Scholars@Duke Data Consumer's Guide

Aggregating and consuming data from Scholars@Duke profiles
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Who is this Guide for?

This guide is written for anyone who is interested in aggregating and/or exporting data sets from Scholars@Duke. Scholars@Duke provides several methods for exporting data for individual profiles, as well as profiles across entire organizations. This guide will help you get started by providing details about what data is available for consumption and what the options are for connecting to the Scholars data.

Once you have read this guide and become a Scholars Data Consumer, these are additional resources to help you stay engaged with updates to our system and data:

- Check the Recent Updates Page (http://about.scholars.duke.edu/recent-updates)
- Join the Scholars@Duke Data Consumers mailing list. Please email scholars@duke.edu to request to be added.
- Review the Support for Data Consumers page which provides maintenance guidelines for vendors and website administrators (http://about.scholars.duke.edu/sites/default/files/Support%20for%20Data%20Consumers.pdf)

Why consume Scholars@Duke data?

Scholars@Duke displays researcher data sourced from official systems of record at Duke University. From each of these source systems, researchers and their delegates have the ability to maintain and customize the information that they prefer to display on their public profile. There are several benefits for re-using the information that is provided in Scholars@Duke:

- One-stop shop for Duke faculty data
- Authorityive information about Duke researchers
- Data is consistently structured across all researchers in all organizations
- The underlying linked data model facilitates data aggregation and complex network analyses
- Customizable and dynamic data feeds available in multiple formats
- Minimizes data maintenance in downstream systems and applications

How up-to-date is Scholars@Duke data?

Scholars@Duke is refreshed nightly from its source systems. Researchers and their delegates can trigger real-time data refreshes via the “Manage My Profile” feature. When a new faculty appointment is created or ended, the updated information will be indicated in Scholars@Duke in 24 hours.

What limitations may I find in Scholars@Duke data?

The data available in Scholars@Duke is ideal for most data consumer needs including downstream web applications and analyses. However, for tasks such as CV generation or non-public reporting, Scholars@Duke will provide a starting point from which additional information may need to be added.

- Hidden/Private Data Not Available
  Scholars@Duke only displays data that is approved to be publically accessible. For the most part, researchers and their delegates are able to designate which elements of their profile they want hidden. This could include individual data elements, such as a grant or course, or entire sections such as Publications. Grants from private sponsors are hidden by default pending review of publicity restrictions.

- Some Legacy Data Not Available
Some data sections in Scholars@Duke such as Appointments & Affiliations, and Courses provide only the most recent data. Expired appointments and courses older than 3 years old are not be available.

- **Subject Heading are limited to select vocabularies**
  In support of the linked data structure underlying Scholars@Duke, official controlled vocabularies are used whenever possible to facilitate data aggregation and data sharing. A user can select subject headings from one of three approved sources, the Medical Subject Headings (MeSH), the Library of Congress Subject Headings (LCSH), and the Scholars Duke Vocabulary. The Duke Vocabulary is relatively new and provides users a way to request that new subject headings be available. This list is curated by the faculty data team.

- **Only Current faculty and select researchers available**
  Scholars@Duke provides web profiles for all current Duke regular-rank and non-regular rank faculty members. This means that the person has an active appointment in dFac, Duke’s faculty appointment system. Faculty must maintain a current primary appointment at Duke in order for their profile to remain active in the Scholars@Duke system.

  Web profiles are also available for some non-faculty researchers including Duke students, staff, and affiliates. Non-faculty profiles are created manually on an opt-in basis. Non-faculty profile must be added by a Scholars@Duke organizational editor based on the discretion of that organizational unit.

  Scholars@Duke profiles are automatically generated and removed for regular and non-regular rank faculty members. All other profiles must be manually activated and deactivated. Once a profile is deactivated, a stale version of their data can still be exported for a limited amount of time.

**Using Scholars@Duke data**

Depending on your data needs, there are three methods of aggregating and consuming data from Scholars@Duke. The following section compares & contrasts each of the following methods.

