Osteological Research Data

A course about structuring, managing and archiving research data collected from human skeletons

Are you working with human skeletal remains and would like to improve your data handling?

Are you planning on publishing osteological research data?

Do you run a research project and would like to make sure that your results will be useful to future researchers?

Are you member of a research institution and would like to build a substantial and long-lasting research data infrastructure?

Course Contents

At Freiburg University (Germany) we are currently conceptual-ising a course on creation and management of osteological re-search data. We would like to cover general aspects of re-search data management, introduce data models and their for-mulation and help participants to structure their own data. We want to provide both theoretical knowledge of related technolo-gies and hands-on skills. Participants should walk out with working solutions for their own data requirements.

Target Groups

- PhD students and postdocs intending to adopt good practices early in their career

- Research projects required by their funding agencies to meet specific research data standards

- Research institutions building up larger bodies of research data over longer periods of time

- Collaborative research projects

Interested?

We are currently applying for funding of the outlined course. Given that our application will be successful, we would like to start sessions in spring 2023. If you are interested in participating or would appreciate the existence of such a course in general, we would be happy to list you as a prospective participant. This would help us to document interest from the scientific community to our funding organisation. Your support does not entail any obligation on your side. For more information, please contact Felix Engel (felix.engel@anthropologie.uni-freiburg.de) at Biological Anthroplogy – Faculty of Medicine, University of Freiburg.