# Acquiring Content: Adding ETDs to Your Digital Repository

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# **DRUM Background**

- Initial proposal to Provost May 2003
- Mission: store, index, distribute, and preserve the research works of UM faculty
- Developed using DSpace
  - open source
  - active user community
  - out-of-the-box implementation
- Launched in August 2004
  - 1100 documents
  - 7900+ documents as of June 2008



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## Welcome to the repository for University of Maryland research.

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#### The following communities of digital works are available:

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A. James Clark School of Engineering

College of Agriculture & Natural Resources

College of Architecture, Planning, & Preservation

College of Arts & Humanities

College of Behavioral & Social Sciences

College of Chemical & Life Sciences

College of Computer, Mathematical & Physical Sciences

**College of Education** 

College of Information Studies

Philip Merrill College of Journalism

Robert H. Smith School of Business

School of Public Health

School of Public Policy

University Libraries (faculty)

#### **NIH Public Access Policy**

In early January 2008, the National Institutes of Health (NIH) announced a revision to its Public Access Policy that ensures that published results of NIH-funded research are publicly available.

Effective April 7, 2008, all peer-reviewed articles arising from NIH funds are required to be submitted to PubMed Central within 12 months of publication. Please visit the <u>NIH Public Access</u> <u>site</u> for further information.

#### Thesis/Dissertation Deposit Timeline

New submissions to the thesis/dissertation collections are added automatically as they are received from the Graduate School. Currently, the Graduate School deposits all theses and dissertations from a given semester after the official graduation date. This means that there may be up to a 4 month delay in the appearance of a given thesis/dissertation in DRUM.

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#### **UM Community-managed Collections**

Center for Food, Nutrition, and Agriculture Policy

Center for Advanced Study of Language

Center for International and Security Studies at Maryland

Institute for Systems Research

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- Aerospace Engineering
  - Aerospace Engineering Research Works
  - Aerospace Engineering Theses and Dissertations

#### O Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering

- Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Research Works
- Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Theses and Dissertations

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#### O Civil & Environmental Engineering

- Civil & Environmental Engineering Research Works
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#### • Electrical & Computer Engineering

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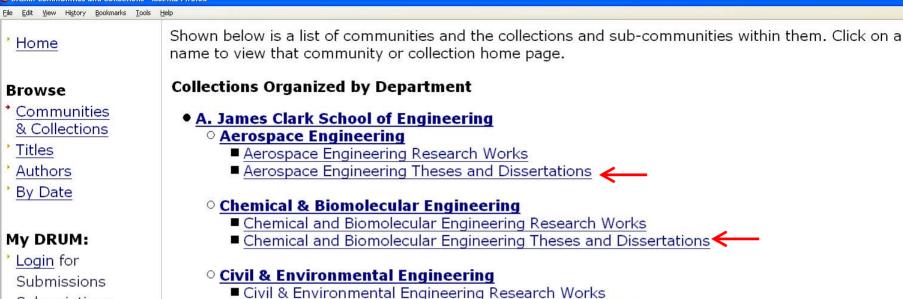
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## **DRUM Content**

4046	Theses & Dissertations
3487	Technical Reports
400	Faculty Contributions
7933	TOTAL (as of June 2008)



## **ETD Stakeholders**

- Students
- Faculty Advisors
- Graduate School
- Library
- IT Department



# **ETD Software Options**

## Commercial

- ProQuest / BEPRESS
- Open Source
  - ETD-db (Virginia Tech & NDLTD)