- Widgets
- SPARQL Endpoint
- Drupal module
- Elements, publications only via elements.duke.edu
- *Coming in Fall 2017: Scholars@Duke in Tableau*

**Widgets**

**Widgets Overview**

Widgets are a low-maintenance solution for consuming data about and individual or an entire organization. Data sets can be customized using the Widgets Builder tool, and then exported in various formats, including JSON. The widgets also provides embed code can to quickly paste dynamic data directly onto your own website. Widgets are accessible from a person’s or organization’s profile page by clicking the “Add Data to my Website” button.
Basic Use of Scholars Widgets

- Anyone with a Duke Net ID can access the widgets by clicking the “Add Data to My Website” button on any Scholars profile or organization page. More information on the using Widgets Builder is available in the Scholars@Duke User’s Guide (http://about.scholars.duke.edu/sites/default/files/Scholars_Users_Guide_April_2017.pdf).

- Widgets include additional data attributes that may not be apparent from a person’s profile page (ex. appointment type, organizational unit numbers, and favorite publications).

- The Widget Builder Tool (pictured to the right) allows data consumers to return a subset of the full data. Available data formats using the widgets builder tool are JSON, JSONP, HTML, and JavaScript.

- Embed code is available only for the most popular data elements of a person or organization.

Advanced Use of Scholars Widgets

- **Getting data for an organization.** The organization widgets includes directory data (name, contact, overview, and image) for an organization. If you require more data than this, one way to pull data for an entire organization is to write a script that loops over the individual person widgets. For groups defined in Scholars@Duke, the organization widgets will provide you with a list of individuals. You can also loop through a custom list to create ad-hoc groups. You can pull individual widgets data using the Scholars unique URIs or the Duke Unique ID. These identifiers can be substituted into the following URL in order to access the JSON feed for an individual:

  https://scholars.duke.edu/widgets/api/v0.9/people/complete/all.json?uri=https://scholars.duke.edu/individual/per9294252

  **Scholars@Duke Person URI** – The person identifier (text in green) is specific to Scholars@Duke. This identifier is what is listed in the organizational widgets Person List and is also a part of the profile page URL.

  **Duke Unique ID** – rather than using the person identifier, the widgets URL will also resolve using the Duke Unique ID.

- **Identifying changes in the widgets.** When using the embed code, updates will automatically display wherever that embed code is used. When consuming individual profile data from the Complete Feed as JSON, there is an attribute called ‘updatedAt’ that you can use to identify when a profile was last updated. There is a separate ‘imageModTime’ attribute that alerts you to changes in the profile picture. The ‘imageModTime’ attribute can be found both in the individual widgets and the organization widgets.

- **Widgets for inactive profiles.** When a profile becomes inactive in Scholars@Duke, all of their data is removed from scholars.duke.edu and they will be dissociated with all Duke organizations by removing them from the organizational widgets. However, a static version of their widgets data can still be accessed using the URL above. In this case, the widgets will reflect the state of the profile prior to being deactivated.
Publications Metadata in the Widgets

Widgets provides a wealth of parsed publications metadata for downstream applications. Some examples of this metadata include "abstract", "PubMed ID", "digital object identifier", and "full text link". All of the metadata required to build a standard publication citation can be accessed as individual data elements via the widgets. Alternatively, the widgets provide 4 pre-formatted citation (APA, MLA, Chicago, and ICMJE) for each publication. These pre-formatted citations include a link to the publication’s page on the Scholars@Duke site. An example of the pre-formatted citations can be seen below:

