

BECOMING A DARIAH COOPERATING PARTNER

WHAT IS A DARIAH COOPERATING PARTNER?

DARIAH Cooperating Partners are institutions participating in DARIAH from countries that are not yet DARIAH Members.

Upon successful application and approval by the General Assembly, DARIAH ERIC and the Cooperating Partner enter into a binding agreement, which defines the framework of the cooperation for a period of three years. At the end of this period the cooperation is evaluated and possibly renewed.

The DARIAH Cooperating Partnership aims to help institutions build or join a national consortium leading the effort towards full membership in DARIAH.

WHAT ARE THE TASKS OF A COOPERATING PARTNER?

Cooperating Partners are expected to:

- actively contribute to DARIAH by, for example, participating in an existing Working Group or founding a new one; providing a specific service or expertise to the wider DARIAH community; organising and implementing specific DH activities within institutions and beyond
- (for partners in countries that are members of the Council of Europe) organise a DARIAH Day in their country, showcasing research initiatives and attracting potential partners, stakeholders, ministries and funding agencies
- (for partners in countries that are members of the Council of Europe) organise in cooperation with DARIAH at least one face-to-face meeting between DARIAH representatives and the relevant ministry/funding agency to discuss potential membership
- submit a report at the end of the membership giving an overview of actions undertaken and results achieved to help the evaluation process and to prepare the extension of the term where needed

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF A COOPERATING PARTNER?

- To be embedded in the DARIAH network and to have the possibility to rapidly identify experts from the community, establish direct contact, exchange knowledge and explore mentoring opportunities
- To have more visibility within DARIAH and the DH community in general
- To leverage funding at national level
- To be in a position to lead and/or join the national effort toward full membership of DARIAH
- To avail of DARIAH funding (e.g. DARIAH Theme calls, Working Group funding calls, etc)

PROCESS AND LIFECYCLE