## NDLTD

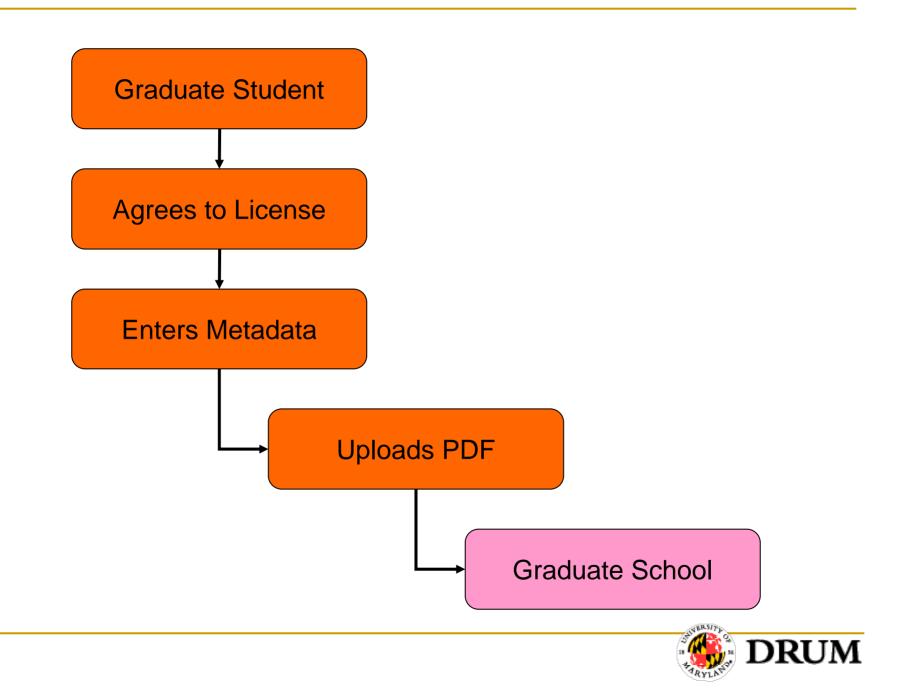
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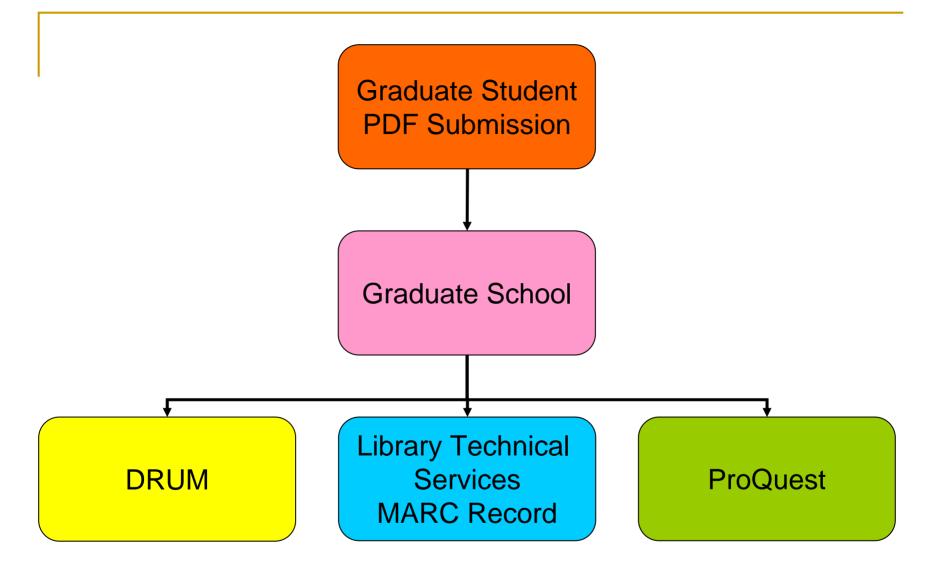


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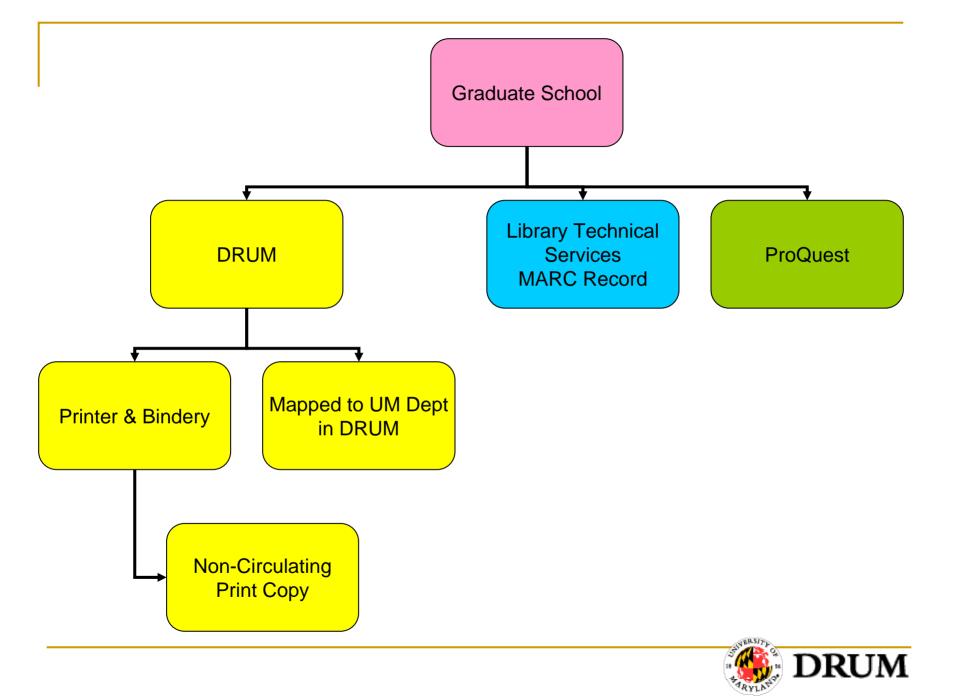
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- 3) Lower printing and copying costs
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- 6) Easy to deposit works along with associated content
- 7) Educates students on electronic publishing
- 8) Showcases an institution's research

