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Abstract

This report compiles the dissemination activities performed during SUCCEED's first year, the advances in the execution of the dissemination plan and the impact achieved with the dissemination actions, as well as the dissemination materials produced.



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1. INTRODUCTION

This first report on the dissemination activities of the Succeed project compiles, as stated in the Description of Work, a summary of the dissemination activities performed during the first year, the advance in the execution of the dissemination plan and the impact achieved with the dissemination actions.

This deliverable is related to the objectives O6.1 and O6.2 of WP6:

- O6.1 Enhance the visibility and impact of the activities implemented by Succeed by collecting the outputs of the project and identifying appropriate communication channels to disseminate them.
- O6.2 Support the European Commission in raising the awareness of research results in digitisation through the implementation of a dissemination plan for technological results, scientific events, and educational resources in digitisation

In addition, it is related to tasks T6.1, T6.2 and T6.3:

- T6.1 Dissemination of the support action: Dissemination of the activities organised by Succeed and the services supported by the Impact Centre of Competence in Digitisation.
- T6.2 Dissemination of tools: Design and implementation of a dissemination plan for digitisation tools, resources and events.
- T6.3 Events: Organisation of workshops and events.



2. ACCOMPLISHED WP6 MILESTONES AND DELIVERABLES

During the Succeed project first year, the following deliverables and milestones in WP6 were achieved:

2.1 Succeed WP6 milestones

MS15 Dissemination plan prepared: This milestone was scheduled for M4, but was slightly delayed and was reached on M6 in order to identify as many events and venues as possible.

2.2 Succeed WP6 deliverables

D6.1 Project website: The project website (www.succeed-project.eu) was published on time, in M1 and a short report was sent to the EC in early M2.

D6.2 Dissemination plan for Succeed and for tools, resources and events: The dissemination plan of Succeed was due on M4 and was delivered by early M6.

D6.3 First report of dissemination activities: This report, due on M12, is the third deliverable of Succeed's WP6 in the first year.

3. SUCCEED PROJECT WEBSITE AND OTHER DISSEMINATION MEDIA

3.1 Succeed project website



The screenshot shows the Succeed project website. At the top is the Succeed logo with a green star. To the right are social media icons for Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, and YouTube, along with a search bar. Below the header is a navigation menu with links: Home, About, News & Events, Publications, Digitisation Days, Succeed awards, EU Proposals Corner, and Contact. The main content area features a large blue banner with a circuit pattern and stars. Below the banner, it states: "Succeed is a support action funded by the European Union. It promotes the take up and validation of research results in mass digitisation, with a focus on textual content. [Read more](#)".

Below this, there is a "Latest news" section. The first news item is "CFP - LATECH 2014, Deadline on January 23rd, 2014". It describes the 8th Workshop on Language Technology for Cultural Heritage, Social Sciences, and Humanities (LaTeCH 2014) with the special theme "Linked data in the Humanities". It mentions the workshop is held in conjunction with EACL 2014 on April 26, 2014, in Gothenburg, Sweden, organized by SIGHUM, with a link to <http://sighum.science.ru.nl/latech2014/>. A "Read more" button is provided.

The second news item is "SPIRL 2014 - Call for submissions". It states that Stanford University Libraries has opened submissions for the 2014 Stanford Prize for Innovation in Research Libraries (SPIRL). A "Read more" button is also present.

On the right side of the website, there is a "Tweets" section with a "Follow" button. It displays four tweets from @SucceedEU, dated 6 Dec and 3 Dec. The tweets mention RTs, innovative digitization programs, new dates for ICT Creativity EU, and the release of a new version of the @impactocr OCR evaluation tool.

At the bottom of the website, there are logos for the European Union and the Universitat d'Alacant / Universidad de Alicante. A text line states: "Succeed is supported by the European Union under FP7-ICT and coordinated by Universidad de Alicante."

The project website is the main information point for the general public and the stakeholders. There, a general overview of the project and its work packages can be found.

The website is continually updated with particular information about the project, for example:

- the set-up of the Expert Advisory Board;
- the latest project publications (scientific and public deliverables);
- the latest news and events either organized by Succeed or related with digitisation, etc.

