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addressing digital memory preservation challenges

DPE supports the long term preservation of the European digital heritage by fostering collaboration and synergies between existing national initiatives across the European Research Area, and by addressing the need to improve coordination, cooperation, and consistency in current activities to secure the longevity of digital materials.

DPE's Goals

- To raise awareness of the issues surrounding the long-term preservation of digital objects and collections
- To determine the future research agenda for digital preservation in Europe and to foster the collaborations necessary for its realisation
- · To promote improved standards in the training and education of digital-preservation professionals
- ⁷ To define standards for digital repositories and to foster the uptake of those standards

DPE's Activities

- Produce briefing papers and fact sheets to promote greater understanding of digital preservation issues
- ⁷ Promote digital preservation through the media, workshops and conferences
- ^{*} Create and promote training materials for digital preservation professionals
- ⁷ Hold training workshops in digital preservation
- · Co-ordinate activity and promote best practice amongst European digital repositories
- · Develop and implement an audit and certification program for European digital repositories
- · Carry out a strategic review of current preservation research activity in Europe
- ^{*} Co-ordinate collaboration amongst digital preservation researchers and between researchers and practitioners across the European Research Area

How to get involved in DPE

DPE wishes to extend its network of collaborators to foster a dynamic and lively preservation and curation community. For more information on the project or how to participate in DPE's activities contact us at: director@digitalpreservationeurope.eu



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