

# THE JOURNEY OF RESEARCH DATA MANAGEMENT AND OPEN SCIENCE AT HASSELT UNIVERSITY



DIRECTORATE RESEARCH, LIBRARY AND INTERNATIONALISATION

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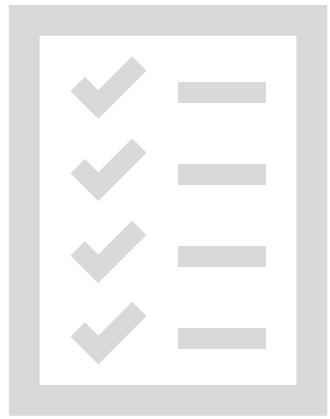
KNOWLEDGE IN ACTION

## CIVIC UNIVERSITY

*"Connected to a strong region"*

Learning  
Inclusive  
International  
Sustainable

## FRAMEWORK



The principles of Open Science, Open Innovation, and Openness to the World are put into practice through our institutional **Research Data Management Policy** and **Open Access Policy**.



## NETWORK



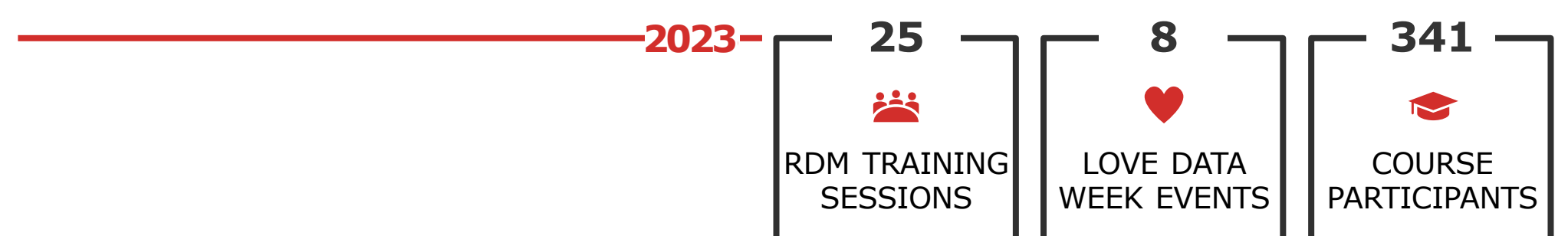
Facilitating knowledge exchange across **regional, national, and international** levels through communities of best practices, such as the Flemish Research Data Network (FRDN), Flemish Interuniversity Council (VLIR), European Open Science Cloud and VLIR-UOS.



## SUPPORT



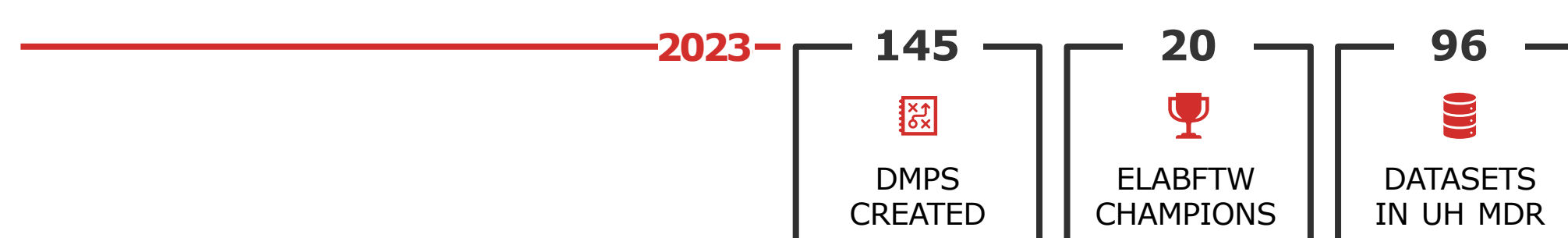
A dedicated team of data stewards and legal and IT support is available throughout the research data management (RDM) lifecycle. Complemented by **open educational resources** and targeted training to elevate our researchers' Open Science practices.



## TOOLS



Institutionally supported tools to optimize the RDM lifecycle encompass DMPonline for writing a data management plan (DMP); **electronic lab notebooks** such as Signals, eLabFTW, and Castor EDC to promote open methods; and the **UHasselt Metadata Repository** (UH MDR) to monitor research output such as publications and datasets.



## ROAD AHEAD

More Open Science initiatives drive UHasselt forward!

