



**STN® Library and Information Science (LIS) Training Program**  
**User Agreement**  
**Attachment A**

Certify to the following before use of STN under the STN LIS Training Program:

- 1** I am a current faculty member, staff member, or officially registered student of this college/university and am actively participating in the STN LIS Training Program.
- 2** I will use STN under this login ID only for my own academic research done in the course of pursuing my degree, or in instructing my students, or in the course of my own research intended for publication in the publicly available literature.
- 3** I will NOT use STN under this login ID for commercial research; for example, research that is done under a funding or consulting contract where the results are delivered to a for-profit organization, or for research that involves patentability searching. If I require STN for commercial purposes, I will perform the search, or have it performed using a commercial account.
- 4** I will use my search results in the ordinary course of academic research/instruction and acknowledge that I may store search results in electronic form, provided that at any one time, I store no more than 5,000 records. I may share search results in a limited, reasonable way with other college/university students or faculty participating in the STN LIS Training Program and working on the same project, but I will not aggregate my electronic search results with those of anyone else. I will delete stored records when I no longer need them for the relevant research project, or after the completion of my degree program, whichever occurs first. If I need to use search results beyond what is described here, I will contact my college/university Key Contact to discuss and to obtain permission from the STN SERVICE CENTER.

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I AM NOT PERMITTED TO DISTRIBUTE MY LOGIN ID, DATA, OR STN SOFTWARE FOR COMMERCIAL GAIN OR OTHERWISE OUTSIDE THE COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY OR TO THIRD PARTIES.

- 5** I acknowledge that the college/university has entered into a license agreement with the STN SERVICE CENTER to provide me with access to STN for the STN LIS Training Program, and that violation of the license by any user could result in a termination of the license for all users.
- 6** I will contact the college/university's Key Contact with any questions related to the use of STN under the STN LIS Training Program.

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Signature
Date