END OF FUNDING PERIOD REPORT
LAUC Statewide Grants, Research & Professional Development Committee

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TITLE OF PROJECT:

Time Period of Grant: 2013-2014
Amount of Award Received: $ 293.58
Original Abstract as Submitted:
Researchers in the field of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) use large data sets, many of which are combined with additional data sets to analyze and display information. Data relating to research is usually collected in the field and combined with layers of data from other sources. These sources are often credited within the text of an academic paper, but are not reported in the list of references. Citation of data is important in order to acknowledge and validate the source, and to create ease of access for other users. This study assesses the rates of GIS data citation in a sample of peer-reviewed academic journal articles from the years 2002 and 2012 to illuminate trends in citation patterns.

I. ACCOMPLISHMENTS and EVALUATION
- Describe what was achieved during the time period of the grant.
  I gave a presentation on my findings at the 2013 International Association of Marine Science Libraries and Information Centers Annual Conference. Subsequently, the paper was published in the conference proceedings.
- What aspects were completed as proposed? If your study could not be completed as proposed, explain how your plans were altered.
  I conducted research, analyzed data, presented and published a paper.
- Did the project accomplish what it intended? Did it make a difference?
  - Include any relevant quantitative data, if applicable (e.g. How many individuals have benefited from this project? In what way? This may include various output measures such as circulation, reference transactions, program attendance, survey responses, etc. as appropriate.)
  Yes, it accomplished what was intended. I presented my talk to 55 international librarians that work with marine and aquatic scientists. The paper will be posted in the open-access conference proceedings.
  - Include any anecdotes, if applicable.
  "Don't forget to cite your data" was heard throughout the conference.
- What would you do differently next time, if anything?
- What advice do you have for others applying for LAUC research grants?

II. IS YOUR PROJECT COMPLETED?   Yes__X   No__
If No, what is needed to complete the project? Is more time needed? Or more funds?

III. FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Please explain how the funds received were spent.   Attach your original budget and indicate how well your estimates matched with actual expenditures. Receipts are not necessary.

The grant helped fund my travel to the conference to give my presentation. I spent $1986 to travel to and attend the conference.

IV. SHARING YOUR PRODUCT/RESULTS
What are your plans for disseminating the results of your work? If it will be a web page or product, or published article or book, when will it be available to the public? Include citations/URLs if known.
The paper is published in the 2013 IAMSLIC Conference Proceedings. It is available at:
http://hdl.handle.net/1912/6657

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