Guidelines for data sharing and citation in SSH journals
Perspectives and insights from
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Proposal for a study

- (1) The content analysis of journals authors guidelines from Finnish list.

- (2) the content analysis of data sets referenced and cited in the selected journals. The sample includes March issue / the latest issue before April 2018 of all journals in a selected disciplines on the Finish list. A content analysis will be conducted to identify how datasets citation follows the journal policy and guidelines.

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Proposal for a study

- Improving the understanding of SSH data sharing an publishing
- Deep insight in selected fields – Finish list of journals
  - History, archeology
  - Literature and Lingustics
  - Information studies
  - Education
  - Discussed with participants

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Research questions

- How do journals in educational technology refer to datasets publishing and sharing policy?

- Is there a link between open access policy and open data policy?

- What is the current data citation practice in EdTech journals?
  - How are data citable units described and structured and where appear in texts (are in the form of in-text citation, is there a reference to a dataset)?
    If / which citation standard is applied?
  - How are the datasets published and where?
  - Which data models and kind of data are applied?

- Are problems identified regarding discoverability and retrieval techniques and if so, which?

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Author guidelines

- Analyses of author guidelines
    - Coding scheme
        - Policy regarding data provision
        - Data verification policy
        - Data sharing policy
        - Data sharing policy specific to journal or publisher
        - Journal's specification of kind of data to share
        - Data sharing methods
        - Etc…

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- Analyses of data sets mentioned in a journal
  - Manual search
  - Content analysis
  - Coding scheme