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        publishedOn: "https://scholars.duke.edu/individual/dateValue201408",
        abstract: "Transcranial magnetic stimulation (TMS) is a widely used, noninvasive method for studying the influence of TMS on single neurons in the brain. t Recorded action potentials within –1 ms after 0.4-ms TMS pulses and observed methodology is compatible with standard equipment in primate laboratories, a devices, experiments and treatment protocols.",
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        issue: "8",
        publicationSource: "epnc",
        publishedIn: "Nature Neuroscience",
        startPage: "1130",
        doi: "10.1038/nn.3751",
      },
    },
]
```

Note: Currently, the citation structure in Elements does not allow for the full first name of an author. This causes some limitations when trying to format for certain citation styles.

In Profile Manager (click “Manage My Profile”), anyone with a Scholars@Duke profile has the ability to set one of these four citation options to be their preferred citation style. Setting this preference will determine how citations are displayed on a person’s profile page and which style is used in the widgets HTML embed code. For those that have not selected a preferred citation style, the default style is the Chicago style. Whether or not someone has selected a preferred citation style, the widgets JSON feed will include all four citation styles. Therefore, when using the JSON data, it will be up to the data consumer to note which style (if any) has been selected as the preference. The preferred citation style will appear in the JSON feed as seen below. If no preference has been set, the `preferredCitationFormat` attribute will not exist.
SPARQL Endpoint

SPARQL Endpoint Overview

The SPARQL endpoint is a query service that implements the SPARQL Protocol for RDF and provides SPARQL query processing for RDF data available on the open internet. The Scholars@Duke SPARQL endpoint utilizes the full potential of querying RDF (linked) data by providing innumerable possibilities for aggregating and querying the data. This option may be considered if you require a subset of data that isn’t readily available from the widgets.

Features of the SPARQL endpoint include:
- Similar to SQL queries, SPARQL queries contain the flexibility to answer more targeted questions about the data in Scholars@Duke.
- Formats include JSON, XML, Text, CSV, and TSV.
- Unlike the widgets embed code, the query results are static and the query will need to be run periodically to refresh the data.

Getting Started with the SPARQL Endpoint

Contact the Scholars@Duke team (scholars@duke.edu) to inquire about use of the SPARQL endpoint. Someone will be in contact with you to assist in evaluating your data needs and writing the appropriate query. Using the SPARQL endpoint requires a NetID and an API key.

Advanced Use of the SPARQL Endpoint

SPARQL queries are specific to our underlying ontology. Details about the ontology are available at https://wiki.duraspace.org/display/VIVO/VIVO-ISF+Ontology
Available ontological attributes can be browsed using the SPARQL inspector:
https://sparql.scholars.duke.edu/inspector-request.html

The Scholars@Duke team is available to assist in crafting and optimizing queries. Some basic resources for learning SPARQL can be found here:

**Drupal Module**

As a way to support Drupal-based development at Duke University, Duke University Web Services (DWS) has developed a custom Drupal module that makes Scholars@Duke data available for Drupal using the widgets. For more information about the code and available support, please visit https://webservices.duke.edu/code/.

**Sites@Duke (WordPress)**

Widgets data is now available for use in a Sites@Duke WordPress page. From a Scholars@Duke profile page:

- Go to ‘Add Data to my Website’
- Select the dataset you would like to add to WordPress
- Click Advanced
- Click JavaScript format. This will open up a new window with the JavaScript code.
- Copy the URL of this JavaScript page

On your sites.duke.edu site, go to the post or page where you want the Scholars info to appear and paste. It does not matter if you’re on the Visual or Text tab. You should see the info from Scholars@Duke instantly appear. Save/publish like usual in sites.duke.edu.
Elements Reporting

Symplectic Elements is the publication managements system at Duke University and the source system for all publications in Scholars@Duke (elements.duke.edu). This application is managed by Duke Libraries and has reporting capabilities for data consumers who are interested in publications data for one or more organizations. For help with accessing reporting tools in Elements, please visit http://scholarworks.duke.edu/elements.

Features of the Elements Reporting Tool

The Elements reporting tool enables aggregation and filtering for customizing queries. Data exports are available in CSV or Reference Manager/Endnote formats.

Getting Started with the Elements Reporting Tool

Elements requires a Duke Net ID. To use the reporting tool, you’ll need additional “statistician” (reporting) rights that must be granted by Duke Libraries. Please contact elements@duke.edu for more information and to request this access.
Advanced Use of Elements Reporting

Publications metadata available. Please be aware that only publications marked as ‘Visible’ in Elements will be loaded into Scholars@Duke.

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Getting Help and More Information

To submit comments, questions, bugs, or enhancement requests concerning Scholars@Duke, please email scholars@duke.edu or submit a help ticket (https://about.scholars.duke.edu/content/submit-scholarsduke-help-ticket). To be added to the Scholars@Duke data consumers group listserv, please send an email to scholars@duke.edu.

For specific information about support policies for website administrators and developers, please refer to the document “Support for Data Consumers” (http://about.scholars.duke.edu/support-duke-faculty-delegates).
Widgets Data Dictionary (Complete feed, JSON)

The following Data Dictionary is also available in the link below with additional widgets API documentation:
https://scholars.duke.edu/widgets/docs/#/

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Summary of Profile

active: can take the values of true/false, indicating whether a profile has an active primary affiliation with an organization in Scholars@Duke

label: the Professional Name (Last, First, Middle) as designated in dFac for faculty. For non-faculty, this will be their name in the Duke Directory (or LDAP).

title: the Preferred (aka “highest precedence”) title as designated in dFac for faculty. In the widgets, this is the title in which the Position attribute of “Rank” has the lowest value. For non-faculty, this is the title in the Duke Directory (or LDAP).

updatedAt: date attribute to show when an individual’s widgets were last updated with changes from the profile. The updatedAt date also powers a query endpoint where you can find all profiles that have changed since a given date. To access the query endpoint to https://scholars.duke.edu/widgets/search/modified.json?since=2016-04-15.

uri: the unique identifier for a person in Scholars@Duke. The URI redirects to the URL of the Scholars@Duke profile.

vivoType: the type of affiliation with Duke.

Academic Positions

Previous and current academic positions outside of Duke. This would include visiting professorships. In Scholars@Duke this section is labeled “Academic Positions Outside Duke”.

academicPositions: {
    "uri": The unique identifier for the academic position
    "vivoType": the ontological categorization of the record (dukecv:NonDukePosition)
    "label": a concatenation of the role and institute attributes
    "attributes": {
        "institute": Name of academic institution
        "role": Title of academic role or position
        "startDate": YYYY-MM-DDT00:00:00
        "endDate": YYYY-MM-DDT00:00:00
    }
}
Addresses

For faculty, there are two addresses in Scholars@Duke--the mailing address (or work_mailing) and the office location (or work_location). For non-faculty, only one address will be in Scholars@Duke, with the work location taking precedence if both are available.

addresses:

```
{
    uri: the unique identifier for a person’s address, either work_mailing, or work_location.
    vivoType: using the vcard ontology, office location are categorized as vcard:Location, while mailing addresses are vcard:Address
    label: concatenation of street, city, state, postal code
    attributes: {
        address1: line 1 of a street address
        address2: line 2 of a street address
        city: name of city
        personUri: person associated with the office location/address
        postalCode: postal code
        state: abbreviation of state name
    }
}
```

Artistic Events (Exhibitions, Screenings, & Performances)

artisticEvents:

```
{
    uri: the unique identifier for the event
    vivoType: Event
    label: Event Title | Venue
    attributes: {
        description: event description
        venue: venue
        startYear: YYYY-MM-DDT00:00:00
        endYear: YYYY-MM-DDT00:00:00
    }
}
```
Artistic Works

Artistic and/or non-print outputs that represent a faculty member’s primary scholarship. These are works that are parallel to publications but not adequately captured as a publication citation in Elements

artisticWorks:

{
    uri: the unique identifier for the event
    vivoType: Can be one or many types of artistic work. If multiple types of work are selected, then this value will be “Multiple Types” with the detail of these types listed in the “type_description”
    label: Title of work
    attributes: {
        role: One or many roles that a person contributed to the work
        abstract: Description of the work
        commissioning_body: Name of the commissioning body, if available
        collaborators: A list of all collaborators
        date: The creation date for the work.
        date_precision: indication of what precision the date was entered (Year, Month/Year, or Monday/Day/Year)
        link_label: The label for a URL related to the work
        link_url: URL related to the work
        role_description: A description to further explain the one or many roles selected
        type_description: A list of the one or many categories that best describe the work
    }
}

Attributes (Additional Person Data)

Information about a person where there can only be a single value. Attributes with an asterisk are required.

attributes: {

    academicActivities
    alternateId*: Duke Unique ID (will be the Net ID for non-faculty profiles that have not been active since June 26, 2017)
    clinicalOverview: This section is meant to specifically highlight clinical activities and responsibilities
    firstName*: first name
    imageDownload: link to full profile image
    imageName: the file name for the profile picture.
    imageModTime: This is the most recent date for which the profile image was updated.
    imageThumbnailDownload: link to the 200x200 thumbnail of profile image
    imageThumbnailUri: URI for page that links to thumbnail download
    imageThumbnail500Download: link to the 500x500 thumbnail of profile image

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imageThumbnail500Uri: URI for page that links to 500x500 thumbnail download
imageUri: URI for page that links to full image and thumbnail downloads
interestsOverview: This section is specifically for research interests that are not necessarily part of one’s expertise. In Scholars@Duke, this section is labeled “Current Research Interests”
lastName*: last name
leadershipPositions: paragraph summary of administrative, clinical, and/or leadership positions at Duke that are not represented by formal faculty appointments
mentorshipAvailabilties: coupled with the mentorshipOverview, this section allows users to specify who they are willing to mentor (affiliates, faculty, fellows, masters, PhDs, post-docs, professionals, residents, undergraduates, or other)
mentorshipOverview: paragraph about one’s availability to advise and mentor
middleName: middle name (if available)
netid*: net ID
officehours: office hours
overview: the overview paragraph that summarizes a person’s research and research interests.
phoneNumber: phone number from enterprise directory
preferredCitationFormat: If the user has selected a preferred citation format, they will have that value here. If this field is blank, then no preference has been set and a default citation format is used in Scholars@Duke.
preferredTitle*: the title in the “Positions” section of the widgets that has the lowest “rank” value (aka highest precedence value)
prefixName: title prefix
primaryEmail: email from enterprise directory
profileURL*: this is the customizable, human-readable URL that is recommended for display on downstream sites. However, the URI attribute is the persistent identifier for both the public profile and the widgets.
suffixName: title suffix
teachingActivities: This section is meant to specifically highlight teaching activities and responsibilities

Awards
