

# **Research Dashboards** The pursuit of T.H.E Top 100 under 50

Session 2.2 "How UC are using dashboards to track improvement in their research capability"



# Introductions

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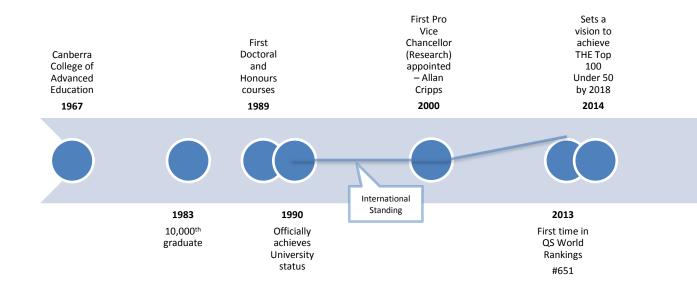


# Agenda

- Background
- Live Demonstration
- Architecture
- Challenges
- Outcomes and Benefits
- Q&A



# Background





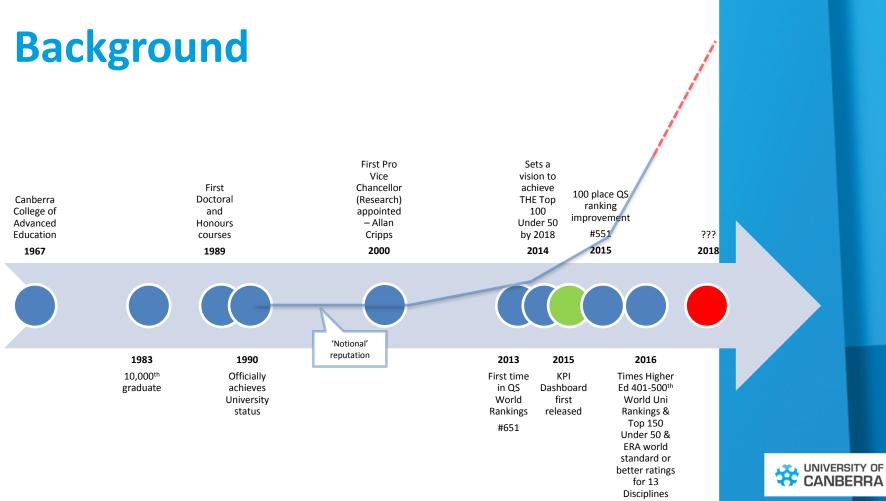
## **Aspirations**



"Our research will be of high quality and highly cited, focusing on discoveries and applications which lead to early improvements in the changing world around us"

-Professor Frances Shannon, DVC-R





# **Aspirations**

- Supportive Goals
  - Increased academic impact
  - Increase grant competitiveness
  - Improve HDR numbers and experience
- Top 100 under 50
- Increased level of excellence in ERA



# **Project Scope**

- Create Performance goals for;
  - Researchers
  - Fields of Research
  - Faculties
  - University
- Encourage timely and accurate data entry of academic collateral
- Make sense of and join data across discrete enterprise systems
- Reliably measure performance against these goals



## **Project Deliverables**

- Phase 1 (2014) Faculty Dashboards
- Phase 2 (2015) Field of Research & Researcher Dashboards
- Agile approach
- Prince 2 Governance



# **Solutions**

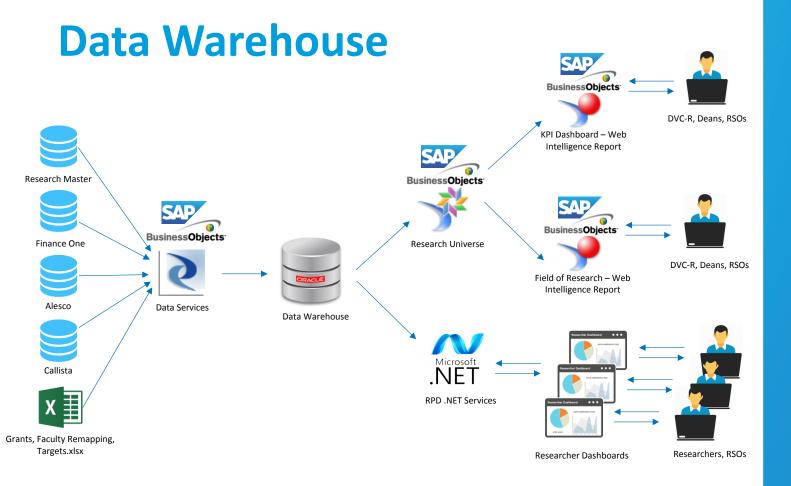
- Faculty KPI Report
- FoR Report
- Researcher Dashboards



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- Data Warehouse Design
- Citation Scraper
- Researcher Dashboards





