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Quarterly Database Update Announcement

We are continuing to update the database to meet our next release target of September, 2015 for the 2014 database. Clients have been submitting faculty lists for 2014 and processing is underway. If you have not submitted your faculty list for 2014, we encourage you to do so as soon as possible.

As part of the updating process, we will release an update to the 2013 database on March 3, 2015. This update contains several improvements over the initial 2013 release.

This update will include client institution updates to person groupings and unit classification.

• If you have submitted any amendments to faculty lists or unit classifications for the initial 2013 database, those changes will appear here.

Identification and classification of more book reviews and other non-article type content

• A thorough review of the journal article data led to the re-classification of some content such as book reviews and editorials. These classifications were developed in-house based on internal review and client feedback to ensure that non-article type publications are not erroneously included as peer-reviewed journal articles.

Grant dollar and duration updates

Since federal government sites are continuously updating the information they make available, we have repulled data from federal sources in an effort to have comprehensive, up to date representation of research projects. This exercise captured additional transactions and extensions to projects. These updates may affect the total dollars and date ranges for grants and therefore result in a change to the annualized dollar amount associated with the grant.

As always, we welcome your comments and suggestions to make this the best database possible.

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