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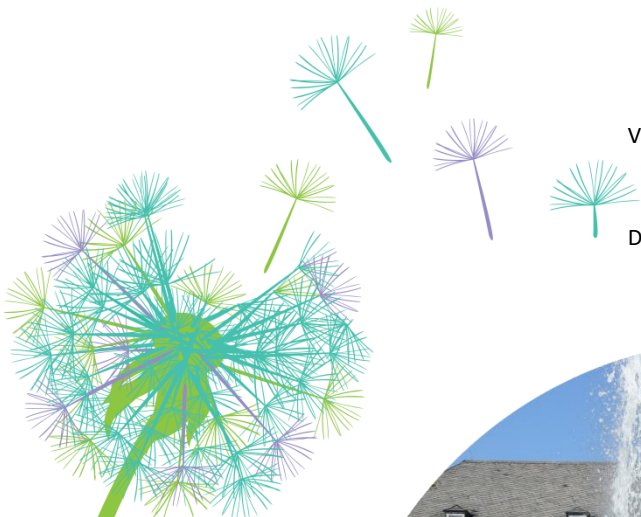


Recognition and Enrichment
of Archival Documents

Technology meets Scholarship, or how Handwritten Text Recognition will Revolutionize Access to Archival Collections.

With a special focus on biographical data in
archives

Venue: Hessian State Archives Marburg
Friedrichsplatz 15, D - 35037
Marburg
Date: 19-21 January 2016



Day I – 19 January 2016

08.30 – 09.00	Registration
09.00 – 09.15	Welcome words Andreas Hedwig (Director of the Hessian State Archives Marburg, DE)

Handwritten Text Recognition – methods and trends I

Chair: Kerstin Muff (ICARUS) – Conference language: English

09.15 – 09.45	Short introduction co:op and READ Francesco Roberg (Hessian State Archives Marburg, DE) Günter Mühlberger (University of Innsbruck, AT)
09.45 – 10.15	The Venice Time Machine, or what to do with Persons, Places and Things in Millions of Archival Records Frédéric Kaplan (Digital Humanities Laboratory in Lausanne, CH)
10.15 – 10.45	Handwritten Text Recognition. Key concepts Roger Labahn (University of Rostock, DE)
10.45 – 11.15	Coffee break
11.15 – 11.45	Keyword Searching as a Trade-off between Recall and Precision. A new way to search large collections of digitised documents Enrique Vidal (Polytechnic University of Valencia, ES)
11.45 – 12:15	Hard Tasks in the Background. Layout analysis Basilis Gatos (Computational Intelligence Laboratory, Institute of Informatics and Telecommunications, National Center for Scientific Research "Demokritos", GR)
12.15 – 13.30	Lunch

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Day II – 20 January 2016

Handwritten Text Recognition – methods and trends II

Chair: Günter Mühlberger (University of Innsbruck, AT) – Conference language: English

Personendaten in Archiven I.1:

Dokumenttypen – eine allgemeine Quellenkunde

Sektionsleitung: Sabine Fees (Hessisches Staatsarchiv Marburg, DE) – Tagungssprache:
Deutsch

13.30 – 13.50	Automated Writer Identification and its Use Cases for Archival Documents Stefan Fiel (Technical University of Vienna, AT)
13.50 – 14.10	The Crowd, the Volunteers and the Supertranscribers. Building and supporting an online user community for the Bentham Edition Louise Seaward (Bentham Project, UCL Faculty of Laws, UK)
14.10 – 14.30	Transcription – Swiss Made. The projects of the State Archives of Zurich Christian Sieber (State Archives of Zurich, CH)
14.30 – 14.50	In-House Digitisation as a Core Task. The Finnish National Archives István Kecskeméti (National Archives, FI)
14.50 – 15.10	Coffee break
15.10 – 15.30	Transkribus. A virtual research environment for the transcription and recognition of historical documents Sebastian Colutto (University of Innsbruck, AT)
15.30 – 15.50	The co:op project. Infrastructure for archives, humanities scholars, public users and computer scientists Kerstin Muff (International Center for Archival Research)
15.50 – 16.10	The READ project. Objectives, tasks and partner organisations Günter Mühlberger (University of Innsbruck, AT)
16.10	Q&A plenary forum
19.00	Public reception

