

Application Reviews

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The application process

- EOI
- Assessment by SC that fit membership criteria
- Formal application
- Reviewed by SC members or recognised international experts
- Feedback to applicant (not properly described; not implemented and should be)
- Revised application

Feedback

- Helps SC determine whether applicant is a trusted data repository
- Helps to improve performance by drawing attention to best practice (e.g. advisory boards)
- Helps leverage attention from supporting organisation by documenting what needs to be done (e.g. putting in place longer-term funding plans)

International expertise lies in our existing membership

WDS Regular and Network Members (02/2016)



Formal recognition that members “have a duty” to help provide reviews of and feedback to repositories/data organisations seeking to join WDS

New members = will be specifically asked to commit to this;
Existing members = please signify your willingness to take on this role to the IPO.