

ARQUS Research Focus Forum on Digital Humanities

Digital Cultures & Cultural Analytics

15th – 17th June 2022, in Leipzig

The **ARQUS European University Alliance**¹ aims to connect the universities of Bergen, Granada, Graz, Leipzig, Lyon, Minho, Padua, Vilnius and Wroclaw to support joint academic activities. Within the ARQUS network, **Leipzig** is trying to promote cooperation in the research area of **Digital Humanities (DH)**. From 15th – 17th June, 2022, the Leipzig Forum for Digital Humanities² will organize an **ARQUS Research Focus Forum (RFF)**. The overall theme of the RFF will be on “Digital Cultures & Cultural Analytics” and may include – but is not restricted to – the following topics:

- digital philology
- digital (public) history
- digital spatial humanities
- game and media studies with digital tools
- distant viewing of videos and films

The RFF will provide ample opportunities to meet other ARQUS DH scholars and to exchange research interests. More importantly, we hope that we will be able to explore new ways of engaging with born digital cultural artifacts and also discuss the potential of novel computational approaches that enable large-scale cultural analytics. We will also provide an overview of **current research trends** in the DH, offer **tutorials** on fundamental methods in DH and inform you on current **EU funding opportunities**.

If you are part of the ARQUS network and are interested in joining us for the RFF in Leipzig, please let us know by **March 31st, 2022**. In the registration form, we also ask you to provide some basic information on your background and your research interests, so we can adjust and fine-tune the program of the RFF in the coming weeks. We are currently planning the RFF as a live event in Leipzig and may switch to a fully virtual format should the pandemic situation require it. Attending the RFF is free of charge. For travel bursaries ask your local ARQUS contact person.

Register here: <https://forms.gle/NoWN94VMg4bczz119>

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