# Open Repositories: Poster Presentations (Minute Madness)

What is arts research data?
What does it mean to you?
Research, art, design, architecture
I'm going to tell you

What is arts research data?
We tried to find out
We asked various researchers
And this is what we found

What is arts research data?
It's complex and hard to define
Sketchbooks, paintings, data, drawings
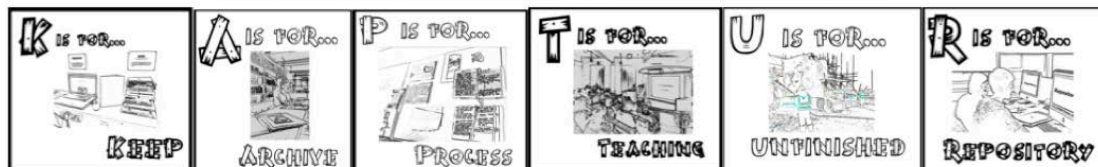Dependent on your state of mind

What is arts research data?
I have to conclude
It varies amongst researchers
And simply is your… "STUFF"!



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STUFF!

Http://www.vads.ac.uk/kaptur and http://vads4r.vads.ac.uk

K IS FOR… KEEP   A IS FOR… ARCHIVE   P IS FOR… PROCESS   T IS FOR… TEACHING   U IS FOR… UNFINISHED   R IS FOR… REPOSITORY

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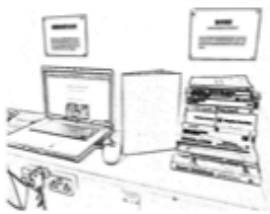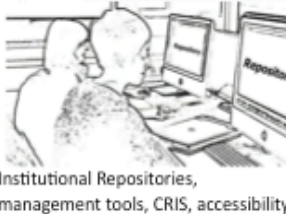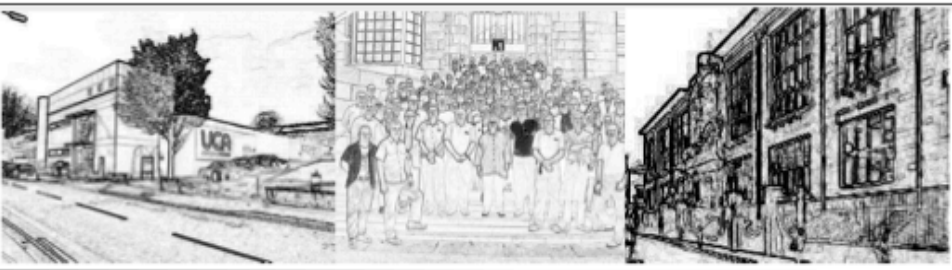
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This poster compliments the paper submitted with the same title. Its aim is to illustrate the aspects that need to be 'explored' and considered when looking at the management of visual arts research data.



# Exploring Research Data Management in the Visual Arts

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## What is research data?

Journals, sketchbooks, found objects, documents, diaries, data sets, notes, recordings, videos, texts, sounds... "Stuff!"

## What are the issues?

Handling, storage, accessibility, usage...

## Why bother? Benefits...

Showcases research, institutional and personal recognition, funder requirements, increased awareness of research

## How to manage data?

IT systems, archives, storage facilities, data back up, policies

## Preservation and Re-use

Institutional Repositories, management tools, CRIS, accessibility and sharing through enhanced engagement, implement policies

## Available training/outputs

http://www.vads4r.vads.ac.uk/p/online-learning.html Toolkits available.

The Research Community – Helping students and researchers with data management

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