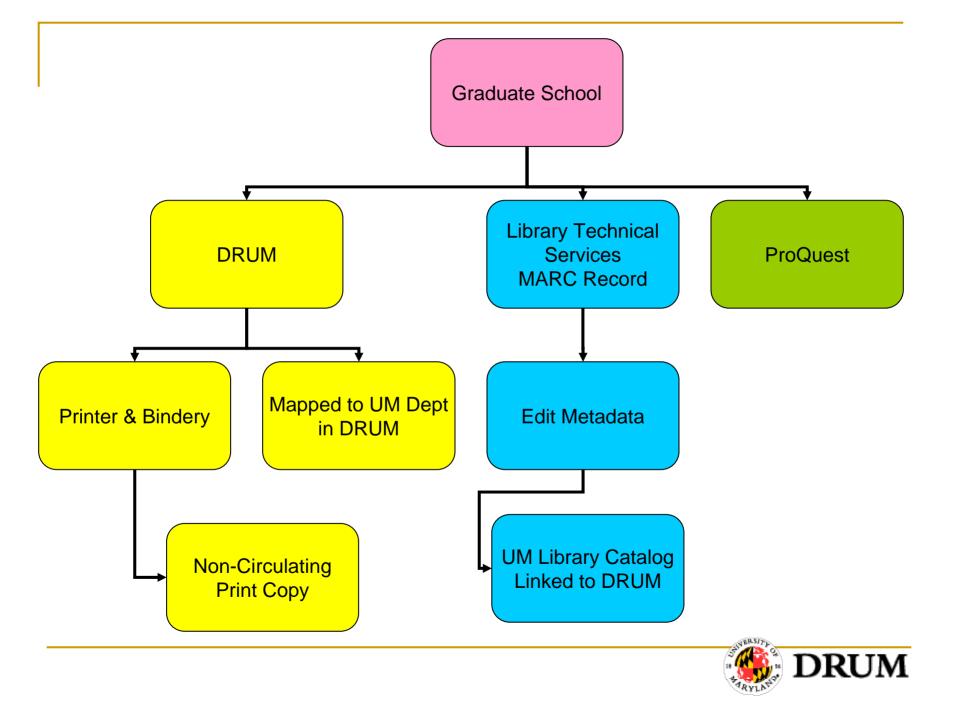












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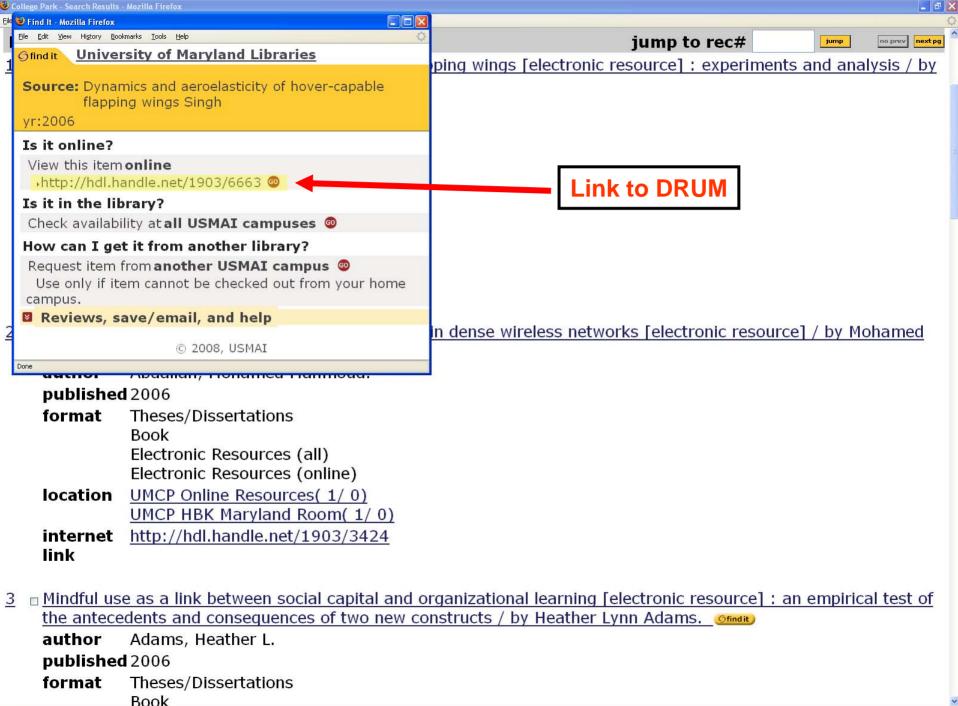
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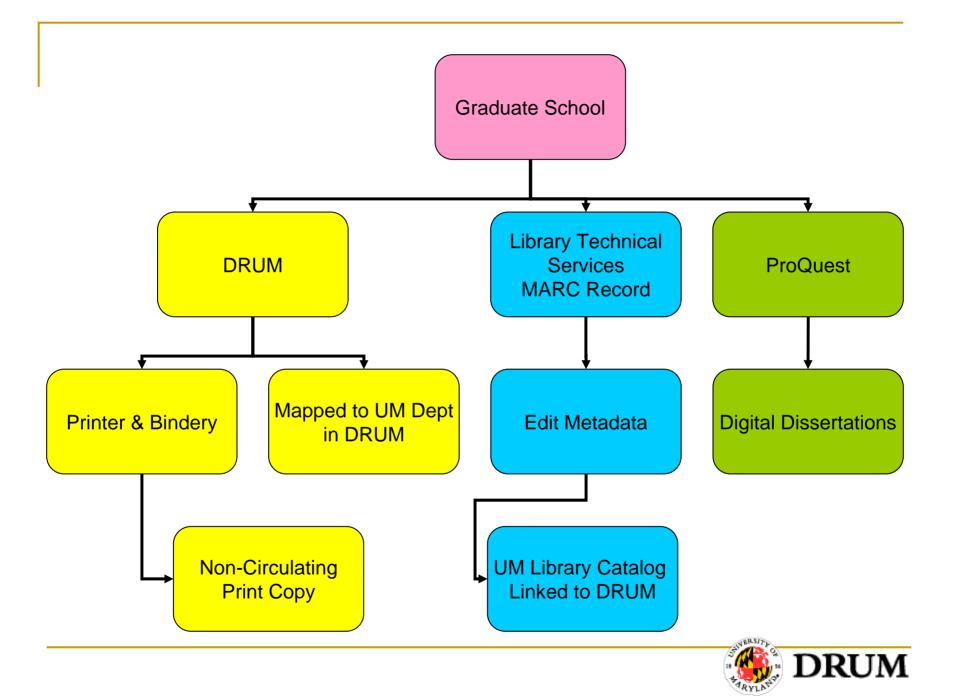
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- Will journal publishers still accept my article if it is available electronically?
- What if I want to submit a patent based on my research?
- What if I want to write a book related to my thesis of dissertation?
- Won't it be easier for someone to plagiarize my research if it is freely available online?



# **UM ETD Embargo Options**

- Restrict access for one year
- Restrict access for six years
- Restrict access indefinitely
  - Requires written approval by the Dean of the Graduate School
- Non-circulating copy still available in the library



# Why Embargo?

- For 1-year embargoes
  - Seek patent protection for material in the thesis or dissertation
  - Publish in a journal that has restrictions for depositing in an open access repository
- For 6-year embargoes
  - Publish a book based on your dissertation



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- UM Theses and Dissertations (OPEN)

