



## Guide to downloading APSA's survey data

The American Political Science Association Research Team will start making some of its datasets available for APSA's members. On this page, we will explain how to download these datasets.

Datasets will not be published at the same time as our reports, given that they must be cleaned, and any data that can identify participants has to be removed before they are made available to the public. This also means that not all our surveys are made available.

The APSA Research Department does research focused on the political science profession and evaluates APSA's programs and services. The Research Department implements four major surveys each year, including the Project on Woman and Minorities (P-WAM) and the Departmental Surveys in late spring (May/June), the Graduate Placement Survey in early summer (June/July), and the Membership Survey in mid-winter (February/March).

To see the available datasets, you can go to Data on the Profession and select "Tools & Datasets" on our website, which provides links to all the available datasets in chronological order. Please note that by downloading our datasets you agree to our Terms and Conditions for using our data. To download the datasets, you will need to use your account with APSA, login, and select the survey you are looking for and the preferred year. Once you have selected the year, a zip file will automatically download with the dataset, codebook, and pertaining survey questionnaire for our survey data. Most of our files will be made available in Excel, .CSV, and XML format.

For questions about the datasets, you can email us at [surveys@apsanet.org](mailto:surveys@apsanet.org).