



# iDigBio

Integrated Digitized Biocollections



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# Welcome!

## And a few logistical details

**Planning group:**

**Richard Carter**  
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**Pam Soltis**  
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**Wiki:** [https://www.idigbio.org/wiki/index.php/Workflows\\_Herbarium\\_Digitization](https://www.idigbio.org/wiki/index.php/Workflows_Herbarium_Digitization)

**Adobe Connect (Kevin Love):** <https://idigbio.adobeconnect.com/droid>

**Status reports recorded**

**Chat box will be archived**

**Wireless: first letter first name, \_, last name as g\_nelson; password: vsu1500**

**Efficiency: Starting on time; staying on track.**

**Meals: Breakfast at hotel; lunch at workshop venue; dinner on your own.**

**Workshop Origin: Botany 2014**

**Working/interest group: DROID**

**Collaborative documents**

# Goal

**Bring together representatives of all TCNs, CSBRs, and other herbarium digitization collaboratives for the purpose of developing, documenting, and publishing a consensus set of modular herbarium digitization workflows that encapsulate what has been learned in the past three years of ADBC activity.**

**These workflows should be:**

- **modular in format and include a complete accounting of the tasks to be completed in herbarium digitization,**
- **broadly applicable across the herbarium community in collections of various sizes and plant types,**
- **reflect state-of-knowledge best or recommended practices as well as novel innovations,**
- **be available in time for implementing and testing across all participants in the Keys to the Cabinet TCN.**

# Workshop Format

**Tuesday a.m.: Status reports**

**Tuesday p.m. to Thursday a.m.: Working groups build workflows for all modules**

**Thursday p.m.: Outline and assign writing tasks for publishable paper**

## **Collaborative Google Docs**

- **workflow templates as modules**
- **produce complete drafts**
- **schedule follow up virtual meetings as needed to complete our task**

## **Working groups**

- **Flexible membership**
- **Capitalize on range of expertise of each participant**
- **Outcome directed by participants**

## Potential Modules

- **Proactive digitization**
- **Pre-digitization curation/staging**
- **Selecting an imaging station**
- **Imaging station setup: camera and lightbox**
- **Imaging station setup: scanner**
- **Imaging station setup: copy stand**
- **Imaging station setup: conveyer**
- **Image capture via herbarium personnel**
- **Image capture via blitzes and public participation**
- **Image processing and management**
- **Organizing and implementing a public participation imaging blitz**
- **Data capture**
- **Data capture via herbarium personnel**
- **Data capture via public participation**
- **Organizing and implementing a public participation data capture blitz**
- **Georeferencing**
- **Aggregating data to iDigBio**



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