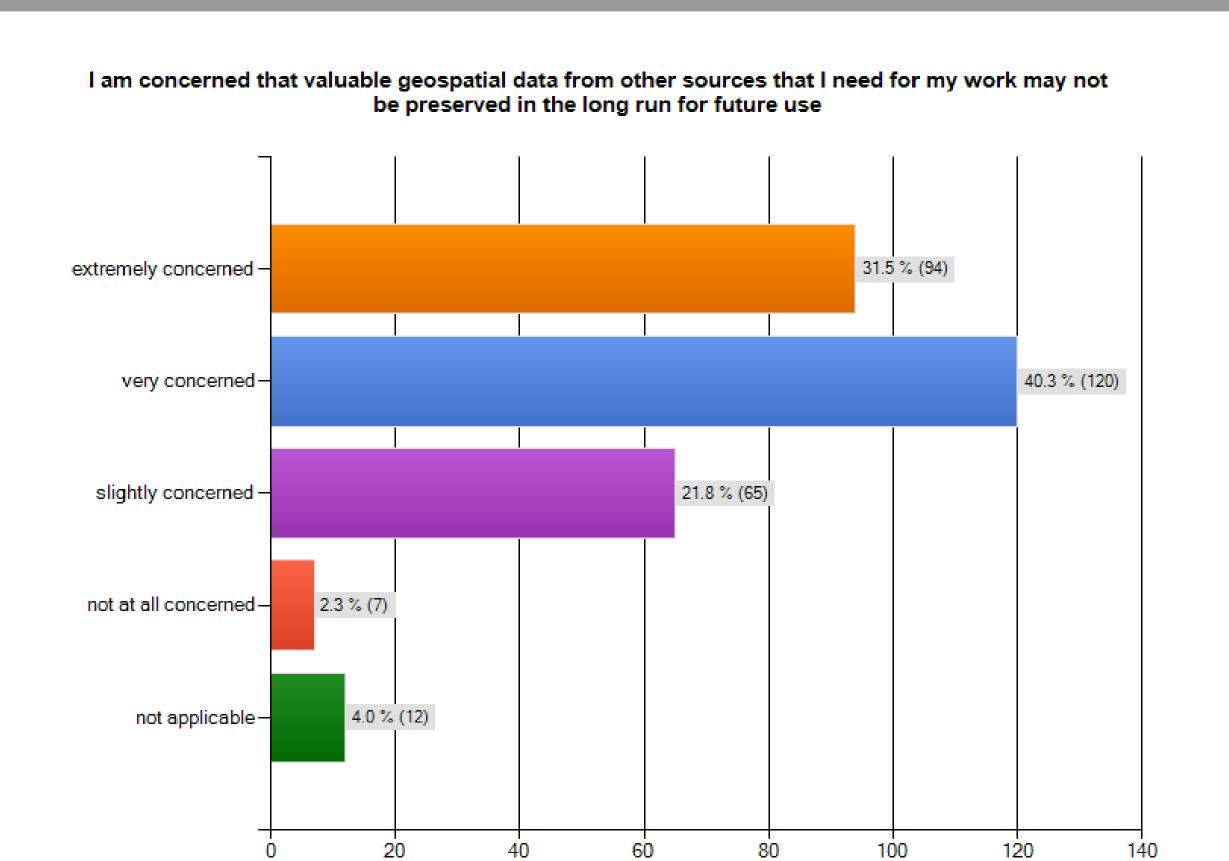
User-Centered Design of a Resource Center about Geospatial Data Preservation
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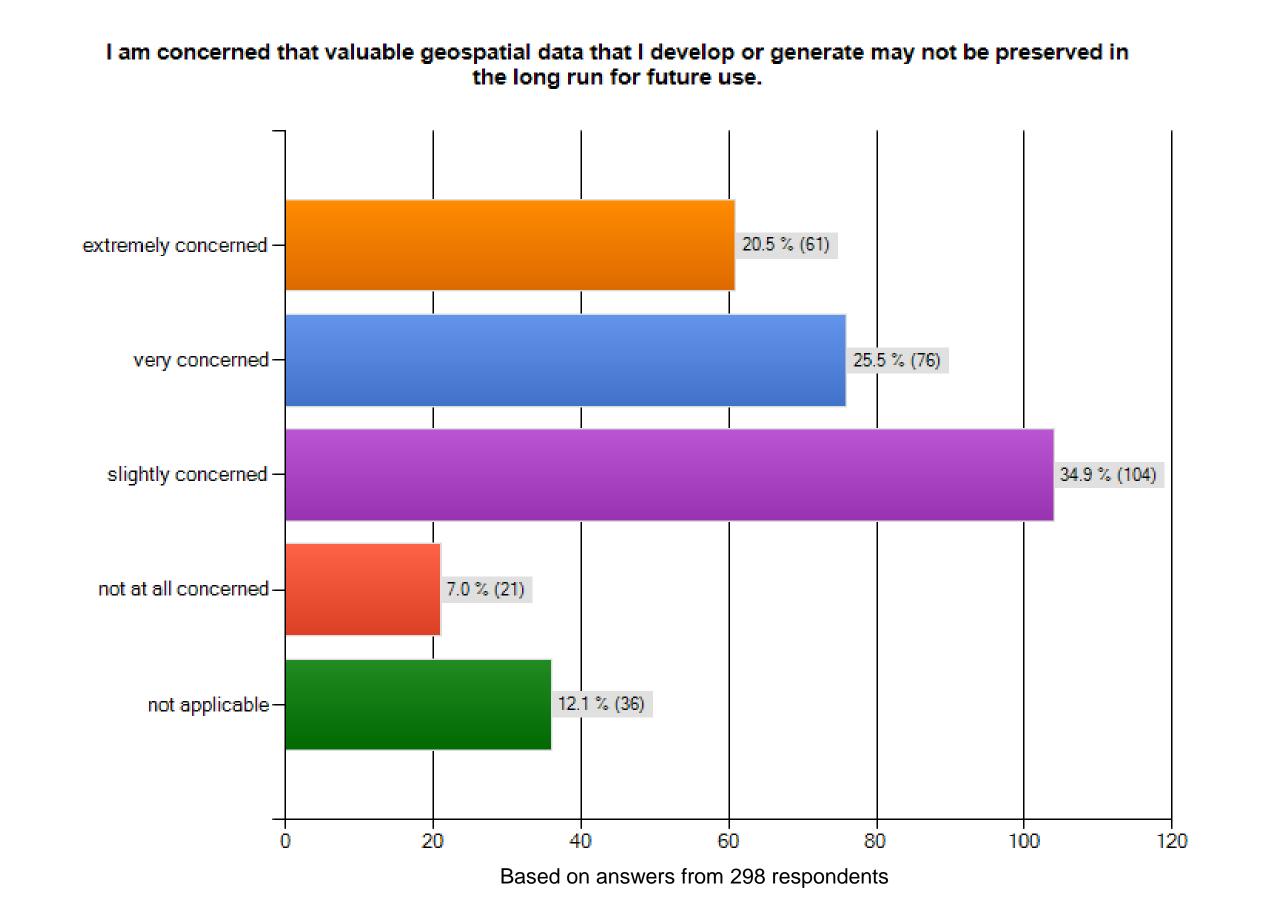
a particular time. Preserving geospatial data and related information products can improve their longevity and enable their use in the future. The Geospatial Data Preservation Resource Center has been developed to improve awareness and understanding of geospatial data preservation. The user-centered approach that informed the first release of the online resource center will be described.

