

## Instructions for participants of OA3: FAIR Assessment & Alignment

Dear Participant,

We are happy to welcome you to the upcoming OA3: FAIR Assessment & Alignment. This programme is dedicated to FAIR Assessment & Alignment. The project representative FAIR-IMPACT and the Task Force co-chairs of Long-Term Data Preservation and FAIR Metrics and Data Quality look forward to offer you an interactive programme covering the different aspects of FAIR assessment, the role of quality of digital objects within the EOSC framework and its impact on long-term preservation, addressing the challenges, the practical tools and the design of this cornerstone of the EOSC environment.

Expect interactive workshops and discussions aimed at sharing best practices and strategies for engaging diverse communities within the EOSC ecosystem.

### Objectives

- Enhance knowledge on FAIR assessment tools, methods and FAIR implementation profiles and provide practical lessons on how to include FAIR assessment in project specific use cases and communities
- Integrate the diverse landscape on FAIR assessment and bringing them into focus for HE EOSC-related projects and EOSC-A Task Forces

### Outcomes

- Condensing methods and tools on FAIR assessment and FAIR implementation into a transparent, accessible matrix for stakeholders of EOSC
- Identifying shared challenges and collaboration opportunities between projects and Task Forces on developments surrounding FAIR Assessment, both for now and in for both the current day as the future

### Your preparation:

In order to get the most out of the time we will spend together we would like you to:

- **Please read** the full programme of FAIR Assessment & Alignment of the EOSC Winter School. You will be guided through the different parts of the sessions but the sessions are reliant on your input and there is space to bring your own topics to the table in the interactive sessions. Please think beforehand where you can contribute.
- **Be prepared to share** relevant project activities and suggestions related to the programme, but also any topics or issues we may have missed
- **Please consider that you are representing a project** and might be asked about how certain things are handled in your project or community.



- **The reading list** on the website is included to give you background information to the sessions. Please feel free to reach out if there are any questions about these materials.

**Opportunities:**

- In the session, several FAIR Assessment tools and their differences and challenges will be discussed. If you have an interesting use case from your current work, please bring your DOI so it can be directly integrated into the session with the guidance of our programme commission members.

We are looking forward to your active participation.

**Should you have any requests, questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at: [marthe.bierens@tugraz.at](mailto:marthe.bierens@tugraz.at)**

