

DSPACE Leadership Group

The Leadership Group is made up of members that contribute annually to the project, along with representatives from the DSpace Community at large who are particularly committed to the Project, including Service Providers.

The group meets [monthly](#) and charges the [DSpace Steering Group](#) with priorities, projects, and feedback.

The Leadership Group approves the overall priorities and strategic direction of the project by:

- Approving the annual budget allocation and any modifications
- Approving the product roadmap
- Approving the strategic direction
- Nominating and electing Steering Group members
- Voting on key decisions presented by Steering Group
- Helping to raise funds and secure other resources on behalf of the project

Leadership Group members are elected for a 1-year term and there are no term limits.

Eligibility to serve in the Leadership Group is determined based on the membership levels as follows:

- Platinum - 1 seat per member
- Gold - 1 seat per member
- Silver - 1 seats for every 4 members
- Bronze - 1 seat for every 8 members

The Leadership group also benefits from the participation of:

- 2 Members nominated by the community at large and voted by the Members
- Representatives from Registered Service Providers
- Ex-officio and/or emeritus members

DSpace Leadership Group Members		
Pascal-Nicolas Becker	CEO, Founder	The Library Code
Allan Bell	Associate University Librarian Digital Programs and Services	University of British Columbia Library
John Butler	Associate University Librarian for Data & Technology	University of Minnesota
David Corbly	Director of Repository Services	University of Oklahoma
Lieven Droogmans	CEO	Atmire
Federico Ferrario		Cineca
Scott Hanrath	Associate Dean	University of Kansas
Barbara Hirschmann	Head E-Publishing, ETH Library	ETH Zurich
Jyrki Ilva	Information System Specialist	National Library of Finland
Salwa Ismail, Chair	Head, Library Information Technology	Georgetown University
Inba Kehoe	Copyright & Scholarly Communication Librarian	University of Victoria
Pierre Lasou	Scholarly Communications Librarian	Université Laval
Agustina Martinez	Repository Integrations Manager	University of Cambridge
Joao Mendes Moreira	Head of Scientific Information, UCCN	Foundation for Science and Technology of Portugal
Susanna Mornati	COO, CCO, Business Strategist, Business Technologist	4Science

César Olivares	Subdirector for Information and Knowledge Management	Concytec
Kristi Palmer		Indiana University Purdue University Indiana
Kristi Park	Executive Director	Texas Digital Library
Jordan Pišanc		University of Trieste
Beate Rajske	Head Library Information Technology	Hamburg University of Technology / DSpace-DE Consortium
Maureen Walsh	Scholarly Sharing Strategist	The Ohio State University Libraries
Andrew Weaver	Digital Infrastructure and Preservation Librarian	Washington State University Libraries