



## Call for data

Discuss Data ([www.discuss-data.net](http://www.discuss-data.net)) is a repository for **archiving, sharing and discussing social science research data on Eastern Europe, the South Caucasus and Central Asia**.

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Discuss Data goes beyond conventional repositories and provides an interactive online platform for the discussion and quality assessment of research data. **Our aim is to create a space for scholarly communication and for the community-driven publication, curation, annotation and discussion of research data**. Through assigned Digital Object Identifiers (DOI), that serve as permalink, citation source, and claim of authorship all in one, Discuss Data increases the transparency, visibility, and accessibility of research data.

With this call for data we encourage scholars, research institutions, universities, and opinion research institutions, to submit their research data related to Eastern Europe, the South Caucasus and Central Asia to Discuss Data. Data can be interdisciplinary, quantitative or qualitative, in text, excel, data or other formats (including images and videos), as long as copyrights and standards of good scientific practice are not violated.

Particularly welcome are datasets in the following categories:

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| Civil Society and Interest Groups | Journalistic and Social media     |
| Corruption                        | Migration and Displacement        |
| Economic History and Economics    | Opinion Polls                     |
| Education                         | Political Parties and Politicians |
| Elections and Referendums         | Protests                          |
| Elites                            | Security                          |
| GDR Research                      | Social Policy                     |

Data on other topics are also eligible. For more information regarding data submission, please see our [guidelines](#) or contact our [curators](#).

Discuss Data offers a limited number of **grants** for the preparation of data for open access publication on Discuss Data. See our "[Data Preparation Grants](#)" for further information.

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