Vision:

Researchers openly **sharing data** across technologies, disciplines, and countries

Mission:

Building the social and technical **bridges**

Guiding Principles
- Openness
- Consensus
- Balance
- Harmonization
- Community-driven
- Non-profit

- ➤ >4000 members
- ➤ > 700 active members
- ➤ Working Groups
- ➤ Interest Groups
- ➤ Plenaries

Selected Interest Groups

Data Discovery Paradigms IG
Data Fabric IG
Data for Development IG
Data Foundations and Terminology IG
Data in Context IG
Data Rescue IG
Development of cloud computing capacity and education in developing world research IG
Digital Practices in History and Ethnography IG
Domain Repositories Interest Group
Education and Training on handling of research data
ELIXIR Bridging Force IG
Ethics and Social Aspects of Data IG
Federated Identity Management IG
Geospatial IG
Global Water Information IG
Health Data
Libraries for Research Data IG

Some Semantics/Linked Data - not nearly enough!

- **Sign up on** http://rd-alliance.org
- Get involved working and interest groups
- Support me in setting up a **Semantics And Linked Data Interest Group**
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