

DORA 10th Anniversary local event frequently asked questions:

What types of events qualify? We are specifically interested in events that critically assess what has been achieved by DORA in the past 10 years or that look forward to addressing the remaining challenges in research assessment reform. The 10th Anniversary events should not be seen as an opportunity for corporate self-promotion.

Examples of the types of events and topics for the 10th Anniversary Celebration:

- Reforming research assessment policies and practices
 - An event for university faculty that outlines a new promotion path,
 - An event held by a publisher on how they are committing to responsible use of metrics, improving peer- review processes (bias mitigation, reviewers engagement, inclusive assessment, etc) and/or introducing responsible open research assessment
- Innovation in research assessment policies and practices
 - A funder-led event discussing new models for funding decisions
- Research on research assessment policies and practices
 - A seminar on recent research on assessment
- The challenges for researchers in reforming assessment
 - A panel discussion led by early career researchers
 - A cross disciplinary discussion of research assessment

Is there funding available for organizers of events? Unfortunately, DORA is unable to provide funding for organizers.

Will DORA help with organizing local events? DORA will not be organizing the technology (zoom, registration, websites, etc.) for local events. DORA is hosting two plenary sessions (more information on the DORA 10th Anniversary webpage). However, we will do our best to respond to requests for advice on event planning.

Social media: Events submitted for the 10th Anniversary Celebration will be shared on DORA's social media and 10th Anniversary webpage.

Version: January 20, 2023. This document will be updated as-needed based on common questions we receive.