out to today's  
graduate students.  
They are tomorrow's  
primary Investigators.

Librarian's of the  
future will thank you

*Not all will survive, but there is much worth saving*



*“Live Long And Prosper”*

