



Data-PASS partnership works to:

- **Archive social science** data at-risk of being lost
- **Catalog and promote access** to archived collections in the Data-PASS shared catalog
- **Replicated preservation** of archived collections
- Advocate **best practices** in digital preservation



## Current activities include:

- Expanding the partnership to **involve others** who are interested in preserving social science research
- Promoting **data citation standards** for research data
- Developing a self-contained **SafeArchive** system to manage and audit replication of digital holdings



## Data-PASS shared catalog



Metadata (DDI)  
harvesting through  
**OAI-PMH**



## Replicated preservation



Multiple copies of  
data collections  
through **LOCKSS**





## Succession Plan:

- Partners agree to institutional **succession plans and transfer protocols** in case individual members can no longer retain the materials they acquire.