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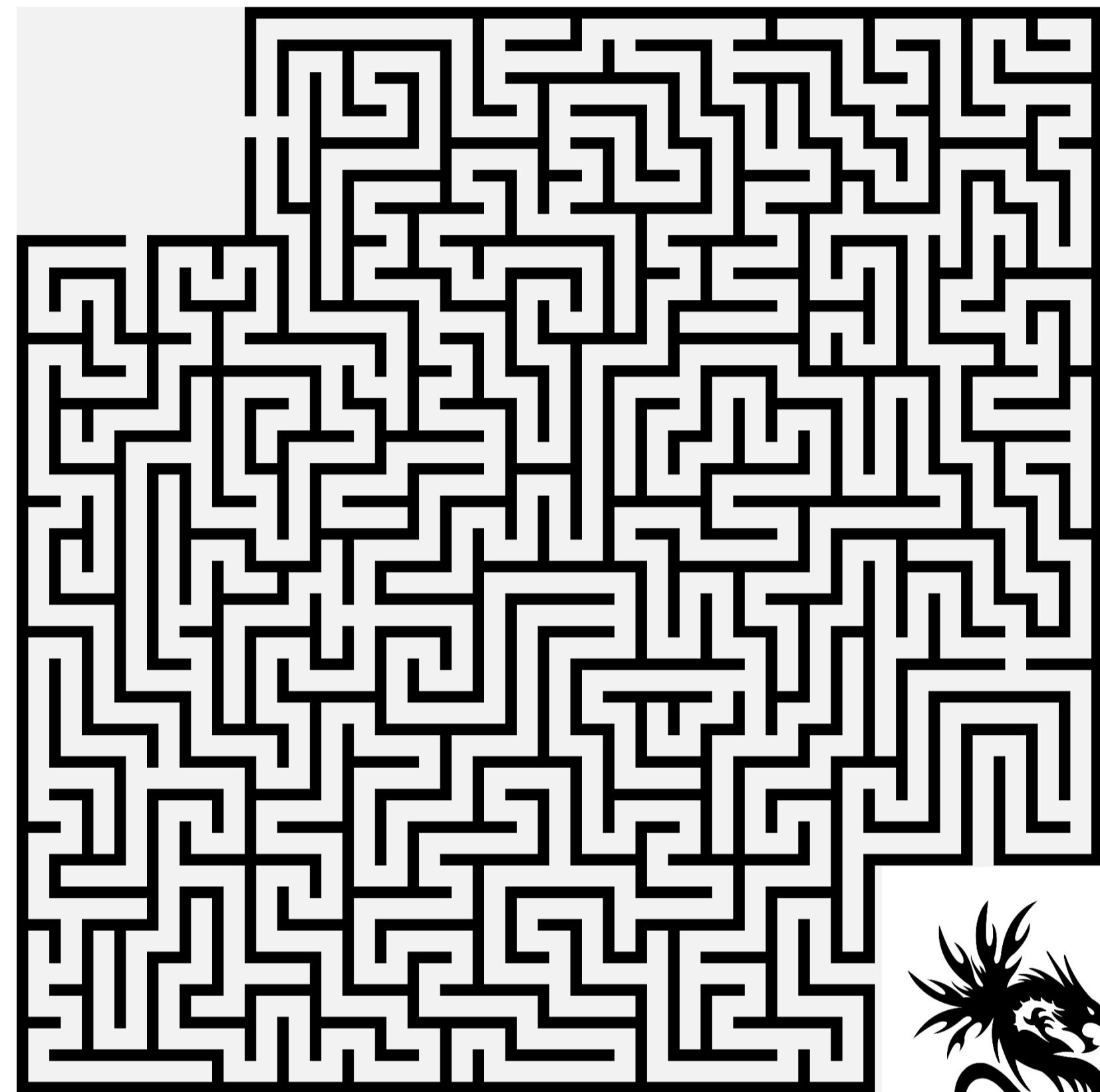
Research data sharing: what the FRIC?

Lots of cooperation is needed to help researchers share data safely and make sure institutions have a consistent and coherent approach to data management. Here are some of the key players and policies….

Your Quest

Use the **Sword and Shield of Safe Data Sharing** to protect you as you navigate the **Labyrinth of Trust**.

Slay the **Dragon of Data Confusion** and enter the **Kingdom of Public Good**.

