

## DOI Desk – Newsletter

### Dear Clients, Dear Readers

A DOI is more than a persistent identifier! Back in July 2014 we featured the [Short DOI Service](#) - a tool to generate short DOI names. However, this is not the only tool out there that is based on DOI names and their associated metadata.

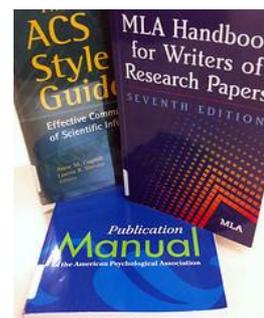
In today's issue of our newsletter you will find some more interesting services provided by DataCite or the International DOI Foundation.

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### Cite your DOI: The citation formatter

Did you know that you can generate a citation from a DOI within a few seconds? Just copy the DOI into the DOI Citation Formatter and choose from the list of citation styles. You will be shown how the resource should be cited according to the chosen reference style.

[DOI Citation Formatter](#) →



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### Resolve your DOI: The DOI name resolver button

Did you ever stumble upon a DOI name that is not displayed as a resolvable URL? In this case the DOI resolver button is a handy tool that helps you resolve the DOI and leads you directly to the resource. Just highlight the DOI name and use the "DOI name" bookmarklet available within your browser.

[Read more and install the button](#) →



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### Get your statistics: The DataCite statistics portal

Do you want to know how often your DOIs are used? On the DataCite statistics portal you can find monthly resolution statistics for each of your DOI Pools. Please contact us if you are unsure about how to use the site or how to interpret the data.

[Have a look at your statistics](#) →



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## Use the metadata: Content negotiation and OAI provider

Have you ever wondered why metadata provision is a requirement for DOI registration? One of the reasons is that we want to facilitate reuse and integration of DOIs in a variety of contexts.

If you are interested in reusing DataCite metadata in a third party application have a look at the [DOI Content Negotiation Service](#). It exposes DOI metadata using multiple formats.

[DOI Content Negotiation](#) →

The DataCite OAI Provider is another service that exposes DataCite metadata using the [Open Archives Initiative Protocol for Metadata Harvesting](#).

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