

Working Group 1 – Scholarly Resources

COST Action Distant Reading
WG 1 expert meeting 2018-02-13 Prague



Welcome to our first WG meeting!

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Agenda

Monday, 02/12 Room S1	2pm to 6 pm	Welcome and introduction, Information about the organisation of the Action Little break Organisation of the WG (according to WG4) Discussions, documentation of our decisions, formulate problems/questions (using a wiki or cms, workflow/software etc.)
		Dinner
Tuesday, 02/13 Room S1	9am to 1pm	Selecting criteria of ELTeC: Presentation (CO, max. 30 min) Little break Discussion of the proposal and open questions
	12	Lunch
	2pm to 6pm	TEI Annotation Model: Presentation (LB, max. 30 min) Little break Discussion of the proposal and open questions
		Dinner
Wednesday 02/14 Room S1	9am to 12	Workflow: Presentation (BN, max. 30 min) Little break Discussion of the proposal and open questions
		Lunch
	1pm to 3 pm	Discussion of the proposal(s) and open questions Next steps

Important issue: Do you have any recommendations for dinner?

Organisation and Communication

- Documentation of decisions
- Creation, access and storage of proposals, white papers etc.
- Report problems, questions

Organisation and Communication

- Action Website (work in progress)
- Wiki for self-organization (work in progress)
- Twitter account distant readers
- etherpads for note taking: recommendation: framapad
<https://framapad.org/>,
- seafile installation (drop box alternative), gitHub for creating ELTeC / zenodo for archiving ELTeC
- github repo: <https://github.com/distantreading>

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Goal

This Action will develop the resources and methods necessary to change the way European literary history is written. (MuO, p.2)

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A goal is to create a big benchmark corpus of literature from 1850-1920 (first period) for different computational distant reading methods for corpus annotation and analysis.

European Literary Text Collection (ELTeC)

WG Tasks

- coordinate building and publishing the ELTeC
- advise partners in structuring the subcollections, including linguistic annotation and metadata collection

WG Meetings

discussion of

- structure
 - content
 - data
 - annotation
 - metadata
- for the ELTeC

Defining our tasks for this meeting

- Defining selection criteria
- Developing guidelines for data and metadata
- Creating a workflow for corpus preparation