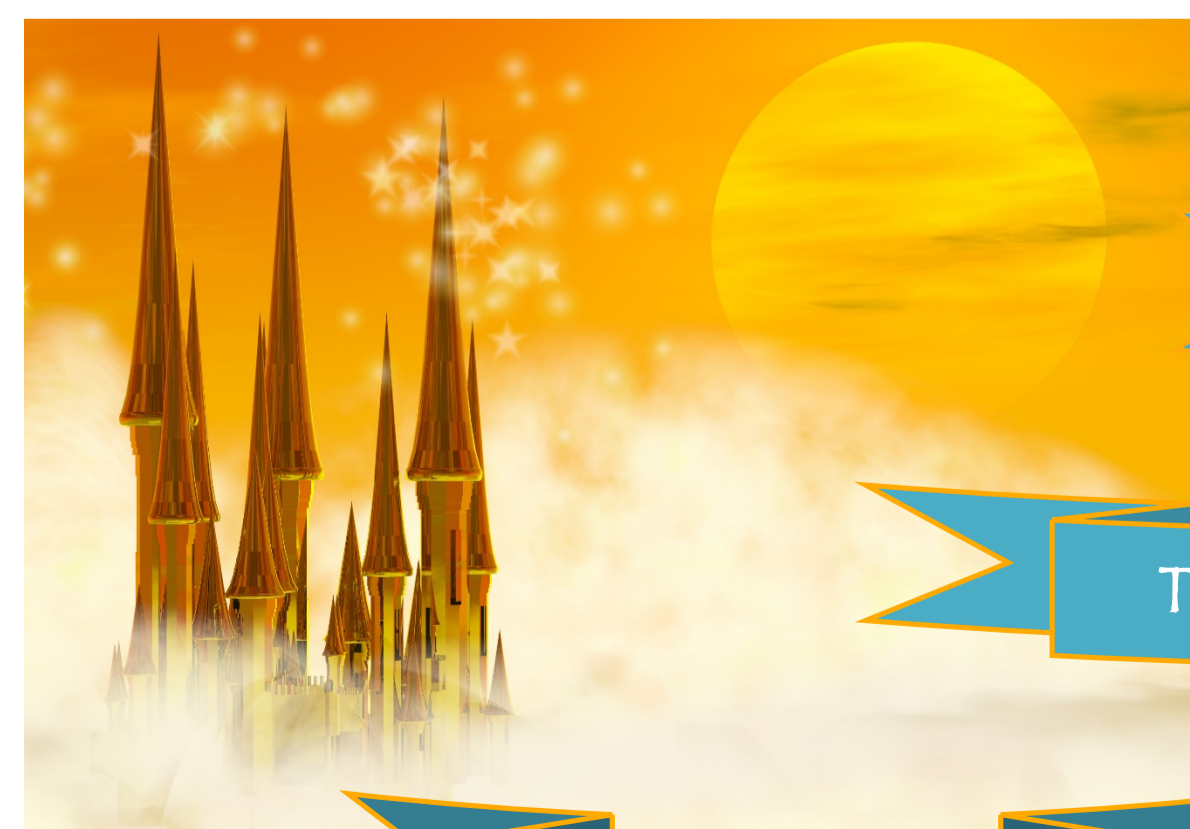## You can only navigate the Labyrinth successfully if data sharing is covered by:

- Data Risk Assessment
- Data Security Policies
- Ethical review protocols
- Consent form and participant information sheet
- Data protection guidance
- IPR Policy
- Anonymisation code / guidance
- Research Data Management Policy
- Research related contracts
- A Data Access Committee

Ask an Oracle

Unlock the secrets of tribal unification as foretold by the Ancients in the forgotten treaties of safe data sharing:

- Research Data Leeds team ☺
- Leeds Institute of Data Analytics (Other Oracles are available)

Leeds Tribes of Governance

To navigate successfully, the tribes must be united.

FRICs – Faculty Research & Innovation Committees
- **Likes:** saving researchers' time; clear expectations
- **Dislikes:** unnecessary bureaucracy
- **Special power:** understands discipline specific requirements, influence researcher behaviour

FRECs – Faculty Research Ethics Committees
- **Likes:** Data Protection Act, fully informed consent
- **Dislikes:** Risks to research participants
- **Special power:** influences the University Research Ethics Committee

IPG – Information Protection Group
- **Likes:** protecting sensitive and confidential information
- **Dislikes:** inappropriate data storage, reputational risk
- **Special power:** information security training

RIB – Research and Innovation Board
- **Likes:** workable solutions, research integrity and impact
- **Dislikes:** poor practice, missed opportunities
- **Special power:** owns the University Research Data Management Policy

UEG – University Executive Group
- The most feared tribe, characteristics are cloaked in mystery
- **Special power:** power!

Power Up Tip

Apply the ICO Anonymisation Code of Practice

Special Bonus

Senior data management champion

Good science

Trust & transparency

Public good

Happy researchers

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