



# RefWorks

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## **New Spring Feature Release for RefWorks**

*Introducing: Attachment Feature—now manage and store all types of data within RefWorks!*

**BETHESDA, MD, USA (March 26, 2007)** – RefWorks, the leading provider of a web-based research management, writing, and collaboration tool, has released the Spring 2007 features upgrade to the RefWorks service with a number of exciting enhancements, including the ability for users to organize and store images and documents within RefWorks. Additionally, the latest version offers further collaboration abilities within RefShare, an Advanced User Tutorial, as well as a number of other improvements to the program.

The **Attachment Feature** enables users to attach non-bibliographic information to their references in their personal database, much like attaching files to an email message. With the availability of the attachment feature, RefWorks users can instantly save and retrieve all forms of data within their database including PDF, BMP, TIF, JPG, PNG, and GIF files, and many more. Over the next few months, the attachment feature will be rolled-out to over 800 subscribing institutions.

RefShare, a tool for global dissemination, collaboration, and publication of research, has also been enhanced to make it more efficient for users and their collaborators. Institutions who have activated the Attachment Feature can now offer users the ability to share file attachments when sharing a folder or database. Along with the aforementioned items, RefWorks has also made some general enhancements to the program. Users are now able to rename the 5 User Defined fields that appear in every reference allowing customization to the user's database. Local date/time stamping is also available to ensure user databases are up-to-date and accurate when creating or updating references. These

enhancements are now covered in the new Advanced Features Tutorial, available through the Help section.

“RefWorks makes every effort to ensure that our new feature releases are in response to the pressing needs of our users,” said Tina Long Moir, Vice President, RefWorks Business Development, Sales and Marketing. “The ability to manage all types of information with RefWorks - not just bibliographic information, was essential particularly for our more advanced user population. As researchers and faculty are the fastest growing users of the service, we responded to their needs for further efficiency within the research workflow process.”

Most of these enhancements will be available to any registered RefWorks Users, and as always, are provided at no additional charge. The Web-based nature of the product allows enhancements to automatically be put into place without the need for users to update or re-load software or make any other changes to their RefWorks accounts.

### **About RefWorks**

RefWorks is an international company that provides research management solutions, helping researchers become more effective in their work by aiding in the management, organization, collaboration, and dissemination of research information. Thousands of researchers in over 800 institutions globally use RefWorks daily. Founded in 2001 by a team of experts in the field of bibliography database management, RefWorks supports hundreds of online databases and output styles covering a broad range of subject areas. RefWorks collaborates with some of the world’s most prestigious online information service providers including Proquest CSA, BioOne, EBSCOhost, Elsevier, HighWire, H.W. Wilson, ISI Web of Science, OCLC, Ovid and WebFeat, to name a few.

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