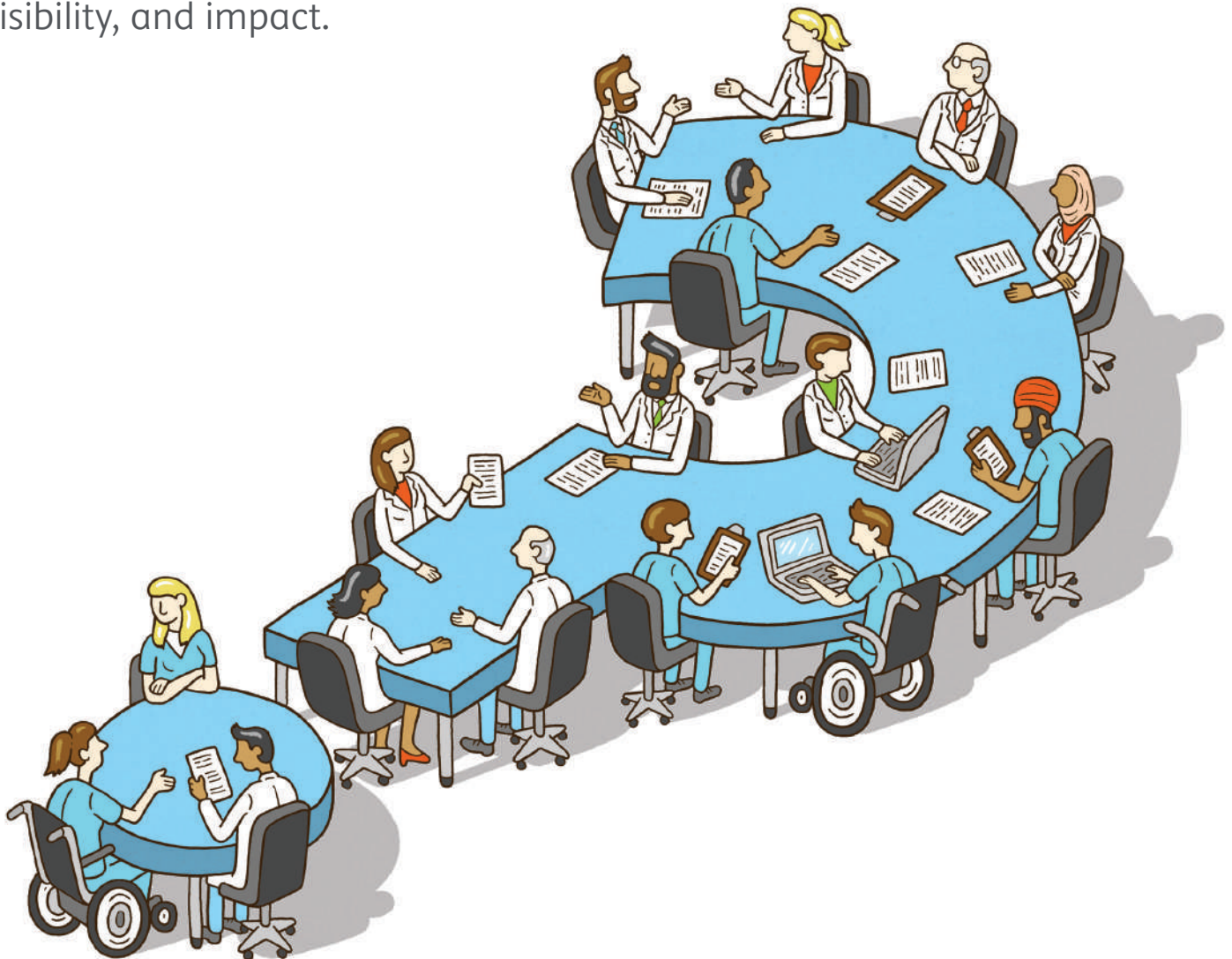


How can RIMS benefit library and information science professionals?

