

Putting on the Platform Shoes: a sustainable relationship for Europeana and DARIAH

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Europeana is the cultural heritage aggregator for Europe's museums, libraries and archives. It has access to over 30m digitised objects from more than 2,300 institutions. Europeana is currently moving away from a sole focus as a discovery portal, to a platform that allows third parties to develop tools and services based on the data it has aggregated. A key part of this is the Europeana Research platform, a means to allow the digital humanities community to access and build upon this data. Europeana hopes to work closely with infrastructures such as DARIAH, as a key stakeholder who can make use of this data.

This workshop will aim to see how these infrastructures can work more closely together. It will discuss key issues such as licensing and metadata standards, but also the community building that is required to develop close collaboration between cultural heritage and research communities. The workshop will also touch upon the Europeana Cloud project, the project that is delivering the Europeana Research platform, and also supporting the development of pilot tools (in early modern philosophy, and musicology).

Ideal length of the session: Up to 90 minutes

Ideal number of participants: Up to 15

Any technical requirements: Projector, laptop, wifi connection