Three new sections have been added to the website since its creation:

1. Digitisation Days, with information about the main event that Succeed is organizing in May 2014 in Madrid;
2. Succeed Awards, including relevant information about these awards;
3. EU Proposals Corner that redirects to the EU Proposals section at www.digitisation.eu. This section is part of the Succeed deliverable D7.4 *Annual report on the support for the preparation of research proposals and funding opportunities*. Despite being a Succeed deliverable, the corner has been created in the Impact Centre of Competence website for a wider dissemination and a longer sustainability since the Centre is envisaged for a longer life.

At the moment of writing this report (January 17th, 2014), the Succeed project website has received 1.508 unique visits (from May 7th, when the analyzer was activated).

In addition to the project website, a parallel site has been created for the DATECH 2014 (Digital Access to Textual Cultural Heritage – www.datech2014.info) international conference that will be held in the frame of the Digitisation Days and a submission gateway based on EasyChair platform. The DATECH website has received, since its creation, 1.253 unique visits.

DATECH Digital Access to Textual Cultural Heritage

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[Presentation](#)
[Venue](#)
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Welcome to DATECH 2014

DATECH brings together researchers and practitioners looking for innovative approaches for the creation, transformation and exploitation of historical documents in digital form.

DATECH 2014 is supported by the [Succeed project](#) and the [Impact Center of Competence in Digitisation](#).

DATECH 2014 - Call for papers

Submitted by Isabel on Thu, 09/12/2013 - 10:56









Madrid 19-20 May, 2014

The DATECH International conference brings together researchers and practitioners looking for innovative approaches for the creation, transformation and exploitation of historical documents in digital form.

[Read more](#)

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This site gathers all the information about DATECH such as venue, important dates, submission information, registration, etc.

3.2 Other dissemination media

- **Succeed Twitter account:** The Succeed Twitter account has currently 124 followers. This venue is used to spread awareness about the latest activities of the project and other news and events about digitization and related fields. At the moment of writing, 348 twits have been published by Succeed official account.
- **Succeed MediaWiki:** The wiki is mainly used to facilitate information about the training and workshops organized by Succeed project such as the First sustainability workshop at the KB, the Succeed hackathon and the TPDL tutorial.
- **Centres of competence in Europe blog:** The purpose of this blog is to share ideas on building and sustaining Centres of Competence in European Research and Development.
- **Succeed LinkedIn group:** The LinkedIn group is used as a dissemination point for Succeed events, but these events are not only promoted through the project group but through other groups such as Europeana, The European Library and Digital Libraries Federation.



- **Succeed Paper.li:** Paper.li is a free online tool that allows creating a digital newspaper by automatically gathering information from different sources. This newspaper is released weekly on Friday. The Succeed's Paper.li is published at <http://paper.li/SucceedEU/1374219205>.
- **Mailing lists**
Among the means used to communicate about the project, the mailing lists of several institutions (libraries, digitisation companies, archives, etc.) have been already used to disseminate the project information

Succeed is also using the Impact Centre of Competence blog to spread the results of the project (See: www.digitisation.eu/community/blog). During 1st year of Succeed project, 8 blog posts have been published at Impact Centre of Competence blog.

4. DISSEMINATION OF TOOLS

In WP3, as part of D3.1 *First online report on available tools*, more than 200 tools for text digitisation and related fields were identified. We have implemented a searching tool based in Apache Solr in order to enhance the usability and accessibility to these tools. This search service can be used at <http://succeed-project.eu/publications/available-tools/index-succeed>.

In addition, WP3 has created training materials for those tools selected both by internal and external libraries in Succeed as part of their evaluation plan. These materials have been published on the Impact Centre of Competence website (and linked from Succeed website) for improved usability and easier continuous update in HTML and SCORM² formats at <http://www.digitisation.eu/training/succeed-training-materials/>.

The search service for text digitisation tools is not the only search service created in Succeed, we have also implemented a search engine to enhance the access to D7.2 *Map of the European digitisation landscape* that identifies the active programmes in digitisation in Europe. This search service can be used at

<http://www.succeed-project.eu/publications/digitisation-map/index-succeed>.

² <http://www.adlnet.org/>

5. EVENTS

5.1 Events organized by Succeed project

First sustainability workshop in The Hague

On March 12th, 2013, the Succeed project organized at Koninklijke Bibliotheek, the *First sustainability workshop*. This workshop was the initial step toward developing a common vision on future opportunities for centres of competence (e.g. funding & business models, public-private partnerships, strategies for knowledge dissemination, social networks and virtual organizations etc.). The minutes from this workshop can be downloaded from

http://succeed-project.eu/sites/default/files/sites/default/files/Succeed_FSW.pdf

The workshop was attended by representatives of Succeed project, Impact Centre of Competence, Open Planets Foundation, VCC-3D and V-MusT.net.