08.30 – 08.50	Unterlagen der NS-Gewaltherrschaft und der unmittelbaren Nachkriegszeit Jan Ludwig (Bundesarchiv, DE)
09.00 – 09.20	Unterlagen der NS-Gewaltherrschaft und der unmittelbaren Nachkriegszeit Christian Groh (International Tracing Service – ITS, DE)
09.30 – 09.50	Die Unterlagen des Staatssicherheitsdienstes der ehemaligen Deutschen Demokratischen Republik Karsten Jedlitschka (Bundesbeauftragter für die Unterlagen des Staatssicherheitsdienstes der ehemaligen Deutschen Demokratischen Republik – Archiv, DE)
10.00 – 10.20	Militaria Holger Th. Gräf (Hessisches Landesamt für geschichtliche Landeskunde, DE)
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break
11.00 – 11.20	Standesamtsregister und ihre Vorläufer Katrin Marx-Jaskulski (Hessisches Staatsarchiv Marburg, DE)
11.30 – 11.50	Kirchenregister Hannelore Putz (Archiv des Bistums Passau, DE)
12.00 – 12.20	Katasterunterlagen und -karten Annegret Wenz-Haubfleisch (Hessisches Staatsarchiv Marburg, DE)
12.30 – 14.00	Lunch
14.10 – 15.30	Visit to the exposition of archival holdings of the Hessian State Archives Marburg and guided tours through the archival storage facilities
15.30 – 16.00	Coffee break

Day III – 21 January 2016

Biographical Data in Archives I.2:

Types of archival documents containing biographical data – documents and computer scientists

Chair: Irmgard Chr. Becker (Archives School Marburg, DE) – Conference language: English

Biographical Data in Archives II:

Processing and using biographical data

Chair: Annegret Wenz-Haubfleisch (Hessian State Archives Marburg, DE) –
Conference language: English

16.00 – 16.10	The Documents of the Nazi Terror Regime and the Immediate Post-War Years Jan Ludwig (German Federal Archives, DE)
16.10 – 16.20	<i>Discussion with READ partners</i>
16.20 – 16.30	The Documents of the Nazi Terror Regime and the Immediate Post-War Years Christian Groh (International Tracing Service – ITS, DE)
16.30 – 16.40	<i>Discussion with READ partners</i>
16.40 – 16.50	The Records of the State Security Service of the Former GDR Karsten Jedlitschka (The Federal Commissioner for the Records of the State Security Service of the Former GDR – Archives, DE)
16.50 – 17.00	<i>Discussion with READ partners</i>
17.00 – 17.10	Militaria Holger Th. Gräf (Hessian State Office for Studies in Regional History, DE)
17.10 – 17.20	<i>Discussion with the READ Partners</i>
17.20 – 17.30	Civil Registers and their Precursors Katrin Marx-Jaskulski (Hessian State Archives Marburg, DE)
17.30 – 17.40	<i>Discussion with READ partners</i>
17.40 – 17.50	Church Registers Hannelore Putz (Archives of the Diocese of Passau, DE)
17.50 – 18.00	<i>Discussion with READ partners</i>
18.00 – 18.10	Cadastral Documents Annegret Wenz-Haubfleisch (Hessian State Archives Marburg, DE)
18.10 – 18.20	<i>Discussion with READ partners</i>

08.30 – 08.50	How to Index Biographical Data from Archival Documents Using the Methods of the Citizen Science Milena Dobreva (University of Malta, MT)
09.00 – 09.20	Innovative Technologies for Making Crowdsourcing most Effective in Online Indexing Jesper Zedlitz (German Society for Computer Genealogy, DE)
09.30 – 09.50	Interactive Genealogy Explorer. Visualization of migration of ancestors and relatives Daniel Shakespeare (Freelance programmer, DE)
10.00 – 10.20	Biographical Data Exploration as a Test-Bed for a Multi-View, Multi-Method Approach in the Digital Humanities André Blessing (University of Stuttgart, The Institute for Natural Language Processing – IMS, DE)
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break
11.00 – 11.20	Encoding and Presenting Historical Biographical Data with Graph Data Bases Andreas Kuczera (Acadamy of Science and Literature Mainz, DE)
11.30 – 11.50	Historical Material at the Use of very Modern Questions. The Aezel Project Peer Boselie (De Domijnen, NL)
12.00 – 12.20	MAPIRE, or what to do with old Maps Előd Biszak (Arcanum Database Ltd., HU)
13.00	Lunch & Project Market (time for networking)