Awards & honors that are manually entered in Scholars@Duke.
awards:
{
uri: The unique identifier for an award in Scholars@Duke.
vivoType: an award as defined in the VIVO-ISF ontology (vivo:Award)
label: a concatenation of the award name & awarding body
attributes: {
    awardedBy: the name of the awarding body
    awardedByUri: the Scholars URI for the awarding body
    date: the date in text form
    description: description of the award
    datePrecision: the Scholars URI for the date
    name: The name of the award
    serviceType: Represents the level of award. Values can be “Department”, “International”, “National”, “Other”, “School”, “State”, or “University”.
} }

Courses

Courses taught in the past 3 years, not including summer terms

courses:
{
    uri: the unique identifier for the course. The value after “course” represents the course number. The URI for renumbered courses will automatically be updated for all course years.
    vivoType: vivo:Course
    label: a concatenation of the course name and course title.
    attributes:
    {
        role: the URI representing the role of a particular instructor on a course
        roleName: currently, this field is a duplication to the course label (concatenation of the course name and course title)
    }
}

Education

A faculty member’s education and professional training as displayed in dFac. This section is only available for faculty who are active in dFac.

educations:
{
    uri: the unique identifier that specifies the university name, graduation year, and degree earned
    vivoType: ontological categorization of education URI (vivo:EducationalProcess)
    label: concatenation of degree earned + graduation year
attributes: {
    dateTimeUri: graduation/training year as time interval URI
    degree: degree abbreviation
    degreeUri: URI for degree type
    endDate: graduation/training year as “YYYY-DD-MMMT00:00:00”
    endUri: graduation/training year as end date URI
    institution: name of the university
    organizationUri: the unique identifier for the university
    personUri: the URI for the person associated with the education
}

Geographic Focus

Geographic locations, primarily countries and US states, where a researcher has a scholarly relationship. These relationships are categorized as Expertise, Teaching, or Research. In Scholars@Duke, this section is labeled “Global Scholarship”.

geographicalFocus:
{
    uri: the unique identifier for a geographic region
    vivoType: the ontological category for a geographic region
    label: name of the geographic region
    attributes:
    {
        focusType: URI for the relationship type between a person and a geographic region
        focusTypeLabel: specification of a person’s scholarly relationship to a particular geographic region
        personUri: URI for the person
    }
}

Gifts

This section contains competitive funding that is not captured in Duke’s Sponsored Projects System, but rather awarded directly to the PI. In Scholars@Duke this section is labeled “Fellowships, Supported Research, & Other Grants”

Gifts:
{
    uri: the unique identifier that specifies the funding record
    vivoType: ontological categorization of the funding URI (dukecv:Gift)
    label: Name of the competitive funds
}
attributes: {
  
  dateTimeEnd: funding end date as “YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00”
  dateTimeEndDay: day value of the end date
  dateTimeEndMonth: month value of the end date
  dateTimeEndValue: URI version of the funding end date
  dateTimeEndYear: year value of the end date
  dateTimeInterval: URI version of the funding date interval
  dateTimeStart: funding start date as “YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00”
  dateTimeStartMonth: month value of the start date
  dateTimeStartDay: day value of the start date
  dateTimeStartValue: URI version of the funding start date
  dateTimeStartYear: year value of the start date
  description: description of the funding and/or the funded activities
  donor: name of the donor
  giftAmount: dollar amount of funds
  role: the user’s role in relation to the funded activity (for example, “PI”)

}

Selected Grants

Select grants from Duke’s Sponsored Project System (SPS). If applicable, one grant will represent multiple renewal years, as well as any mini grants that associated with it. Grants with publicity restrictions are not included. For funding not tracked in SPS, please see the “Gifts” section of the Scholars widgets.

uri: the unique identifier for a grant in Scholars@Duke. The value after the “gra” represents the proposal ID. In the case of a renewal grant, the URI value will automatically update to the most current proposal ID.

vivoType: categories of grants.

label: name of grant

attributes: {
  
  endDate: project period end date for the proposal (most recent proposal if grant has been renewed)
  roleName: person’s role on the grant
  awardedBy: name of the grant sponsor