Succeed First developers' workshop

On September 19th – 20th 2013 the *First developers' workshop* of the Succeed project, organized by WP2, was held at KB in The Hague. A short report was published as a public blog post at <http://researchkb.wordpress.com/2013/09/24/1st-succeed-hackathon-kb/>.

This workshop was attended by representatives from Open Planets Foundation, SCAPE, LITIS lab and Leiden University Medical Centre.

Tutorial State-of-the-art tools for text digitisation

The Succeed project organized the tutorial *State-of-the-art tools for text digitisation* at TPDL 2013 on September 22nd in Valetta (Malta). The tutorial was very successful with 15 attendees (quite a large number for this kind of events). These attendees came mainly from Europe, Asia and Africa. The slides of the tutorial can be downloaded from http://succeed-project.eu/sites/default/files/TPDL%20-%20State-of-the-art%20Tools%20for%20Text%20Digitisation%20-%20Slides_0.pdf

More information about this tutorial can be found in Succeed's wiki at http://succeed-project.eu/wiki/index.php/TPDL_Tutorial_State-of-the-art_tools_for_text_digitisation and a short report was published as a blog post at <http://www.digitisation.eu/community/blog/article/article/state-of-the-art-tools-for-text-digitisation-tutorial-tpdl-2013/>

Digitisation Days



On May 19th -20th, 2014, Succeed will celebrate the *Digitisation Days* in Madrid. This event comprises:

- The *DATECH International Conference*
- A demonstration day where companies and research institutes will have the opportunity to showcase their latest technology in digitisation and related fields.
- The ceremony of the Succeed awards
- Panel discussions on digitisation policies, intellectual property rights and other hot topics in the digitisation domain

DATECH International Conference



In the frame of the *Digitisation Days*, the *DATECH International Conference* will take place in Madrid on 19th – 20th May, 2014. This conference brings together researchers and practitioners looking for innovative approaches for the creation, transformation and exploitation of historical documents in digital form.

The programme committee (www.datech2014.info/programme-committee) of the conference is composed by renowned experts in digitisation and related fields and chaired by Apostolos Antonacopoulos (University of Salford) and Klaus Schulz (Ludwig-Maximilians Universität).

The DATECH conference has been promoted, among others, through the following venues:

- Succeed dissemination channels: Website, Twitter, LinkedIn, etc.
- Impact Centre of Competence dissemination channels: Website, LinkedIn, Twitter, etc.
- Succeed partners' networks.
- Mailing lists:
 - List of French Archives Services,
 - List of the French Research Group on Written Communication (GRCE),
 - CORPORA@UIB.NO,
 - dhd@mailman.rrz.uni-hamburg.de,
 - DIGITALCLASSICIST@JISCMail.AC.UK,
 - humanist@lists.digitalhumanities.org,
 - MARKUP@LSV.UKY.EDU,
 - TEI-L@LISTSERV.BROWN.EDU,
 - the-networks-network@googlegroups.com,
 - historical-text-re-use@googlegroups.com,
 - Asis list
 - ELSNET
 - MT-LIST

- META-e
- IFLA-l
- DIGLIB
- TEI-l
- members@clarin.eu
- Corpora@uib.no
- META-net
- Gamera mailing list
- ICDAR mailing list
- 12th Member States Expert Group on digitisation and digital preservation
- <http://dm2e.eu/>
- <http://www.project-agera.org/>
- <http://clarin.b.uib.no/>
- hypotheses.org

At the moment of writing, DATeCH has received 44 submissions of papers.

5.2 Other events and dissemination activities

In addition to the events listed in the previous section, the Succeed project was present at the following events:

February, 2013:

- Blog post on *Open Planets Foundation* blog, on February 5th.
<http://www.openplanetsfoundation.org/blogs/2013-02-05-succeed-project-launched>
- Blog post on PSNC digital libraries team website on February 8th.
<http://dl.psnc.pl/2013/02/08/succeed-project-kick-off-meeting/>
- News in Alicante local newspaper *Diario Información*: One page report-interview about the project, on February 9th.
- News on University of Alicante news page, on February 11th.
<http://web.ua.es/en/actualidad-universitaria/2013/febrero2013/febrero2013-1-10/the-project-succeed-led-by-the-university-of-alicante-and-financed-by-the-european-union-held-its-kick-off-meeting-in-paris.html>
- Radio interview in COPE radio on February 14th with Rafael Carrasco (Succeed project coordinator).
- Succeed launch post in *Red de Universidades Valencianas para el fomento de la Investigación, el Desarrollo y la Innovación* (RUVID), on February 15th.
<http://ruvid.webs.upv.es/?p=10918>
- Creation of Succeed Twitter account, on February 26th.
<https://twitter.com/SucceedEU>



