

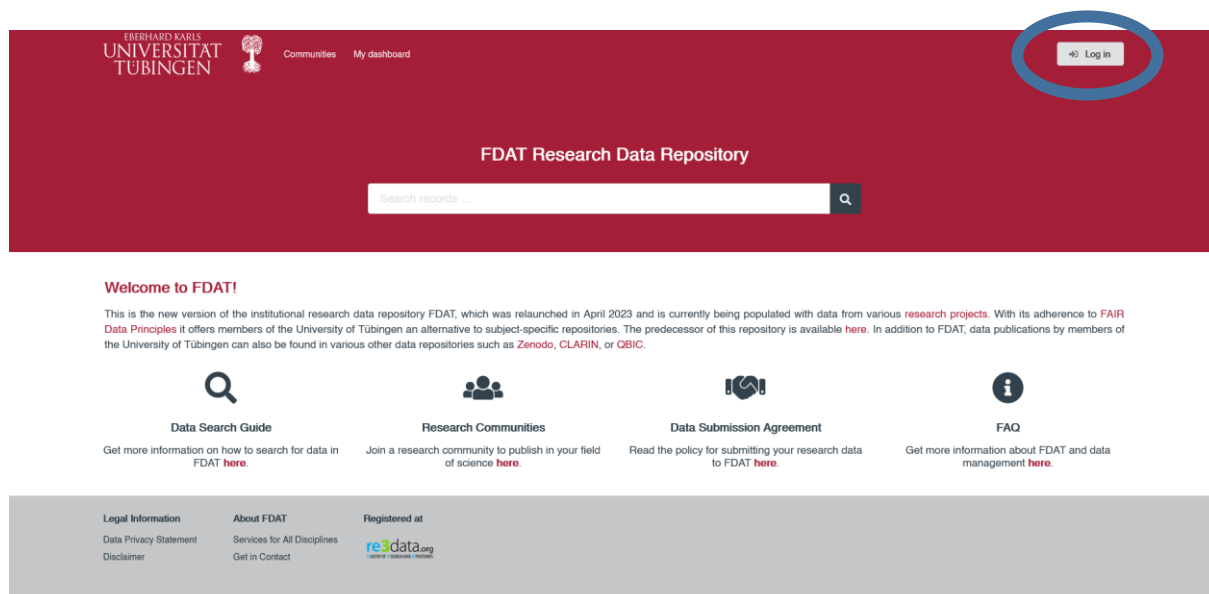
# Preparation for data publication

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To enable data publication via the FDAT repository of the University of Tübingen, you have to fulfil some preliminary requirements.

## 1. Register at the repository:

Please visit the [FDAT webpage](#) to initiate registration by clicking “Log in” in the top right corner.

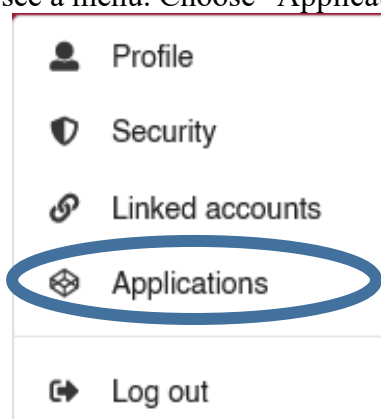


If you are affiliated with any of the institutions under “Institutional account”, you can use the credentials of your local authentication service to register.

## 2. Create an API token

Once you have successfully logged in, you need to create an API token. The metadata annotation tool will use this token to create a data publication draft that is associated with your account in the FDAT repository, once you completed your metadata description and submit it for publication.

To create an API token you need to click on the button in the top right corner you used to login. When doing so, you will see a menu. Choose “Applications”.



You will be presented with different options. Please click the “new token” button of the “Personal access tokens” option.

Personal access tokens

+ New token

You have not yet created any personal access tokens. Click the 'New token' button to create a personal access token.

You will be redirected to a new form. Define a name for your new token (for example “API”), grant reading rights for your e-mail address and click create.

New personal access token

Name

API

Name of personal access token.

Scopes

☒ user:email

Allow access to email address (read-only).

Scopes assign permissions to your personal access token. A personal access token works just like a normal OAuth access token for authentication against the API.

✕ Cancel

✓ Create

You now successfully created your API token. Please store it somewhere safe for later use in the metadata annotation tool.

Personal access token / API

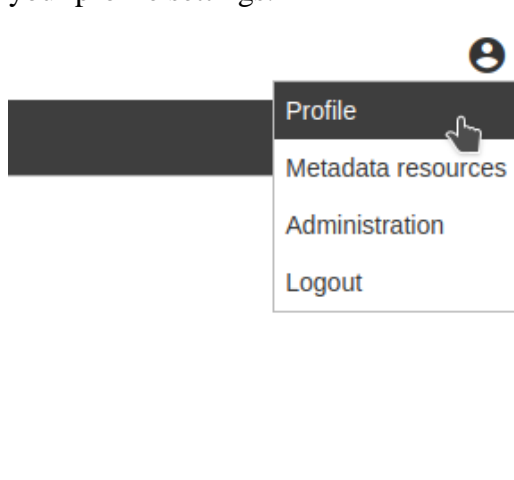
Access token

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⚠ Do not share this personal access token. It gives full access to your account.

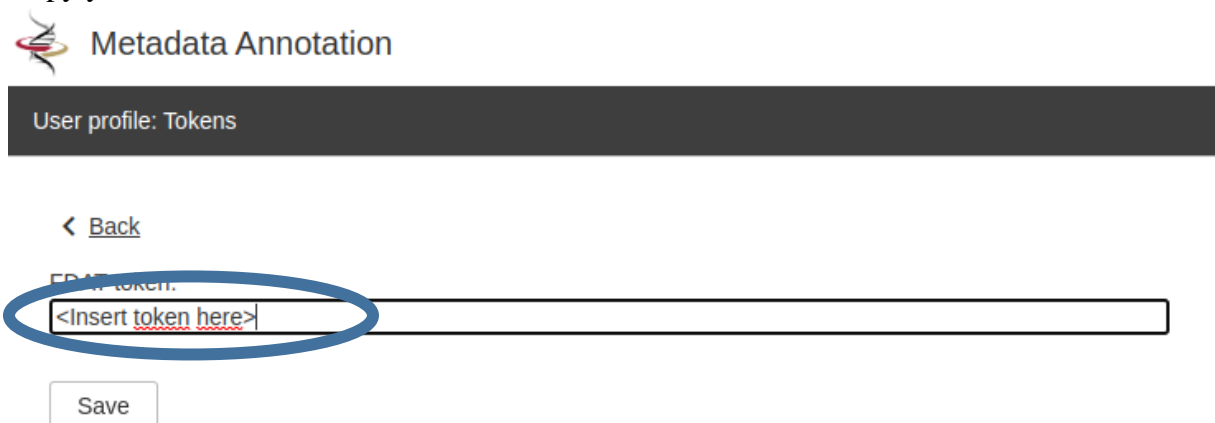
3. Add the API token to your annotation tool account  
Login to the metadata annotation tool and click on the symbol in the top right corner to access your profile settings.



Click on “token management”.



Copy your API token into the form.



You can now publish your completed datasets via FDAT.