  administeredBy: name of the Duke department that received the grant
  awardedByUri: URI of the grant sponsor
  administeredByUri: URI of the Duke department that received the grant
  startDate: project period start date for the proposal (first proposal if grant has been renewed)

}
In the News

A combination of news stories tagged by Duke’s Office of News & Communication and entered manually. In Scholars@Duke, this section is labeled “In the News”

Newsfeeds: {
  uri: The unique identifier for the license or credential record
  vivoType: http://vivoweb.org/ontology/core#NewsRelease
  label: Title of the news story
  attributes: {
    newsDatetimeObj: URI of the date value
    newsLink: URL to the news story
    newsDatetime: YYYY-MM-DDT00:00:00
    newsMonth: month value
    newsDay: day value
    newsYear: year value
    newsSource: name of the news source
  }
}

Licenses

Medical licensure and other credentials not captured in dFac

licenses: {
  uri: The unique identifier for the license or credential record
  vivoType: the ontological categorization of the record (dukecv:MedicalLicensure)
  label: a concatenation of the license number, the licensing state, and the license year.
  attributes: {
    datetime: URI version of the year of licensure
    number: title of academic role or position
    state: Name of academic institution
    year: year of licensure as “YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00”
  }
}

Past Appointments

Duke appointment history, not including active appointments which are listed separately in the Positions section of the widgets

pastAppointments: {
  uri: the unique identifier for the historical appointment record
vivoType: the ontological categorization of the appointment record (dukecv:DukePastPosition)
label: the appointment title
attributes: {
  dateUri: the URI version of the appointment date interval
  endDatetimeUri: the URI version of the appointment end date
  endYear: appointment end date as “YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00”
  organizationLabel: the current name of the organization
  schoolLabel: the name of the school
  schoolURI: the URI of the school
  startDatetimeUri: the URI version of the appointment start date
  startYear: appointment start date as “YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00”
}

Positions
Faculty appointments and center memberships contained in dFac. This section also includes non-faculty member’s HR title and non-faculty affiliations as designated in Scholars@Duke.
positions: {
  uri: unique identifier for a position
  vivoType: the type of affiliation a position represents. Position vivoTypes include: Primary Position, Secondary Position, Joint Position, Faculty Administrative Position, Professorship, Membership Position, Student Position, Non-Faculty Academic Position, Affiliate Position, Faculty Position
  label: appointment title or non-faculty HR title. For students this will always be “Student”
  attributes: {
    dateUri: appointment start and end as a time interval URI
    endDatetimeURI: appointment end date URI
    organizationLabel: name of the department for which the appointment exists
    organizationURI: department URI
    personURI: URI for person who occupies this position
    rank: display order for titles. These values have a default setting and can be edited in dFac using the Title Precedence form.
    startDatetimeURI: appointment start date URI
    schoolLabel: name of the school for which the appointment exists
    schoolURI: URI for the school
    startYear: appointment start date in YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00 format
    endYear: appointment end date in YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00 format
  }
}
Professional Activities

These are scholarly activities related to Outreach & Engaged Scholarship, Service to Duke, Service to the Profession, or Presentation & Appearances

professionalActivities:
{
  uri: the unique identifier for an activity in Scholars@Duke
  vivoType: The category of professional activity. This can be “Service To The Profession”, “Service To The University”, “Presentation”, or “Outreach”
  label: A concatenation of the role, serviceOrEventName, hostOrganization, and date.
  attributes:
    description: description of the event and the person’s role
    startDate: start date of the event as YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00
    startDatePrecision: indicates if the startDate was entered as YYYY, YYYY-MM, or YYYY-MM-DD
    hostOrganization: name of the host organization
    locationOrVenue: geographic location and/or venue name
    nameOfTalk: Name of presentation (only relevant for vivoType = “Presentation”)
    role: The role(s) that a person had on that activity
    serviceOrEventName: Name of the event
    serviceType: Sub-categories of service that are specific to the vivoType.