- Creation of Succeed LinkedIn group, on February 26th.
http://www.linkedin.com/groups?home=&gid=4875822&trk=anet_ug_hm
- The Succeed partners BnF and BVC were awarded with the SPIRL Prize. This information was promoted on *Cordis Wire* on February 27th.
<http://cordis.europa.eu/wire/index.cfm?fuseaction=article.Detail&rcn=34807&rev=0>
- Participation in DDR (*Document recognition and Retrieval*) on February 5th-7th, San Francisco.

March, 2013

- Post in EC Blog *Digital Agenda for Europe*, on March 5th.
<https://ec.europa.eu/digital-agenda/en/blog/eu-funded-projects-win-award-innovation-research-libraries>
- Workshop on Sustainability at KB in The Hague with participants from Succeed, VCC-3D, V-MusT.net and Open Planets Foundation, on March 12th in The Hague. For further information, please refer to section 5.1

April, 2013

- Participation and leaflet distribution in *Archiving*, on April 2nd -4th, Washington D.C. Archiving is an annual conference, organized by Society for Imaging Science and Technology (IST), on digital stewardship, preservation, and imaging attended by experts from academia, industry and government.
<http://www.imaging.org/ist/conferences/archiving/index.cfm>
- Presentation by Rafael Carrasco of Succeed and the Impact Centre of Competence in *11th Meeting of the Member States Expert Group on Digitisation and Digital Preservation*, on April 9th, in Luxembourg. This meeting is attended by representatives from national ministries and national cultural institutions of all EU countries.
<http://ec.europa.eu/digital-agenda/en/member-states-expert-group-digitisation-and-digital-preservation-mseg>
- Presentation by Tomasz Parkola on *Polish Digital Libraries conference*: Presentation in Polish related to works in Succeed project. Original title: *Wykorzystanie standardów w masowej digitalizacji i długoterminowym przechowywaniu danych źródłowych*. English translation: *Standards in mass digitisation and long term digital preservation*, on April 16th in Poznań. Close to 350 participants and c.a. 40 speakers attended this conference divided in three parallel sessions, as well as several meetings, trainings and workshops.
<http://www.i3conference.net/> (web in Polish)

June, 2013

- Participation in MAXICULTURE webinar with representatives, among others, from V-MusT.net, Insidde and Athens Technology Center on June 13th, online.
- Participation in LIBER conference: presentation by Alicia Blaya of the Impact Centre of Competence poster and distribution of Succeed leaflets, on June 26th – 28th in Munich. (<http://www.liber2013.de/>)
- Presentation by Francis Ballesteros of Succeed and the Impact Centre of Competence in the Plair platform inauguration (University of Rouen, LITIS laboratory), on June 28th in Rouen.

July, 2013

- Presentation by Tomasz Parkola on *Digital Preservation Advanced Practitioner Training: Digital Preservation in Digitisation Workflow - formats, standards and storage*, a training event organised by APARSEN on July 16th in Glasgow. <http://www.dpconline.org/events/details/62-APARSEN-Training-APJul13>

August, 2013

- Presentation of the Impact Centre of Competence poster by Elisabeth Freyre and distribution of the Succeed leaflet during the poster sessions of IFLA 2013, on August 18th – 19th in Singapour <https://twitter.com/BnFMonde/status/369766356289200128/photo/1>
- Meeting with Wroclaw University Library to discuss their participation in Succeed in the context of validation and take-up of innovative digitisation tools, on August 22nd in Wroclaw.
- Participation in OpenHart2013, on August 23rd in Washington DC. “OpenHaRT is an evaluation series that calibrates current technical capabilities in document text recognition and the workshop provides a forum for the evaluation participants, as well as active researchers who are interested in this field, to examine and discuss current state of the art in document analysis in the context of the evaluation.” <http://www.nist.gov/itl/iad/mig/hart2013.cfm>
- Participation in CBDAR2013 (Fifth International Workshop on Camera-Based Document Analysis and Recognition), on August 23rd in Washington DC. “CBDAR is the international workshop with a special focus on camera captured documents. Presentation of up-to-date issues and techniques as well as discussions on future directions will boost research in this relatively new area. Participants will share experiences and problems in the area.” <http://imlab.jp/cbdar2013/>

