



## ACCELERATING PUBLIC ACCESS TO RESEARCH DATA: CONVERSATION SERIES

**Unsolved Problems: A Cross-Campus Conversation  
May 27, 2021**

*Eastern Time Agenda*

**3:00 – 3:15 pm**

**Welcome and Framing**

**3:15 – 3:45 pm**

**Small Group Conversations**

In breakout room participants will brainstorm strategies and approaches to address three critical levers necessary to accelerate public access to research data. Frequently these levers remain unsolved challenges for campuses.

1. Senior leadership engagement
2. Institutional financing and funding of public access efforts
3. Cultural change at the department level to support public access efforts

Each breakout room will have a Jamboard with three frames. The Jamboard will provide a space to generate lots of ideas quickly. Please identify a reporter for each lever. We will discuss these unsolved challenges thematically during the group report outs.

**3:45 – 4:20 pm**

**Group Report-Outs and Discussion**

As a large group we will discuss each of the unsolved yet critical levers. Each breakout room will share a few approaches that were generated by the group. What patterns do you see in the suggested strategies?

**4:20 – 4:30 pm**

**Next Steps: Seed Funding Opportunity**

AAU and APLU with the APARD Grant will be able to provide six seed funding awards. The goal for the seed funds is to advance cross-campus conversations within the university to implement recommendations in the APARD Guide and/or support multi-institutional or statewide knowledge exchanges on the topic of public access.

*The APARD Conversation Series is funded by the National Science Foundation (NSF 1939279) with support from the National Institutes of Health.*