    endDate: start date of the event as YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00
    endDatePrecision: indicates if the endDate was entered as YYYY, YYYY-MM, or YYYY-MM-DD
}

Publications

Each publication feeding in from Elements (elements.duke.edu) will have some of the following metadata. Metadata with an asterisk will be present for each publication, while the others are optional.

Publications:
{

uri: the unique identifier for a publication in Scholars@Duke. The six-digit value after “pub” represents the identifier that comes from Elements. The URI redirects to the URL for the publication’s entity page in Scholars@Duke.

vivoType*: the type of publication as designated in Elements. For a complete list of publication types currently available, reference the “Browse By” list at scholars.duke.edu/research

label*: the title of the publication

attributes: {
    abstract: publication abstract
    apaCitation*: American Psychological Association citation style
    authorList*: list of all authors as “Last Name, First Initial”. A character limit has been applied to this value to better handle extraordinarily long author lists.
    authorshipType*: relationship between person and publication. Values are “Authorship”, “Editorship”, “Translatorship”, or “Contributor”.
    chicagoCitation*: Chicago citation style
    conferenceDateTimeStart: URI version of the conference start time as “YYYYMMDD”
    conferenceStartDate: conference start date as “YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00”
    conferenceStartDay: day value
    conferenceStartMonth: month value
    conferenceStartYear: year value
    conferenceDateTimeFinish: URI version of the conference end time as “YYYYMMDD”
    conferenceFinishDate: conference end date as “YYYY-MM-DDT:00:00:00”
    conferenceFinishDay: day value
    conferenceFinishMonth: month value
    conferenceFinishYear: year value
    conferenceLocation: Location where a conference paper was presented
    conferenceName: name of the conference where a conference paper was presented
    contributorList: list of all contributors not already captured as authors, editors, or translators
    datetime*: publication date URI as ‘YYYYMMDD”
    doi: digital object identifier. To link to the full text on the publisher’s site, add the prefix “dx.doi.org/” followed by the DOI.
    Edition: edition of the publication venue
    editorList: list of editors
    endPage: end page of publication
    icmjeCitation*: International Committee of Medical Journal Editors citation style
    isbn10: international standard book number, 10 digits
    isbn13: international standard book number, 13 digits
    isFavorite*: this attribute is set to “true” when an author has marked their publication as a “favorite” in Elements.
    issue: journal issue
mlaCitation*: Modern Language Association citation style
numPages: number of pages
onlineContent: this is the link to the open access copy of the publication (made available by DukeSpace).
parentBookTitle: for a publication of type “BookSection”, this field describes the name of the collective work.
pmcid: Pubmed Central ID. By adding the prefix http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/ to this ID, you can create a link to the PubMed Central version of the publication.
pmid: PubMed ID
publicationSource*: the source of the publication record. Metadata will vary slightly between the various sources. A preferred source (per publication) can be selected in Elements. The default and preferred sources are PubMed and European PubMed.
publishedBy: name of publisher
publishedIn: A journal in which the ISSN is identified and is therefore represented as a linked URI
publicationVenue: A journal in which the ISSN is not identified and is therefore represented as unlinked text
startPage: start page of publication (typically for an article or book section).
subtypes: while the vivoType represents the format of the publication, the subtype relays the genre and/or content of the publication.
translatorlist: list of translators
volume: journal volume
year*: publication date as “YYYY-MM-DDT00:00:00”

Research Areas

Subject headings from MesH & Library of Congress

researchAreas:

{ that describe a person’s research & areas of expertise
  uri: subject heading URI
  vivoType: ontological categorization of subject headings is skos:Concept
  label: name of the subject heading
  attributes: {
    personUri: the person associated with that subject heading
  }
}
Web Links

Web links that were manually entered onto a person’s profile (typically includes links to a CV, department site, personal site, or Google Scholar page, etc.)

Webpages: {
    uri: The URI for a weblink in Scholars@Duke
    vivoType: "http://www.w3.org/2006/vcard/ns#URL"
    label: Display label for the URL
    attributes: {
        personUri: The person associated with the URL
        linkURI: The actual URL
    }
}