



## “CENTRAL EUROPEAN VIRTUAL ARCHIVES NETWORK OF MEDIEVAL CHARTERS”

### NEWS #5 (MARCH 2010)

#### 1. UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### **“Das transparente Archiv - Verborgenes Wissen elektronisch nutzen“: presentation of the Vienna City Archives (Wiener Stadt- und Landesarchiv, AT), 11<sup>th</sup> March 2010, 17:00**

On the 11th of March, beginning at 5 p.m., the Vienna City Archives will present their latest innovations in the field of online presentation, databases and information systems for archives. The agenda includes the following main topics:

- WAIS (= Wiener ArchivInformationsSystem) – an online database of archival documents concerning city and communal administration from the middle Ages until today.
- INFODAT – a database of documents from the city council and parliament- offering the opportunity of a more detailed insight into the work of the politicians in Vienna.
- MONASTERIUM.NET – the online charters portal now holds about 10.000 Viennese charters.

Following the presentations, the Vienna City Archives offer a nocturnal guided tour through its premises, starting at 7 p.m.

Please announce your coming- as well as your wish to attend the guided tour.

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#### **ICARUS@work: Workshop in Slovenia, Radenci (SI), 19<sup>th</sup> March 2010**

Several members of the ICARUS-network will take the opportunity to speak at the national archival conference in Slovenia, held in Radenci from the 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> of March. In addition to the speakers Jozef Hanus (SK), Vlatka Lemić (HR) and Joachim Kemper (DE), presenting different issues of their home archives, Karl Heinz and Thomas Aigner will present ICARUS and its projects at the final day of the conference, on the 19<sup>th</sup> of March, from 9:00 to 11:45.

Thomas Aigner and Karl Heinz will discuss the following topics:

- ICARUS-projects concerning online-presentation of archives and archival documents:
  - o charters: [www.monasterium.net](http://www.monasterium.net)
  - o church records: [www.matricula.findbuch.net](http://www.matricula.findbuch.net)
  - o archive network (AT): [www.kirchen.findbuch.net](http://www.kirchen.findbuch.net)
- Experiences and strategies gained in the past years dealing with the online presentation of archival goods: technical and social development, international cooperation, new standards, etc.
- Visions: new methods of cooperation, interconnection and networking on a greater scale

For further information concerning the conference see: <http://www.pokarh-mb.si/index.php?id=118> (in Slovenian only)

“Tehnični in vsebinski problemi klasičnega in elektronskega arhiviranja: dopolnilno izobraževanje s področij: arhivistika, dokumentalistika, informatika. Radenci, 17. do 19. marec 2010”

## 2. NEWS:

### **New common website for catholic archives in Germany: [www.katholische-archive.de](http://www.katholische-archive.de)**

The new website [www.katholische-archive.de](http://www.katholische-archive.de) contains all relevant information about catholic archives in Germany, including historical background, overviews of the archives' holdings, general organisational and judicial regulations for German catholic archives, etc.

### **Monasterium.Net: new charters online**

Within the last few months several new stocks of charters were integrated into the Monasterium-portal:

- Bistumsarchiv Hildesheim (DE): ca. 250 charters (monastery of St. Michael)
- Wiener Stadt- und Landesarchiv (AT): ca. 10.000 charters
- Stadtarchiv Bregenz (AT): ca. 1500 charters
- Státní oblastní archiv Třeboň (CZ): ca. 3000 charters
- Plzeň, Státní oblastní archiv (CZ): ca. 1000 charters (Klaster Teplá)
- Moravský zemský archiv v Brně (CZ): ca. 600 charters (several Southern Moravian monasteries, e.g. Rajhrad)

### **Church records online: [www.matricula-online.eu](http://www.matricula-online.eu)**

In addition to charters, ICARUS also provides online-access to digitised church records. These sources can be found on the website [www.matricula-online.eu](http://www.matricula-online.eu) along with other helpful information, links and services, including a newly established phone hotline to support the research (the hotline will be initiated on the 1<sup>st</sup> of April 2010)

### **ICARUS-office in Vienna: new address!**

Since the beginning of March the ICARUS-office has a new address: Erdberger Laende 6/7, A – 1030 Vienna.

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Coordinated by the St. Poelten Episcopal Archives (AT) 8 partners from 6 different EU-countries collaborate in building up a tighter network of archival institutions within Central Europe:

- National Archives, Prague (CZ)
- Bavarian Main State Archives, Munich (DE)
- Archives of the Republic of Slovenia, Ljubljana (SI)
- Slovak National Archives, Bratislava (SK)
- St. Poelten Episcopal Archives (AT)
- Hungarian State Archives, Budapest (HU)
- Austrian State Archives, Vienna (AT)
- ICARUS – International Centre for Archival Research, Vienna (AT)

Having started in October 2008 and with the duration of 2 years, the project's main goals are

- enhancement of communication and cooperation between archives (via national and international workshops, expert-exchange programme) in central Europe
- support of digitizing projects in order to integrate digitized data from the archives into an open source internet portal ([www.monasterium.net](http://www.monasterium.net))

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