



**Digital Research  
Alliance** of Canada

**Alliance de recherche  
numérique** du Canada

## News

### **Call for Alliance Board Members**

Applications are being accepted for the Alliance Board of Directors. Terms range from one to three years. We encourage individuals from underrepresented communities to apply, in keeping with our commitment to the principles of Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Accessibility. Apply by June 30, 2023, at 11:59 p.m. EDT. [Learn more and apply](#)

### **Priorities for cloud computing from the Researcher Council**

The Alliance Researcher Council published an update to *Meeting the digital research infrastructure needs of the Canadian research community*, focusing

on researchers' use of computing clouds. The new priorities include recommendations on best practices, researcher support, expanding the Alliance Community Cloud and use of commercial cloud. [Read more](#)

### **Call for participation in research data management expert and working groups**

The [Network of Experts](#) is recruiting participants for the Preservation Expert Group and the Training Materials Review Working Group:

- The Preservation Expert Group is a community of practice and advisory group working to promote and develop digital preservation best practices and resources. [Learn more and apply to join](#)
- The Training Materials Review Working Group will pilot a process to bring locally-produced DRI training materials to a national audience, with the intent of supporting learners and trainers across Canada. [Learn more and apply to join](#)

### **National Research Software Strategy**

Thank you to all who responded to our national Research Software survey. We received over 500 responses from across Canada, which will help guide the development of a National Research Software Strategy. Stay tuned for more information, including opportunities to provide feedback on the strategy.

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## **Events**

Visit our [Training Calendar](#) for online and in-person training events offered by our advanced research computing regional partners.

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## Join the Alliance

The Alliance is accepting applications to join its growing membership of over 100 Canadian post-secondary institutions and research organizations. Become part of a national, bilingual not-for-profit organization accelerating Canada's research future. We invite you to learn about Alliance membership and its benefits by emailing [membership-adhesion@alliancecan.ca](mailto:membership-adhesion@alliancecan.ca) and visiting [Become a member](#).