- HIP2013: Presentation by Apostolos Antonacopoulos, Stefan Pletschacher and Christos Papadopoulos of the paper *The IMPACT Repository of Historical Document Images*, on August 25th in Washington DC.
- ICDAR2013: Delivery of tutorial on *Performance Evaluation in Document Image Analysis* by Apostolos Antonacopoulos, Basilis Gatos and Stefan Pletschacher; Presentation of results for the two competitions HBR2013 and HNLA2013 organized in WP5; and Distribution of Succeed leaflets during the 4-day conference, on August 25th – 28th in Washington DC.
- Presentation of the project on the BnF website in French and in English
http://www.bnf.fr/fr/professionnels/projets_europeens/s.projets_europeens_en_cours.html
http://www.bnf.fr/en/professionals/european_projects/s.european_ongoing_projects.html

September, 2013

- *Succeed First developers' workshop*, on 19th – 20th September in The Hague. For more information, please refer to section 5.1.
- Tutorial *State-of-the-art tools for text digitisation* at TPDFL 2013, on 22nd September in Valetta. For additional information, please refer to section 5.1.

October 2013

- Presentation of Succeed by Tomasz Parkola in the context of digitisation process and Succeed leaflets distribution at Academic Library conference (in Polish), on October 24th in Krakow.
- Presentation by Rafael Carrasco at the workshop *From European and national projects to high-quality services and products*, organised by V-MusT.net and with representatives from Nordic Digital Excellence in Museums (NODEM) and Center for Documentation of Cultural and Natural Heritage (CultNat) at Digital Heritage 2013, on October 29th in Marseille. A brief report was published as a blog post at:
<http://centresofcompetence.wordpress.com/2013/11/05/the-sustainability-of-competence-centres/>

November, 2013

- Participation in several networking sessions, such as *A Virtual Research Community for the Preservation of Digital Cultural Heritage*, and leaflet distribution in ICT 2013, on November 6th – 8th in Vilnius.
<http://ec.europa.eu/digital-agenda/en/ict-2013>



- Presentation by Apostolos Antonacopoulos and meetings at the Information Technologies Institute, Thessaloniki, Greece on November 7th – 8th, 2013.
- Participation and leaflet distribution in *12th Meeting of the Member States Expert Group on Digitisation and Digital Preservation*, on November 12th - 13th in Luxembourg. This meeting is attended by representatives from national ministries and national cultural institutions of all EU countries.
<http://ec.europa.eu/digital-agenda/en/member-states-expert-group-digitisation-and-digital-preservation-mseg>
- Leaflet distribution in *Digital Library Forum* (DLF) conference, on November 4th - 6th, Austin, Texas. This forum serves as a meeting place, a marketplace, and a congress with participants from the main institutions and companies related to digitisation and digital libraries.
<http://www.diglib.org/forums/2013forum/>
- Conference call with Texas A&M and EMOP project to exchange of expertise in setting up centres of competence, on November 15th.
- Presentations by Apostolos Antonacopoulos and meetings at the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, November 20th – 22nd, 2013.

December, 2013

- Participation in *SCAPE&OPF hackathon* on Hadoop, a hackathon related to Hadoop processing in the context of digitisation-related activities, including OCR quality as well as preservation, on December 1st in Wien.
<http://www.openplanetsfoundation.org/events/scape-opf-hackathon-hadoop-driven-digital-preservation>
- Leaflet distribution at *Europeana Annual General Meeting* and DISH 2013, on December 2nd in Rotterdam.
<http://dish2013.nl/>

The Succeed project and the Impact Centre of Competence has also been presented to the following institutions:

- Vinfra (www.vinfra.es).
- Libnova (www.libnova.es).
- Tecnológica (<http://tecnologica.com/>).
- The Universitat Politècnica de València (UPV) to discuss the cooperation between the Succeed project and the Transcriptorium project (www.transcriptorium.eu) focused on handwritten text recognition.
- i2s (www.i2s-digibook.com). The company is interested to participate in the Digitisation Days.

