



**Digital Research
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News

Lunaris is now in full production

Lunaris, the Alliance's national discovery service for multidisciplinary data, is now in full production. Several new features and improvements have been added since its beta launch in March 2023. [Learn more](#)

Apply to serve on the Researcher Council

The Alliance is accepting applications and nominations for the Researcher Council. This is a unique opportunity for researchers from across the country to make an impact on the digital research infrastructure (DRI) ecosystem in Canada. The deadline to apply has been extended to June 12. [Learn more and](#)

apply

Assessing the impact and needs of research software in Canada

Earlier this month, we launched a survey to better understand how Canadian researchers use research software and to inform the development of a National Research Software Strategy. If you use, develop, or support the use of research software, we want to hear from you. Later this year, we will be sharing a draft of that research software strategy, giving you an additional opportunity to weigh in on what you feel should be the priorities for the Alliance and its stakeholders. Complete the survey [here](#) by June 2.

New report on cloud services in research

The *Alliance Researcher Council Cloud Survey Report* is now available. Over 500 researchers in various academic disciplines filled out the survey. The report aims to provide insights for future efforts related to cloud technologies in Canadian research. [Read more](#)

Call for participation: Training Materials Review Working Group

The National Training Expert Group (NTEG) is seeking participants from across the DRI ecosystem for a new working group. This 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. [Read more](#)

Data Primer: Making Digital Humanities Research Data Public

The NTEG is pleased to endorse [Data Primer: Making Digital Humanities Research Data Public](#), a new open educational resource on data curation and management best practices for digital humanities researchers. The Primer is included in the Alliance's [External Training Resources Library](#).

Meet the Researcher Council

Over the last several months we've shared inspiring stories of our Researcher Council's contributions to research and DRI. Members of the council, representing various disciplines, shared stories of breakthroughs, removing barriers and using technology to improve our lives. [Discover their stories](#)

Events

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

Work With Us

If you would like to help us advance and invest in national DRI activities that will allow researchers to achieve scientific breakthrough and research excellence, please apply to our open positions today.

- [Manager, Member and Community Engagement \(Bilingual\)](#)

- [Program Officer](#)
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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 and visiting [Become a member](#).
