

**Title: MyRI** (Measuring your Research Impact)  
<http://www.ndlr.ie/myri/>

**Subject: Understanding Bibliometrics**

## Overview of Innovation:

MyRI is an open-access toolkit to support bibliometric training and awareness. It is a collaborative project between 4 academic libraries – NUIM, UCD, DIT, & DCU. NUI Maynooth contributors included the Library, the Department of Geography (Ronan Foley) and Prof Ray O’Neill, Dean of Research. It was funded by the NDLR LInCS 2010 Programme.



## How it worked:

- Online tutorial developed (3 modules)
  - Introductory overview
  - Journal ranking
  - Bibliometrics to support career and research strategy
- Training and Presentation Materials (worksheets, lesson plans, posters)
- Tailored material for Computer Science and Geography
- Content can be adjusted to suit the context -Reusable Learning Objects

## Lessons learned:

- Greater understanding of bibliometric tools – Web of Science, Scopus and Publish or Perish
- The need for increased awareness of bibliometrics locally and nationally
- The value of sharing expertise
- The need to promote an understanding of the advantages and disadvantages of bibliometrics

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