

IRDL Post-Summer Research Workshop Survey

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Introduction. This survey is intended to gather feedback from you about your experience at the Institute for Research Design in Librarianship Summer Research Workshop. In this survey we request your feedback about the **curriculum, instructors, your time at the workshop, and your cohort**.

Your feedback about your IRDL experience will help shape all future workshops. Thank you in advance for your time and thoughtful consideration in responding.

Your name

The following are questions about the CURRICULUM.

1. Which of the following statements best reflects your opinion on the amount of required pre-Institute activities (assigned reading, human subjects training, orientation):
  - There were too few pre-Institute activities
  - The number of required pre-Institute activities was appropriate
  - There were too many required pre-Institute activities.
2. How challenging did you find the IRDL curriculum overall?
  - Not at all challenging
  - A little challenging
  - Somewhat challenging
  - Very challenging
  - Extremely challenging
3. How appropriate for your needs was the IRDL curriculum overall?
  - Not at all appropriate for my needs
  - A little appropriate for my needs
  - Somewhat appropriate for my needs
  - Very appropriate for my needs
  - Extremely appropriate for my needs
4. How comfortable for you was the pacing of the instruction overall?
  - Too fast
  - Just right
  - Too slow

5. Was the time allotted for hands-on activities and exercises sufficient for your learning needs?  
 Needed more time  
 Sufficient amount of time  
 Too much time allotted
6. Which hands-on activity or exercise stands out to you as the most immediately useful?  
 (open text response)
7. Was the length of time devoted each day for consultation with the instructors enough for you?  
 I didn't have enough consultation time  
 I had enough consultation time  
 I had too much consultation time
8. Did you have enough asynchronous (not on Zoom) time during each day to revise your proposal, review course materials, and prepare for the next day?  
 I had plenty of time to devote to asynchronous activities  
 I had enough but no extra time I could have devoted to asynchronous  
 I didn't have enough time to devote to asynchronous activities

*Display This Question:*

*If Did you have enough asynchronous (not on Zoom) time during each day to revise your proposal, revi... = I didn't have enough time to devote to asynchronous activities*

9. What was your main challenge to having enough asynchronous (not on Zoom) time each day?  
 (open text response)
10. What was your level of comfort using Brightspace to access the curriculum materials?  
 Easy enough  
 Took me a minute but I got the hang of it  
 I never felt comfortable using Brightspace
11. What was your level of comfort using Zoom for this training?  
 Easy enough  
 Took me a minute but I got the hang of it  
 I never felt comfortable using Zoom
12. What was your level of comfort using Google tools like Drive and Jamboard for this training?  
 Easy enough  
 Took me a minute but I got the hang of it  
 I never felt comfortable using the Google tools
13. Was there any content in the curriculum that you believe could have been omitted? If so, please describe what you think could have been left out.  
 (open text response)
14. Was there anything you needed to learn to complete your research design that was not covered in the curriculum? If so, please describe what you needed to learn that was missing.  
 (open text response)
15. Do you have any other feedback for us about the curriculum?

The following are questions about the INSTRUCTORS.

16. Please rate **[name of instructor 1]** on the qualities of clarity, helpfulness, and approachability.  
Very Poor, Poor, Fair, Good, Very Good  
Clarity  
Helpfulness  
Approachability
17. Do you have any comments you would like to share about **[name of instructor 1]**?  
(open text response)
18. Please rate **[name of instructor 2]** on the qualities of clarity, helpfulness, and approachability.  
Very Poor, Poor, Fair, Good, Very Good  
Clarity  
Helpfulness  
Approachability
19. Do you have any comments you would like to share about **[name of instructor 2]**?
20. Do you have any other feedback for us about the instructors overall?

The following are questions about YOUR TIME AT THE WORKSHOP.