- Elzaburu Abogados (www.elzaburu.es) is a law firm with a focus on intellectual property.
- The Universidad de Barcelona (<http://www.bib.ub.edu>).
- Göteborgs Universitet (www.ub.gu.se).
- National Library of Sweden.
- DIGIBIS (Madrid).
- Universidad Valladolid.
- Universidad Complutense (Madrid).

As a result of these contacts, Vinfra, Libnova, Tecnológica, Elzaburu Abogados, Universidad de Barcelona, Göteborgs Universitet, National Library of Sweden, Universidad de Valladolid and Universidad Complutense de Madrid became members of the Impact Centre of Competence, as well as Universidad de Granada, Universidad de Salamanca, Wroclaw University Library and University Library KU Leuven, external libraries evaluating tools in Succeed.

Besides the direct promotion of Succeed through specialized institutions and research centers, and with the idea of broadening the scope of dissemination, Succeed has also been presented to other institutions that are not directly concerned by the conservation and archiving (such as Pompidou Center).

5.3 Liaison activities

During 2013, Succeed project representatives held meetings with other European initiatives that aim the access and preservation of cultural heritage.

- Joint proposal to ICT 2013 with *eCultValue* and *MaxiCulture* (the proposal was finally not selected).
- The following initiatives collaborated in the production of Succeed's deliverable D7.6 "Best practices and management procedures for centres of competence": Open Planets Foundation, V-MusT.net and VCC-3D. These initiatives participated in the Succeed's First Sustainability Workshop organized in The Hague in March 2013.
- Succeed's representatives also held meetings with members of CLARIN (also part of the Expert Advisory Board) and tranScriptorium in order to find out the best way to collaborate.
- Succeed is also linked with UNESCO, Europeana and the European Library, the German Digital Library, Stanford University Library, CLARIN, JISC Digital, through its Expert Advisory Board, composed by:
 - Milagros del Corral, UNESCO
 - Jill Cousins, Europeana and The European Library
 - Frank Frischmuth, German Digital Library
 - Michael Keller, Stanford University Library
 - Steven Krauwer, Utrecht University and CLARIN
 - Andrew Prescott, King's College London and JISC Digital

6. AWARDS

According to the task T5.4 Awards, the Succeed project has launched the call for nominations of the Succeed Awards for digitisation programmes. This call for nominations has been distributed through the following venues:

- Succeed dissemination channels: Website, Twitter, LinkedIn, etc.
- Impact Centre of Competence dissemination channels: Website, LinkedIn, Twitter, etc.
- Succeed & Impact Centre of Competence partners' networks.
- The European Library, Digital libraries, Digital Library Federation and Europeana LinkedIn groups.
- Impact project library partners
- OpenGlam dissemination channels.
- Cordis Wire
(<https://cordis.europa.eu/wire/index.cfm?fuseaction=article.Detail&RCN=41907&rev=0>)
- Mailing lists:
 - DIGITALCLASSICIST@JISCMail.AC.UK
 - MARKUP@LSV.UKY.EDU,
 - TEI-L@LISTSERV.BROWN.EDU,
 - corpora@uib.no,
 - dhd@mailman.rrz.uni-hamburg.de,
 - humanist@lists.digitalhumanities.org,
 - IFLA-L
 - DIGLIB

7. PUBLICATIONS

The Succeed publications consist of the public deliverables of the project, the dissemination materials produced, scientific publications published in the frame of Succeed and other documents.

During the first year of Succeed project, the following deliverables have been submitted to the EC:

- D2.1 First developers' workshop
- D2.3 Operational platform
- D3.1 First online report on available tools
- D3.3 Report on validation criteria and procedures for tools and resources
- D3.4 Training materials
- D4.1 Recommendations for metadata and data formats for online availability and long-term preservation
- D6.1 Project website
- D6.2 Dissemination plan for Succeed and for tools, resources and events
- D6.3 First report on dissemination activities
- D7.1 Interactive website for coordination with other European projects
- D7.2 Map of the European digitization landscape: active projects and networks
- D7.4 First report on the support for the preparation of research proposals and funding opportunities
- D7.6 Best practices and management procedures for centres of competence

The following dissemination materials have been produced (See Annex 1 in section 9):

- 9.1 Succeed project logo
- 9.2 Succeed project leaflet
- 9.3 Succeed poster
- 9.4 Digitisation Days logo
- 9.5 Digitisation Days Leaflet
- 9.6 DATeCH logo
- 9.7 DATeCH Leaflet

The Succeed project also disseminates the scientific publications of its members. These publications are updated at *Publications* section of Succeed website (www.succeed-project.eu/publications). At the moment of writing, at least 9 papers have been published or submitted by Succeed partners.

