

Digital Literary Annotation Newsletter No. 78 (March 2023)

TEASys – News

Have you ever wondered about the historical context of bell-ringing that informs the subtitle of Charles Dickens's *The Chimes – A Goblin Story of Some Bells that Rang an Old Year Out and a New Year In*? Find out how our students explain the tradition and its impact on the *The Chimes* in [their annotations](#).

Remember to register for the focus module “**How to Do Things with Corpora**” that will be taught by Prof. Dr. Angelika Zirker at the University of Tübingen (eligible also for the DH special profile) to learn about different approaches to corpora and to get involved practically in conducting close and distant readings digitally as well as compiling collections of texts. The course will take place on **Mondays from 10-12 c.t., starting April 24, 2023**.

The [Annotated Web Edition Directory](#) is looking forward to your suggestions. We are always on the look-out for new entries to add to the list. Feel free to recommend literary digital editions that include explanatory annotation (of the social or the editorial kind), web platforms, tools and applications that enable the user to (collaboratively) annotate texts. Please use the corresponding form on our webpage. We thank you for your help.

Calls for Papers

You may want to contribute to the **FORGE conference** (Forschungsdaten in den Geisteswissenschaften) that will be hosted on site at the University of Tübingen (DH Centre and DAASI International) from October 4-6, 2023, with the title “Anything goes?! Forschungsdaten in den Geisteswissenschaften - kritisch betrachtet.” There are three possibilities of contribution: proposal for a workshop, proposal for a talk and proposal for a poster. Topic suggestions as well as requirements are online [here](#). You can submit your **abstracts until April 28, 2023**.

The ACL Special Interest Group for Annotation (SIGANN) is inviting papers for the **17th Linguistic Annotation Workshop (LAW XVII)** on July 13, 2023, in Toronto. Papers may cover aspects of ethics related to annotation, crowd-sourcing, and beyond, since the special theme of the workshop is “Ethics and Annotation”. **Submission deadline is April 7, 2023**. Find further information in the call for papers [online](#).

For the hybrid from **CLARIN Conference 2023** (taking place in the historic city of Leuven, Belgium, at the heritage campus of the Irish College, but also fully accessible online), a call for papers has been issued on the use of the CLARIN infrastructure, i.e. usability, evaluations, user identification, relevant research projects, and teaching and learning cases using CLARIN resources and services. You can find information on the conference and paper requirements [online](#). **Submission deadline for abstracts is April 14, 2023**.

The Center for Interdisciplinary Research (ZiF) at the Bielefeld University is pleased to announce their call for papers for their **interdisciplinary conference “Navigating Uncertainty: Preparing Society for the Future”** which will take place from June 5-7, 2023. Submissions on, for instance, measuring and identifying uncertainty in societies, its effect on individual and collective beliefs and actions, and beyond, will be accepted **until March 15, 2023**. For more information see [here](#).

You can now submit contributions to the online Papyri Conference **“Perceptions of Writing in Papyri. Crossing Close and Distant Readings”** from December 7-8, 2023. The conference will analyse how digital culture has changed the perceptions of writing styles in papyri. The deadline for submitting your papers is **April 30, 2023**. Visit [the online call for papers](#) for more information.

Jobs and Grants

The department Transfer of Education at the Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg is hiring a **coordinator IT for the project “Hochschulweiterbildung@BW”**. The position is part-time (60-80%) and to be filled earliest possible. As coordinator IT, you are responsible for the coordination, communication, and controlling of IT-projects within the context of the development of platforms, and deal with order management of external service companies. What is more, you are directly involved in decision making and the development, controlling and implementation of educational trainings. You can consult the job description online. **Apply now, until May 12, 2023**.

The Universitäts- und Landesbibliothek (ULB) at the Technische Universität Darmstadt is currently hiring a full-time **project assistant** for 2 years with the goal of digitalising one of the oldest newspapers, the Darmstädter Tagblatt. **Application deadline is March 12, 2023**. For more information, requirements, and formalities, please see [here](#).

A free 2,5-year position as **research assistant** (TV-L 13) is waiting to be filled in the cluster of excellence EXC 2020 “Temporal Communities: Doing Literature in a Global Perspective” at the Freie Universität Berlin. The position offers the opportunity to conduct your own research project revolving around the Research Area (RA) 5, **“Building Digital Communities”**, which intends to link the individual research fields closer to one another. Requirements are a master’s degree or an equal degree in a subject pertaining to literary studies or cultural sciences. The entire job description can be found [here](#). You can **apply until March 13, 2023**.

If you are interested in scientific research in the context of Open Access and would like to come up with technical solutions for intriguing research, you might want to have a look at the full-time position as [Technical Coordinator Open Access Publishing at the SLUB Dresden](#) (TV-L 13). You can **apply until April 2, 2023**.

Summer Schools, Workshops, and Certificates

The TH Köln is offering a unique course on **research data management** with the aim of awarding a **certificate**. The course takes place over the course of 10 months (extra occupational) starting on September 1, 2023. The course is aimed at employees from science-related infrastructures and research. Find more information on [their website](#) and **apply until May 2, 2023**.

In the context of their long-term project *Formulae – Litterae – Chartae*, the Academy of Sciences in Hamburg is offering a **summer school on digital ecdotic** from July 11-14, 2023. The main focus of the

summer school lies on digital tools and techniques for editing historical texts and documents and gives a chance to learn about the theory of editing as well as practical implementation. Find out more about the summer school in Hamburg [here](#). **Application deadline is April 21, 2023.**

You can now register for the NFDI-Konsortium Text+ is organising a workshop titled **“Wohin damit? Storing and reusing my language data”** on June 22, 2023, at the IDS Mannheim. The workshop serves to inform about how and where data can be stored and get into contact with data- and competence centres of the Text+-Datendomäne Sammlungen.

Hosted by the ACL Special Interest Group on Annotation (SIGANN), the 17th **Linguistic Annotation Workshop** will take place on July 13, 2023, together with ACL 2023 in Toronto. The workshop provides a forum for the presentation and discussion of innovative research on all aspects of linguistic annotation, including the creation and evaluation of annotation schemes, methods for automatic and manual annotation, use and evaluation of annotation software and frameworks, representation of linguistic data and annotations, semi-supervised “human in the loop” methods of annotation, crowd-sourcing approaches, and more. Find the invited keynote speakers [here](#) and mind the call for papers enlisted in this newsletter.