21. From which location(s) did you participate in the synchronous (time together on Zoom) portions of the workshop?  
From home  
From work  
Both

*Display This Question:*

*If From which location(s) did you participate in the synchronous (time together on Zoom) portions of... = From work*

*Or From which location(s) did you participate in the synchronous (time together on Zoom) portions of... = Both*

22. What was/were the reasons for participating from work? Check all that apply.  
More reliable internet connectivity at work  
Better computer technology at work  
Better work space at work  
More privacy at work  
Fewer interruptions at work  
Other (tell us more!)

*Display This Question:*

*If From which location(s) did you participate in the synchronous (time together on Zoom) portions of... = From home*

*Or From which location(s) did you participate in the synchronous (time together on Zoom) portions of... = Both*

23. What was/were the reasons for participating from home? Check all that apply.

- More reliable internet connectivity at home
- Better computer technology at home
- Better work space at home
- More privacy at home
- Fewer interruptions at home
- More comfortable at home
- Easier to step away from work-related activities at home
- Other (tell us more!)

*Display This Question:*

*If From which location(s) did you participate in the synchronous (time together on Zoom) portions of... = Both*

24. From which location(s) did you participate in the asynchronous (not on Zoom) portion of the workshop?

- From home
- From work
- Both

25. Did you have enough asynchronous (not on Zoom) time during each day to revise your proposal, review course materials, and prepare for the next day?

- I had plenty of time to devote to asynchronous activities
- I had enough but no extra time I could have devoted to asynchronous activities
- I didn't have enough time to devote to asynchronous activities

*Display This Question:*

*If Did you have enough asynchronous (not on Zoom) time during each day to revise your proposal, revi... = I didn't have enough time to devote to asynchronous activities*

26. What was your main challenge to having enough asynchronous (not on Zoom) time each day?

(open text response)

27. Were you allowed to step away from all work-related responsibilities during the workshop?

- Yes
- No (tell us more!)

28. Even if you were granted official release time, did you find yourself being asked to do some aspect of your job during the workshop?

- Yes
- No

29. Even if you were granted official release time, did you find yourself volunteering to do some aspect of your job during the workshop?

- Yes
- No

30. How easy/difficult was it for you to be away from *your work responsibilities* for the workshop?

Very Difficult  
Difficult  
Neutral  
Easy  
Very Easy

31. Do you have any comments you would like to share about participating in the workshop remotely, either the synchronous or asynchronous portions of the workshop?  
(open text response)
32. Which of the following statements best reflects your opinion regarding the length of time for the entire training workshop:  
Ten days was too long  
Ten days was appropriate  
Ten days was too short
33. Do you have any comments you would like to share about the length of the training workshop?  
(open text response)
34. Do you have any other feedback for us about your time during the workshop?

The following are questions about your COHORT.

35. Please rate your level of agreement with the following characteristics of the Scholars.  
Strongly Disagree, Disagree, Neither Agree nor Disagree, Agree, Strongly Agree  
They were approachable  
They were engaged  
They were likeable  
They were open to my ideas
36. Please rate your level of agreement with the statement: "I felt part of the group."  
Strongly Disagree  
Disagree  
Neither Agree nor Disagree  
Agree  
Strongly Agree
37. Please rate your level of agreement with the statement: "I felt comfortable contributing to the discussion."  
Strongly Disagree  
Disagree  
Neither Agree nor Disagree  
Agree  
Strongly Agree
38. How likely is it that you will stay in touch with at least one of your cohort?  
Very Unlikely  
Unlikely  
Neither Likely nor Unlikely  
Likely

Very Likely

39. How often do you plan to use the closed Facebook group, *IRDL Scholars*, to communicate with the group after your time at the workshop?

Never

Rarely

Sometimes

Quite Often

Very Often

I'm not sure

40. Do you have any other feedback for us about your cohort?

(open text response)

41. What would you change or suggest improving in future summer workshops?

(open text response)

42. Do you have any other feedback about the 20xx IRDL summer workshop?

(open text response)