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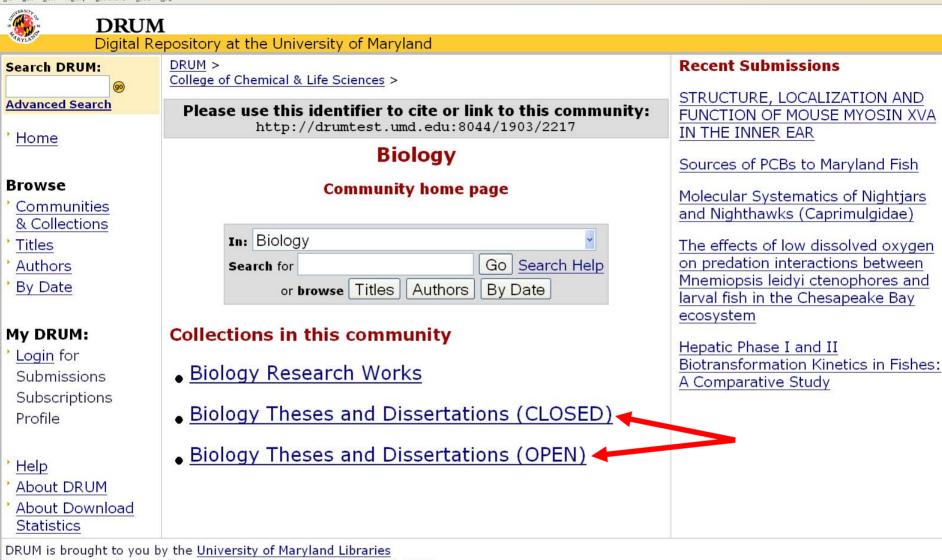
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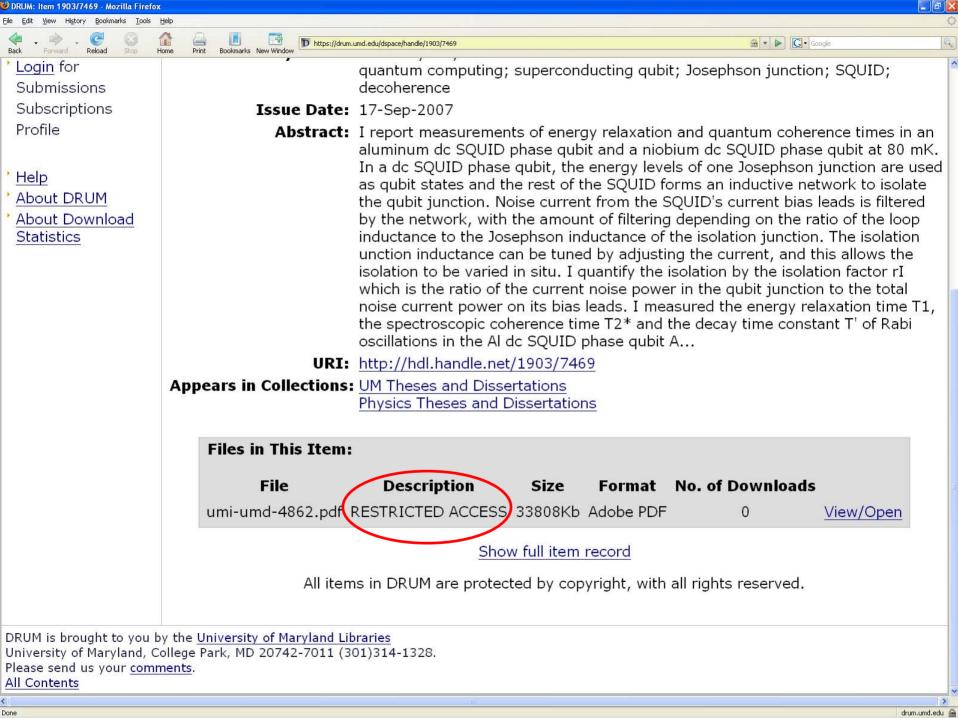
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  - 1-year embargo
  - 6-year embargo
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Spring 2007	398	79	47	126	32%
Summer 2007	293	55	26	81	28%
Fall 2007	300	71	33	104	35%
Spring 2008	266	51	40	91	34%
TOTALS	1523	303	171	474	31%



## **Embargoes by College**

	Degrees	1-yr	6-yr	Total	Percent
Engineering	389	85	27	(112)	29%
Ag & Natural Res	61	14	14	28	46%
Architecture	44	1	3	4	9%
Arts & Humanities	214	20	<b>63</b>	83	39%
Behavioral & Soc Sci	179	24	16	40	22%
Chem & Life Sci	163	74	12	86	53%
Comp, Math & Phy Sci	208	41	7	48	23%
Education	162	30	15	45	28%
Journalism	11	0	2	2	18%
Business	27	8	6	14	52%
Public Health	47	4	5	9	19%
Public Policy	14	2	1	3	21%



# ILL Requests

- Embargoed ETDs available via ILL
- But **NOT** the electronic version
- Developed new process to print and mail documents
- 45 requests since Sept 2007

## FUTURE:

- ILL electronic copy
- Allow campus access to embargoed ETDs



# Special Cases – Copyrighted Works

- Works of visual or theatrical art, dance or music performances
- Art or architectural images
- Complete document must be submitted in print or on CD / DVD
- Redacted version submitted electronically for inclusion in DRUM
- Student adds "disclaimer" to front matter
- Note added to DRUM record that the complete version is available in the library



# In Summary...

- ETDs require regular attention
- Build a good relationship with the Graduate School
- Important to educate faculty advisors and students about open access issues
- Be prepared to implement embargoes
- Link ETDs to library catalog
- Have plans in place for special cases (copyrighted works)
- Efficient and capable IT department





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