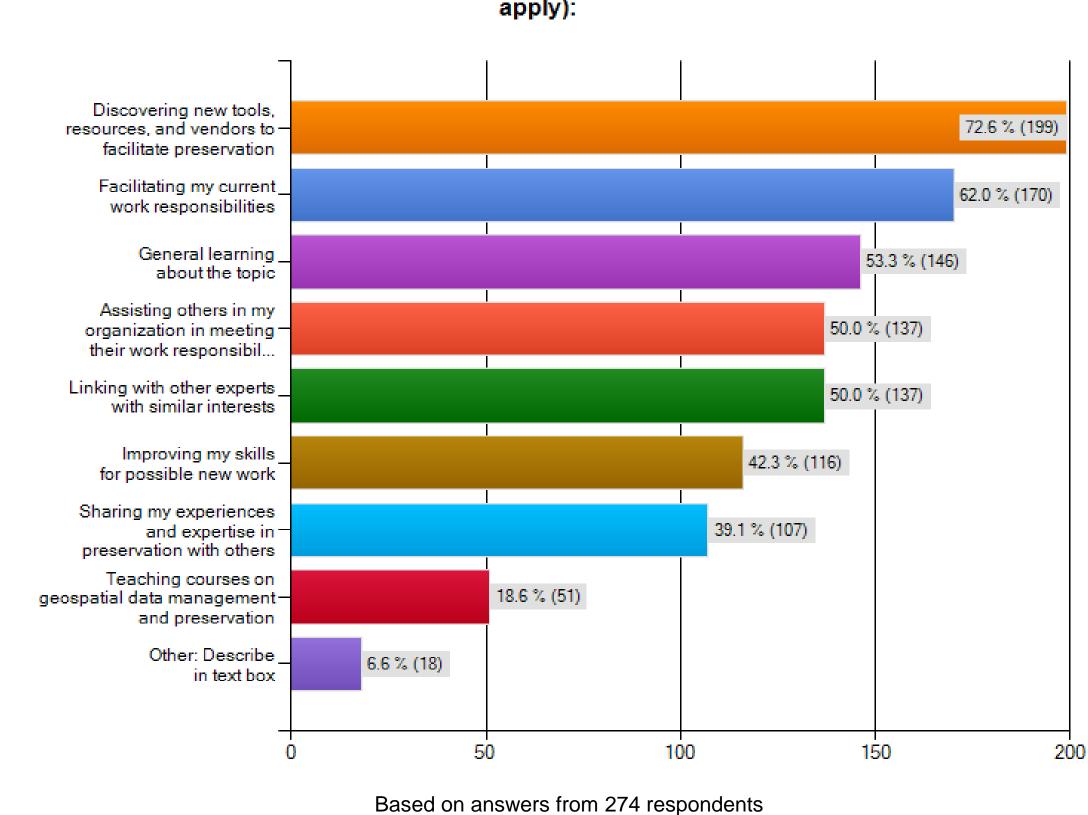
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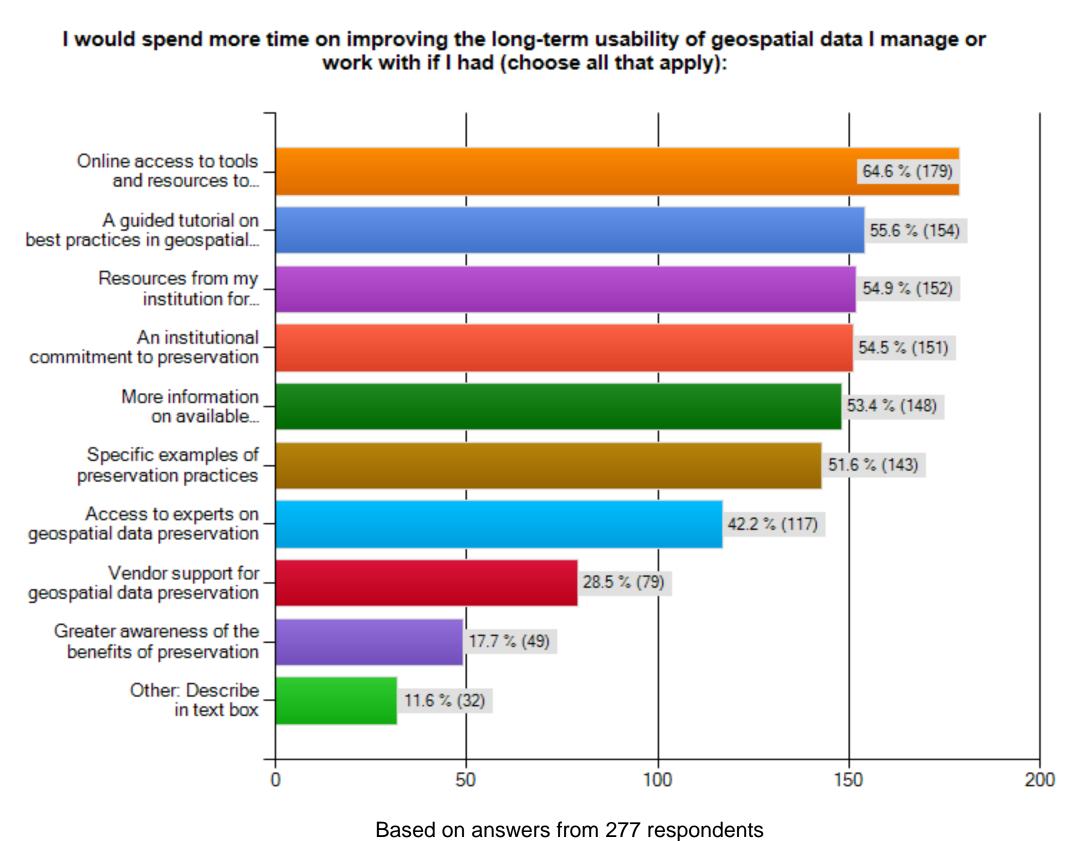


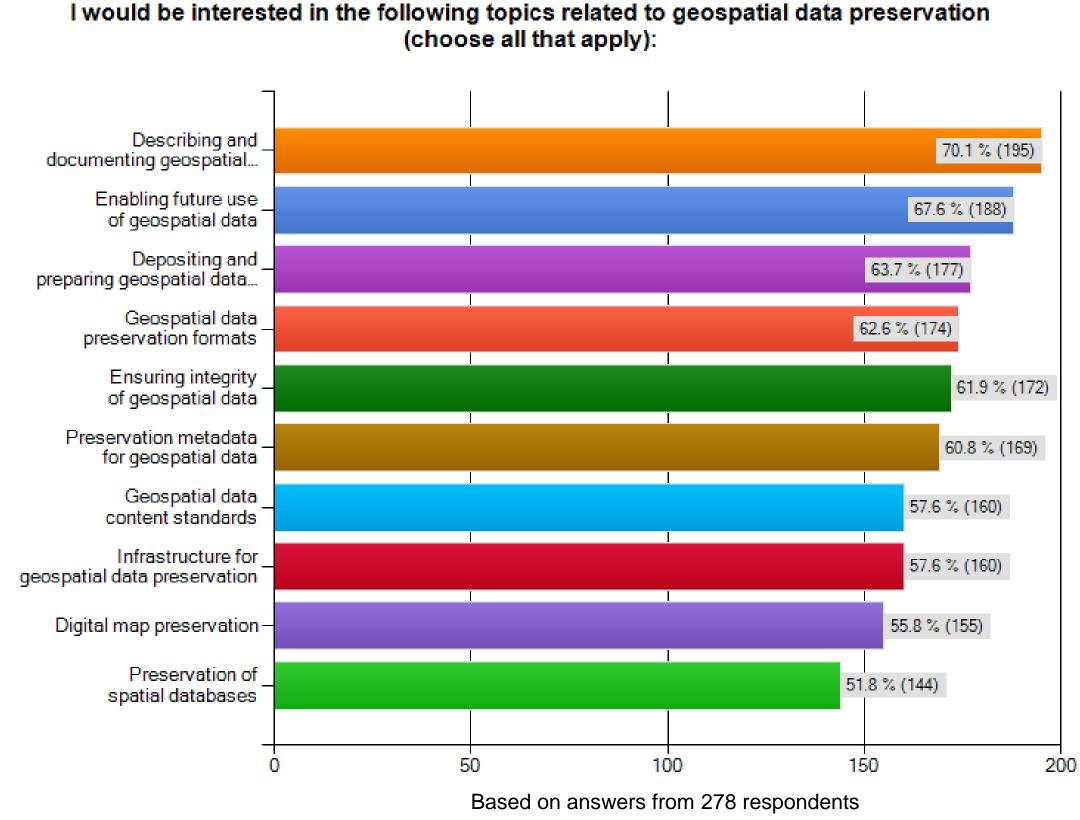
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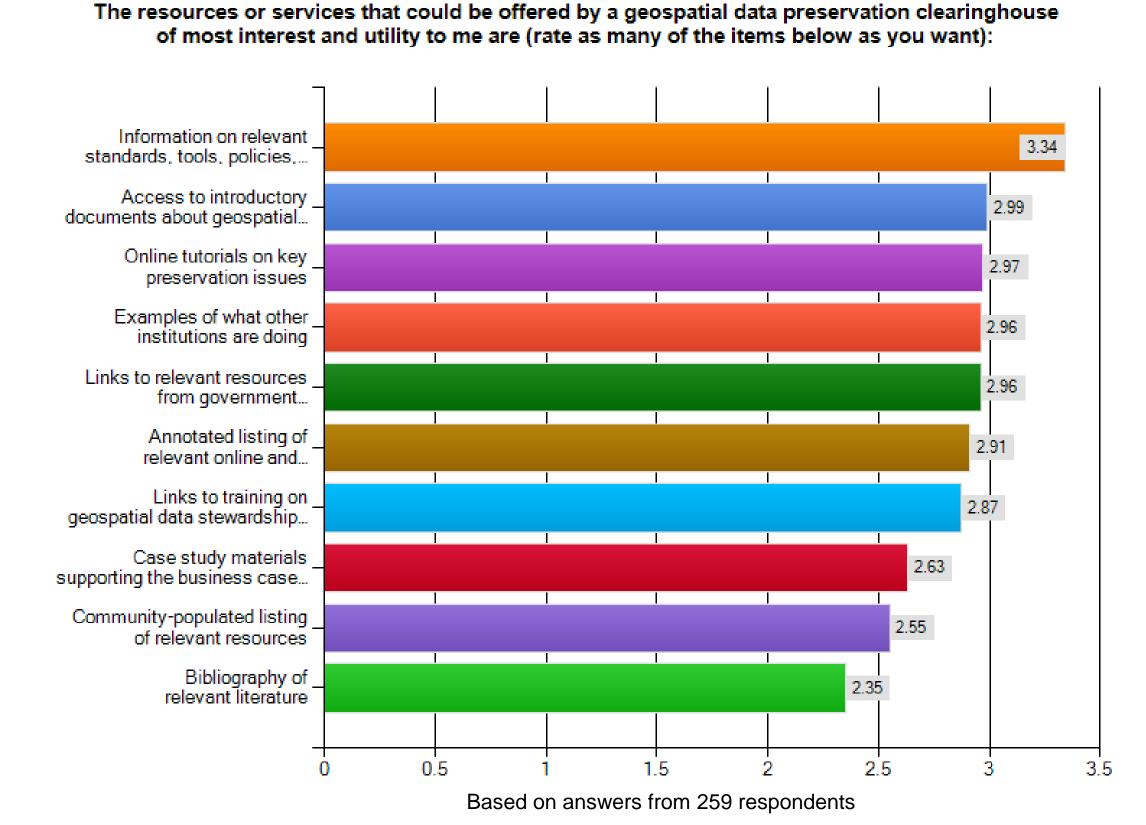