Increase efficiency in institutional archiving and visibility. Embed library expertise in research management. Improve researcher support for funding, collaboration, publication, compliance, visibility, and impact.



Research information management systems (RIMS) are technology-based information solutions designed to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of research information management activities. They do this by **integrating** and **linking** the various elements and processes that comprise the research ecosystem.

They also **centrally store** related data for analysis, reporting, and research promotion activities. Importantly, they ensure that universities and libraries can manage institution, faculty, and researcher information through a **single interface**, drawing on the data to drive **research performance, global reputation, international collaboration, and funding**.

Libraries are often under-recognized for the value they contribute to institutional research goals. Yet, your library may well manage institutional research outputs (e.g., the institutional repository) and contribute expertise in technology infrastructures relevant to the discoverability of research. Libraries also provide expert assistance to researchers at every phase of the research cycle; for example, via training and technical guides. Importantly, it is likely your library has developed a deep understanding of research policies, funding, and compliance; bibliometrics and research evaluation; and research data management - all invaluable knowledge when it comes to decision making.

The 5 key benefits of RIMS for library and information science professionals

Having a single source of truth for your institution's research information transforms your library's decision making and activities. For example, you can:

-  **Advance** the library's role in research strategy discussions with actionable insights from millions of research activity data points.
-  Expertly and efficiently **manage** institutional repositories, including deposits, evaluation, and alignment with open science principles and mandates.
-  **Boost** the efficiency and impact of researchers by ensuring access to the best resources and state-of-the-art search and analytics tools.
-  **Deliver** more sophisticated and targeted researcher training and support for funding, collaboration, research implementation, compliance, publication, and promotion.
-  **Build** compelling stories and vibrant public profiles of research output, expertise, and impact using tailored views of your institutional research activities.



To date, more than [300 research institutions and organizations](#) worldwide have adopted Pure to achieve their institutional goals. Here's what some of their library and information science specialists have to say:



“...faculty love to use [Pure] because they can show what each other are doing and showcase what their schools are doing. Our Deans like to look at it, and our Chairs because then they can also see what kind of output is happening scholarly. Interestingly enough, our administrative units like to look at it...especially our fundraisers...they can see what kind of research is being done at the university when talking to grant makers, potential donors, existing donors, and alumni.”

- Karen Ramsden,
Research and Projects Specialist, Montclair State University, USA

Video: Pure in their words - Karen Ramsden, Montclair State University, USA



“The strong Pure data model helps us to simplify internal business and research processes. Reporting functionality is very comprehensive, and its flexibility provides tremendous opportunities.”

- Sergey Kondakov,
Deputy Head Executive, Directorate on Human Resources,
Saint Petersburg State University

Case study: Elsevier's Pure: Raising SPBU's global visibility in academic research. September 2020



“...we've been using Pure on a regular basis, so we use it on annual reporting on publications to the Ministry of Education and Culture. And then we do ad hoc analysis on the data. So, we're using it all the time and researchers know that. And then, of course, the publicity you get through the portal, that's very important encouragement for researchers.”

- Aija Kaitera,
Research Services Developer, University of Helsinki, Finland

Video: Pure in their words - Aija Kaitera, University of Helsinki, Finland

Pure

Make confident program decisions, streamline funding analysis and forge new partnerships with complete, correct, current and connected information around research activities.

For more information about Pure,
visit elsevier.com/solutions/pure

Elsevier offices

ASIA AND AUSTRALIA

Tel: + 65 6349 0222

JAPAN

Tel: + 81 3 5561 5034

KOREA AND TAIWAN

Tel: +82 2 6714 3000

EUROPE, MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICA

Tel: +31 20 485 3767

NORTH AMERICA, CENTRAL AMERICA AND CANADA

Tel: +1 888 615 4500

SOUTH AMERICA

Tel: +55 21 3970 9300



Pure
ISO/IEC 27001:2013 certified

Copyright © 2021 Elsevier B.V.
July 2021