8. EXECUTION OF THE DISSEMINATION PLAN

Channel	Description	Goal for end of the project	Achieved at the end of 1 st year
Tools and data resources	Number of data and language resources distributed through the Centre of Competence	10	11
	Number of tools available at the interoperable platform	10	15
Research results	Number of institutions validating research results	4	13 (9 external)
Website and social networks	Number of visitors to the Succeed website (www.succeed-project.eu)	5000 unique visits	1.508 unique visits + 1.253 unique visits to www.datech2014.info
	Number of followers in Twitter.	250	124
	Number of members of the LinkedIn group	100	36
Events, conferences, workshops, competitions, etc	Number of systems/configurations submitted for evaluation in competitions organised by Succeed	18	12
	Number of participants in the conferences, workshops, and awards organised by Succeed	600	70
Liaison activities	Number of joint activities organised with other projects or consortia	2	3

9. ANNEX 1. DISSEMINATION MATERIALS

9.1 Succeed project logo

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9.2 Succeed project leaflet



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{BnF} Bibliothèque nationale de France

 **FUNDACIÓN BIBLIOTECA VIRTUAL**
MIGUEL DE CERVANTES
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KB Koninklijke Bibliotheek
National Library of the Netherlands

INL INL SCHATKAMER VAN DE NEDERLANDSE TAAL

 **Fraunhofer**
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Concept

Succeed promotes the take-up and validation of tools and resources for mass digitisation, with a focus on textual content. Succeed is a support action funded by the European Union.

Objectives

Succeed will improve the availability of tools and services that help to create cultural content (mainly textual) in digital form by:

1. Promoting the validation and take-up of tools and resources.
2. Contributing to the normalisation and standardisation of text digitisation techniques and outputs.
3. Building and maintaining evaluation services for digitisation tools.
4. Disseminating research results.
5. Connecting existing infrastructures in the field of digitisation.
6. Defining a business model for the long-term sustainability of competence centres in digitisation such as the Impact Centre of Competence (www.digitisation.eu)

Succeed project will also support the European Commission in preparing the 2014–2020 Work Programme for Research and Innovation.



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9.3 Succeed poster



Concept

Succeed promotes the take up and validation of tools and resources for improving mass digitisation on textual content. Succeed improves the availability of tools and resources, foster the transfer of knowledge, the creation of research consortia and explores the role of emerging business models, funding opportunities and public-private partnerships to improve large-scale text digitisation techniques. It is a support action funded by the European Union.

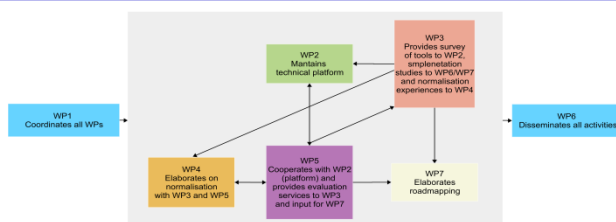
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Work plan



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9.4 Digitisation Days logo



9.5 Digitisation Days Leaflet





DigitisationDays

Madrid, 19-20 May, 2014

The Digitisation Days aim to present an up-to-date vision of the most recent advances in technology for text digitisation, to showcase successful experiences in their application and to explore the challenges for the near future of digitisation.

The event comprises:

- The DATECH conference (Digital Access to Textual Cultural Heritage - <http://www.datech2014.info>) where the latest and future technologies for the digitisation of historical text will be presented and discussed.
- A demonstration day where the most advanced technology for digitisation will be showcased.
- The ceremony of the Succeed awards recognising the successful adoption of digitisation tools and techniques.
- Panel discussions on digitisation policies, intellectual property rights and other hot topics in the digitisation domain.

The Digitisation Days will take place in Biblioteca Nacional de España, Madrid, on May 19-20, 2014.

This event is supported by the European Commission, and organised by the Succeed project and the IMPACT Centre of Competence in Digitisation (www.digitisation.eu) with the cooperation of Biblioteca Nacional de España.

For additional information, please visit:

www.succeed-project.eu/digitisation-days.