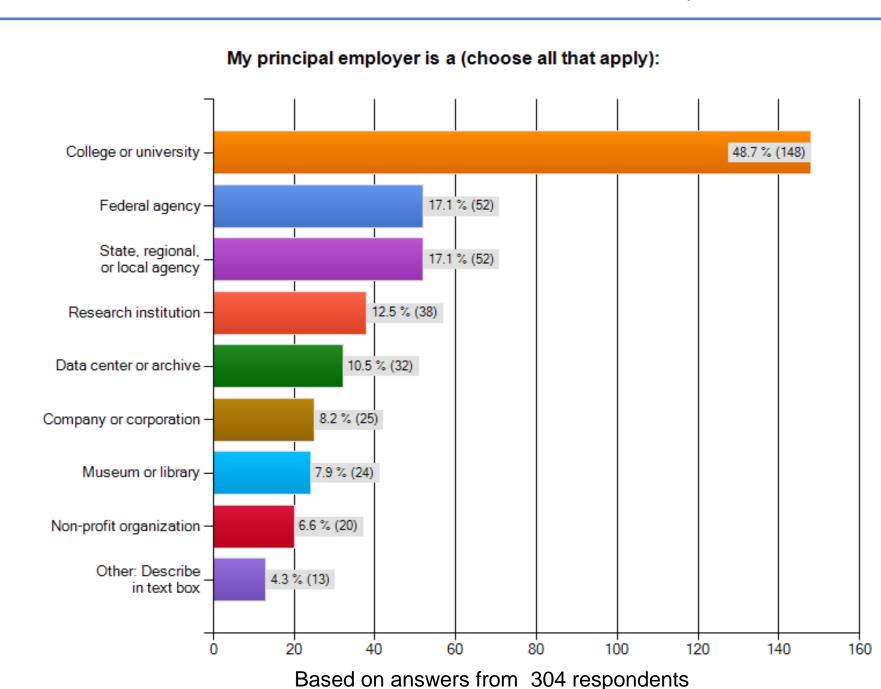


I would use an online clearinghouse for geospatial data preservation for (choose all that









Data presented here are based on 464 survey responses received from July 9, 2010 to September 5, 2010. Of those who responded, 60% are male and 40% are female. 81% are employed in the U.S., 6% in Canada, and the remainder in other countries. More than 56% have used geospatial for 10 or more years, and 80% for 5 or more years. Human subjects research protocol approved by the Columbia University IRB.



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