

Call for Papers

DLM Forum Member Meeting
Vienna, 28th – 29th November 2018

CROSS-BORDER COOPERATION AND NEW SOLUTIONS FOR DIGITAL DATA

Members of the DLM Forum gather for a two-day meeting twice a year in spring and autumn. At the meetings, we exchange current experiences and potential ideas of establishing comprehensive information governance over digital records and data. Additionally these meetings give valuable networking opportunities.

The DLM Forum is now calling for the submission of proposals for the next Members' Meeting that will be held at the Austrian State Archives in Vienna.

Almost 25 years after the founding of the DLM Forum, this conference wants to look at the future approaches to information governance as well as relevant digital technologies. The aim of the meeting in Vienna is to bring together everybody in our community, who is working in data and records lifecycle management. This will enable us to look at different fields and aspects, such as information management, new technology-based approaches to cataloguing of archival collections and emerging digital archival practices or new digital preservation solutions. The meeting focuses on a broad range of data as well as new collaborative approaches to master the technological challenges.

For those interested in the data and records lifecycle management in a global context, this conference is for you.

Topics

We welcome a wide-range of papers including critical reflections that deal with information management and digital preservation. Possible topics for presentations include, but are not limited to:

- New approaches and a new interpretation of records and data management
- Targeted solutions to import digital data directly from the production to digital archives
- Joint projects of archives and other public authorities or research communities for digital preservation
- International cooperation on sustainable and trustworthy handling of digital data
- Practical collaboration between archives and civil society on key issues of data curation

If your organization has something exciting to share, please feel free to suggest a paper even if it does not correspond to the one of the above-mentioned topics.

Submission

Please send an extended abstract of **no more than 800 words** and a short biography of the author(s) of no more than **100 words** (presenters only) in a single Word document to krystyna.ohnesorge@bar.admin.ch by **Friday 7 September 2018**. Applicants will be notified of the outcome at the end of September.

Extended abstract

Extended abstracts are brief reports on current events or ongoing projects in one of the conference subject areas. The DLM Forum will schedule a maximum of 25 minutes for each presentation, which includes both lecture time and discussion.

General guidelines

The extended abstract shall be written in the font Arial (1.5 line spacing and 12-font size) and contain a maximum of 800 words. It should present (1) the scope of your work, (2) a brief description of the methods and approaches, and (3) provide an overview of your main findings and conclusions.

We ask you to use the following MS Word template for your contribution: [Abstract](#)

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