ProQuest delivers content and software to universities worldwide

- **1,800+** Alma Institutions
- **~7,000** Institutions in the PQ Software Cloud
- **Top 50 Universities Worldwide are Customers**

- **15,560+** Customers
- **Presence in ~150 Countries**
- **1.5B** Digital Documents

- **6,500+** Customers
- **Presence in ~125 Countries**
- **110K** End Users per Day
ProQuest Dissertations and Theses (PQDT): cornerstone to promote, provide and preserve graduate research

Promote Your Institution and Your Graduate Students

More than 3,000 graduate schools are viewed by over 4 million researchers and 3,000 subscribing institutions worldwide

Preserve your research output

Official dissertations repository for the United States Library of Congress

The database of record for graduate research (American Research Libraries)

Provide students access to new research and key source
Promote to over 4M researchers and 3,000 institutions worldwide
Peer-reviewed journals are only part of the story for today’s faculty and student

ProQuest 2017 Survey of 410 graduate level through faculty researchers probed the types of information they use in their research and the information to which they direct their students.

- 71% of researchers use video.
- 72% of researchers use newspapers.
- 73% of researchers use theses and dissertations.
- 80% of researchers use books.
Preserve through Digital Archiving and Access Program

Provide a permanent, accessible record of an institution’s contribution to higher education through

• Dissemination

• Preservation

• Enhanced access

ProQuest has worked with more than 275 libraries to digitize their dissertations and theses

Since 1999, we have digitized more than 65 million pages of dissertations and theses previously available only in bound paper format
Metrics for you: Dissertation Dashboard
Please ask me about analytics

Examining the employment and earning outcomes of Ph.Ds

University of Michigan, Ohio State University, Georgia State University, New York University and the US Census Bureau

Half century of social science research to assess the extent to which internationalization of American social science has occurred

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Google Scholar's coverage of the engineering literature 10 years later, published in PennState ScholarSphere, March 2018.

The authors used data from full-text engineering dissertations published in 2016 to and related citations to determine the change in engineering literature referenced in Google Scholar over the last 10 years.


The authors analyzed computing-related keywords in approximately 30,000 dissertations and theses

Neuroscience bridging scientific disciplines in health: Who builds the bridge, who pays for it?, published in Scientometrics, November 2018.

By examining the topics of more than 500,000 doctoral dissertations from U.S. institutions in six major disciplines in 1996-2014, the study investigated the dynamics of cross-disciplinary research in health-related fields as affected by individual and institutional factors.
What analytics matter to you?

“Which universities lead and lag? Toward university rankings based on scholarly output”

Published through Stanford University. The authors use analysis of ProQuest Dissertations and Theses Global abstracts from authors at research-intensive institutions to assess if those institutions are “forward-leaning” or “past-leaning” in their relationship to academia.
How We Support Graduate Students

• Dissertation/Theses Awards
  • Regional competitions with awardees showcased at regional meetings
  • National competition with awardees showcased at the CGS Annual meeting in December

• 3 Minute Thesis Competitions/Awards
  • ProQuest supports regional association competitions at meeting
  • ProQuest sponsors the all of the regional awardees attendance at the CGS Annual meeting in December
Promoting authors

Web and press

Most-Accessed Dissertations & Theses
Each month ProQuest updates this list of the top 25 Most-Accessed Dissertations and Theses across all subjects, based upon total PDF downloads.

Social Media

Congratulations to Dr. Marijuana Pepai Vandyck!
Check out her dissertation "Black Names In White Classrooms: Teacher Behaviors and Student Perceptions" on ProQuest Dissertations & Theses.

Woman Named Marijuana Pepsi, Who Refused To Change Her Name, Earns Her Ph.D After Completing Dissertation On Bla...
How We Support the Graduate Community

- Relationship with:
  - Council of Graduate Schools
  - Regional associations of Graduate Schools (SCGS, MAGS, WAGS, NAGS)
  - Canadian Association of Graduate Schools (CAGS)
  - UK/European graduate schools/offices
ProQuest supports multiple dissertation submission methods and format types

- Electronic submission
- Harvesting
- Batch delivery
- Multimedia files
- Computer code
- Data sets
Electronic Submission

• The ProQuest ETD Administrator is a free web-based submission and management system
• Each ETD Administrator site is customized specifically for the university
• Populates the Institutional Repository
• Over 700 universities use the ETD Administrator to submit dissertations and theses to ProQuest
• Hosted by ProQuest
ETD Administration New Features in Fall 2019:

• Shibboleth Single Sign On
  • Convenience
  • Security

• Committee Review
  • Provides committee review of student-provided ETD
  • Committee members provided direct-login link to ease authentication
Committee Review: Decision

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit

Review the details listed below. If you believe they reflect the work you accepted earlier, then select Approve. If not, then select Reject and enter your reasons for rejection.

Register your decision and notify the author.

- Approve
- Reject

Comments
* Comments are required when you reject a submission.

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit, sed do eiusmod tempor incididunt ut labore et dolore magna aliqua. Ut enim ad minim veniam, quis nostrud exercitation ullamco laboris nisi ut aliquip ex ea commodo consequat. Duis aute irure dolor in reprehenderit in voluptate velit esse cillum dolore eu fugiat nulla pariatur. Excepteur sint occaecat cupidatat non proident, sunt in culpa qui officia deserunt mollit anim id est laborum.

Register decision
Committee Review: Dashboard
Committee Review: Status

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit

Author: Student Name
ID: 640945
Status: accepted

View all details

The individuals listed here are members of the committee responsible for approving or rejecting the work identified above. If no committee members have rejected the work, an administrator with appropriate rights can use the proxy actions to remind a member to review the work, or register a decision on behalf of the member.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Committee member</th>
<th>Role</th>
<th>Email</th>
<th>Approval status</th>
<th>Last reminder</th>
<th>Administrator proxy actions</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>My Advisor</td>
<td>Advisor</td>
<td><a href="mailto:mopejega@crowd-mail.com">mopejega@crowd-mail.com</a></td>
<td>Approved - 2019-07-10 10:40:53</td>
<td></td>
<td>Approve</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Committee Member</td>
<td>Committee member</td>
<td><a href="mailto:gfaya@simplemail.in">gfaya@simplemail.in</a></td>
<td>In review</td>
<td></td>
<td>Approve</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Another Member</td>
<td>Committee member</td>
<td><a href="mailto:cai@quickmail.in">cai@quickmail.in</a></td>
<td>In review</td>
<td></td>
<td>Approve</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
ProQuest supports graduate research

- Provide access to research and metrics
- Promote authors and institutions
- Preserve research output and historical record
Jessica Horowitz, PhD
Director of Academic Relations
ProQuest Dissertation Publishing
Jessica.Horowitz@proquest.com
Thank you