Quick Start Guide: Simple Create

Using EZID's UI, you can quickly and easily create ARKs and DOIs.

For ARKs & DOIs

Object location URL
The current location (URL) of the identified object.

For ARKs
Who
The name of an entity (person, organization, or service) responsible for creating the content or making it available, e.g. author, creator. Put name parts in "sort-friendly" order, such as:

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 van Gogh, Vincent,
 Hu Jintao
 Gilbert, William, Sir,,; Sullivan, Arthur, Sir,,
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Separate multiple names with ";". Append one or more final commas (",") to indicate that one or more internal commas can be used as inversion points to recover natural word order (if different from sort-friendly word order).
What
A name or other human-oriented identifier given to the resource, e.g. a title.
When
A point or period of time (date range) important in the lifecycle of the resource, often when it was created, modified, or made available. Use ";" to separate entries and "~" to indicate approximation.

For DOIs

Creator
The main researchers involved in producing the data, or the authors of the publication in priority order. May be a corporate, institutional, or personal name. In personal names list family name before given name, as in: Shakespeare, William
Title
A name or title by which the data or publication is known.
Publisher
A holder of the data (e.g., an archive) or the institution which submitted the work. In the case of datasets, the publisher is the entity primarily responsible for making the data available to the research community.
Publication year
The year when the data was or will be made publicly available. If an embargo period is in effect, use the year when the embargo period ends.
Resource type
The general type of the data.

If you do not know any of the above values, see the Quick Start Guide "What to do if required information is unavailable."