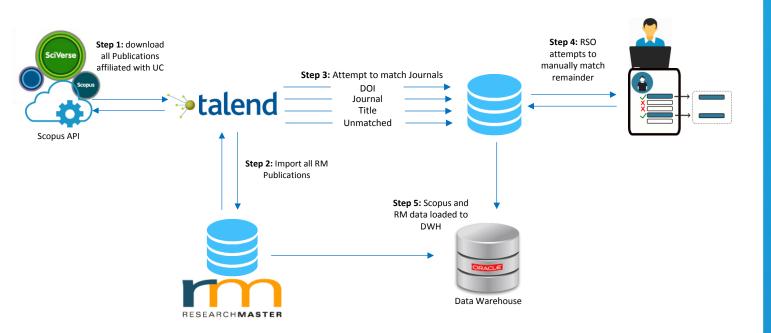


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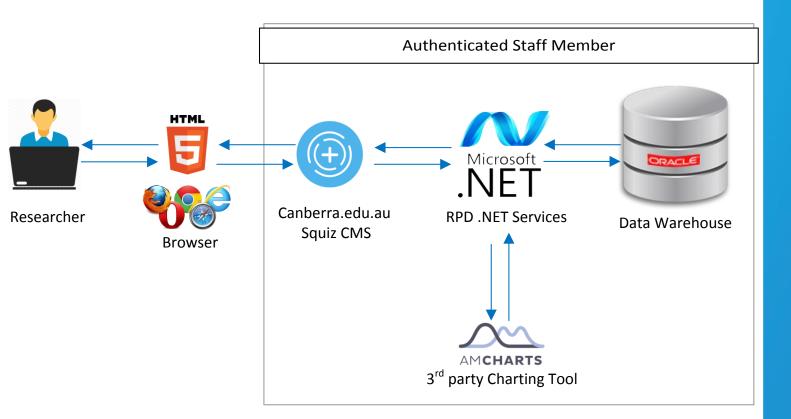


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#### **Researcher Dashboards**





# **Challenges**

- Master Data Management
- Data Quality The Academics paradox
- Granularities and preserving history



#### **Master Data Management**

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#### **History Preservation**

#### IAE: Citations per Paper, Source: Thomson Reuters, 22 November 2016

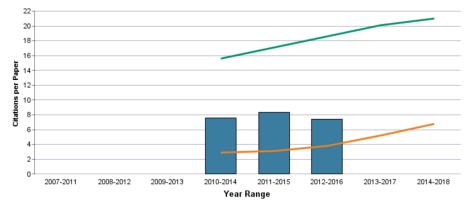
#### Explanatory Note:

The Citations per Paper measure is calculated as the total number of citations for all the UC publications in the 5 calendar year range, divided by the number of Indexed UC publications in the 5 calendar year period.

- For 5 calendar year periods which end prior to the current year, the total number of citations is a snapshot of the citations for those UC publications at 31 December of the latest year of the 5 calendar year period.

- For the 5 calendar year period ending in the current year, the total number of citations is calculated using the latest available citation data for UC publications.

Currency of the citations data will be affected by the date of the latest data refresh from UC citation sources (Scopus or Thomson Reuter). For further information, please refer to the Glossary tab.



Actuals for Citations Targets for Citations Planned Targets for Citations

Note: Citations per Paper on 22 November 2016 is 7.41 representing 195.11% of the target. With 89.59% of the year complete, the Citations per Paper KPI is on track.



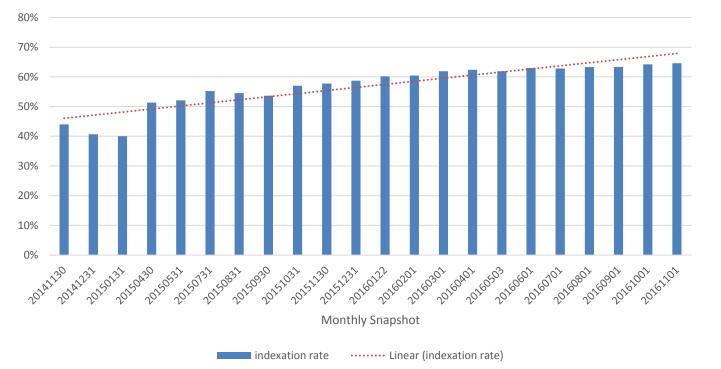
# **Project Benefits**

- Tracking of our Research against KPI's
- Measurable improvement in Research data
- Reduced workload and errors
- More timely data



## % Publications - Scopus

Improving % of UC Publications indexed to Scopus



# **Project Outcomes**

- Staff linked to vision statement
- Focus energy where required
- More timely feedback
- Simpler 'Pure' implementation







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