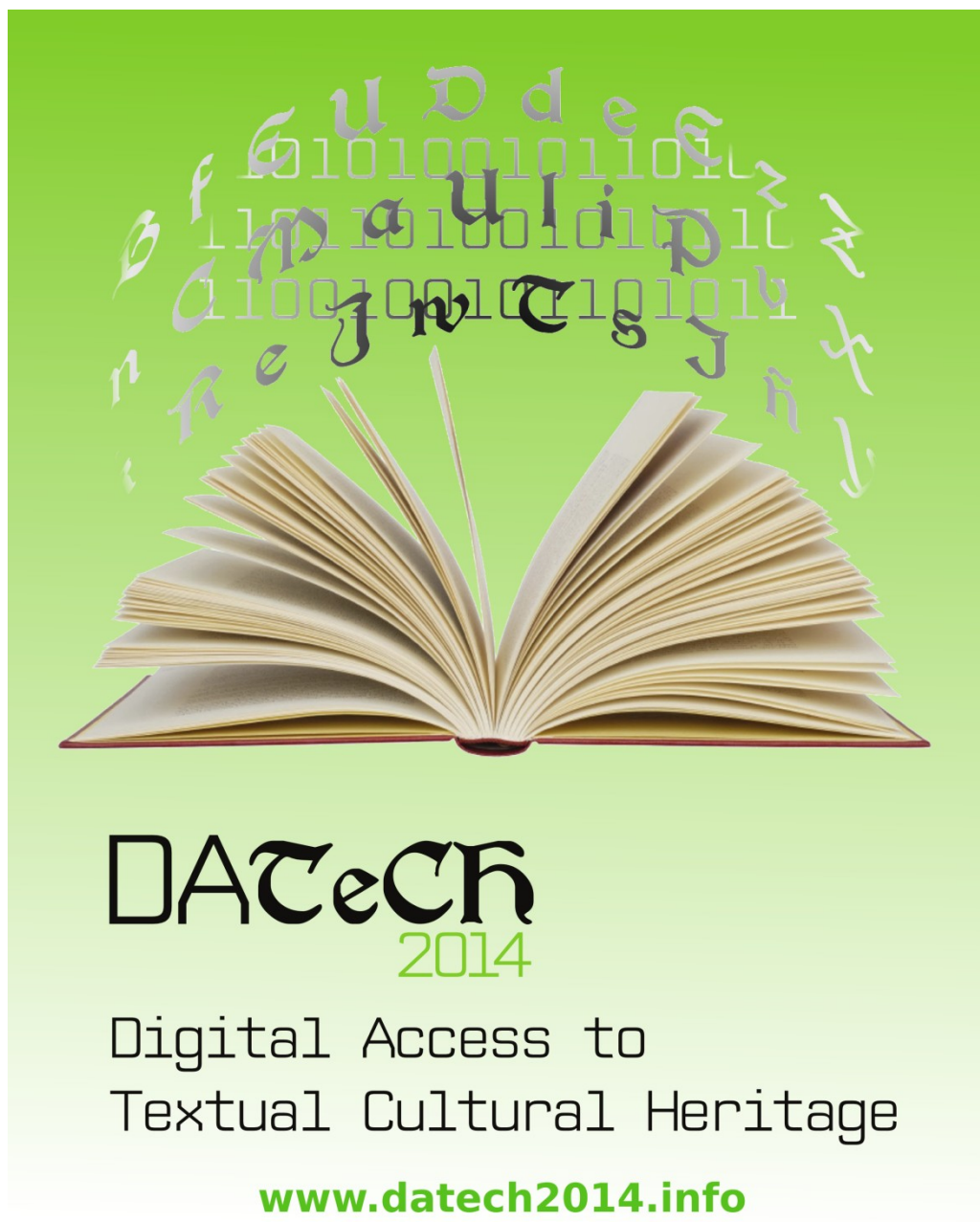


9.6 DATeCHlogo

DATeCH Digital Access to Textual Cultural Heritage
2014



9.7 DATeCH Leaflet



May 19-20, 2014 in Madrid

Scope

DATECH brings together researchers and practitioners looking for innovative approaches for the creation, transformation and exploitation of historical documents in digital form.

www.datech2014.info

Topics

OCR technology and tools for historical documents including:

- Post-correction
- Quality control
- Innovative access methods
- Interfaces and visualization
- Publication on mobile devices
- Metadata enrichment
- Crowdsourcing
- NLP techniques

Important dates

- January 7, 2014 - Paper submission deadline
- February 28, 2014 - Decision notification
- March 31, 2014 - Camera-ready papers due
- May 19-20, 2014 - Conference

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