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The Leiden University Centre for Digital Humanities (LUCDH) is an inter-disciplinary centre that brings together students and faculty from across the Leiden community. [Read more at lucdh.nl](https://lucdh.nl).

Swing by the Digital Lab and make use of all resources, more info. at the end of this newsletter or at lucdh.nl/lab

2022 - Upcoming events!

» **4 Nov. (10:00-12:30):**

Social Media/Text Analysis Workshop in Digital Lab, PJ Veth 1.07 (full)

- contact: j.prokic@hum.leidenuniv.nl

» **9 Nov. (10:00 - 12:00):**

Dialectology Workshop Series (4) 'Mapping Dialect Data' and 'Introduction to QGIS' Workshop in Digital Lab, PJ Veth 1.07 - contact: h.w.m.sung@hum.leidenuniv.nl

» **10 Nov. at 10:00 at the Academy building:**

Martin Kroon (LUCDH) will be defending his PhD Thesis '*Towards the Automatic Detection of Syntactic Differences*'

» **23 Nov. (10:00 - 12:00):**

Dialectology Workshop Series (5) 'Introduction to Dialectometry'

- contact: h.w.m.sung@hum.leidenuniv.nl

» **30 Nov (12:00-13:00):**

Lunch Lecture with Janessa Vlegghert (LUCDH), 'Digital Analyses: Old English Poems and Modern Comics', in Digital Lab, PJ Veth 1.07 (and online)

» **7 Dec. (12:00-13:00):**

Lunch Lecture with Bart Barendregt and Reza Ardekani, DH topics in Cultural Anthropology and Development Sociology (CADS), in Digital Lab, PJ Veth 1.07 (and online)

» **15 Dec. (23:59 CET):**

Application Deadline of the LUCDH Small Grant 2022-2023 program

» **New Date! Thursday 15 Dec. (13:00-17:00):**

Interactive Storytelling/Glütwine Workshop in Digital Lab, PJ Veth 1.07

2023 - Save the dates!

» **30 Jan. – 2 Feb. (09:30 - 12:30): Digital Skills Workshop – Winter Week**

» **In Winter Week – New date! Monday 30 Jan (13:00 - 17:00): Digital Pilot Projects**

Symposium - Presentation of successful 2022 Small Grants research projects

» **8 Feb. (12:00-13:00):** Lunch Lecture with Moragh Gordon

» **1 Mar. (12:00-13:00):** Lunch Lecture with Matthijs Westera

» **17 Mar (13:00-17:00):** Open Science (FAIR) Workshop

» **5 Apr. (12:00-13:00):** Lunch Lecture with Karin de Wild

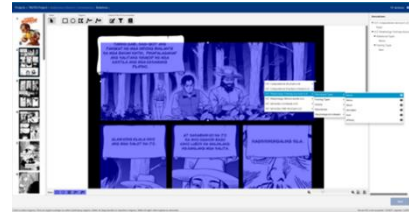
» **21 Apr. (13:00-17:00):** Networks Workshop

- » **3 May (12:00-13:00):** Lunch Lecture with Carina van den Hoven (online)
- » **26 May (13:00-17:00):** Neural Networks Workshop

LUCDH Lunchtime Speaker Series

- » **Lunch Lecture - Digital Analyses: Old English Poems and Modern Comics with Janessa Vleghert**
Wednesday, 30 Nov. (12:00-13:00):

Location: Digital Lab, P.J. Veth 1.07
and Online via Kaltura



Are you interested in digital humanities? Do you want to learn more about the different computer programmes and software you could work with and how they could be useful for your thesis topics? For example, here are the two types of computer-assisted analyses Vleghert conducted for her BA and MA thesis. She will focus on [Lexos](#) and the application of the programme to highlight the possibilities of (free) digital tools; Cross-cultural (dis)similarities in visual language, specifically in American, Japanese, and Filipino comics. The data was collected using [MAST](#), an annotation software, and the comics were annotated as part of the larger [TINTIN Project](#) corpus.

The LUCDH Lunchtime Speaker Series is an opportunity for researchers to share their recent research in digital humanities. If you would like to be one of our speakers contact:

lucdh@hum.leidenuniv.nl

- » **Lunch Lecture - DH topics in Cultural Anthropology and Development Sociology (CADS) with Bart Barendregt and Reza Ardekani**

Wednesday, 7 Dec. (12:00-13:00):
Location: Digital Lab, P.J. Veth 1.07
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"Introduction to QGIS" (This is also Part 4 of The Leiden Dialectology Workshop Series 2022)

Wednesday, 9 Nov.

Times: 10:00 - 12:00

Location: Digital Lab PJ Veth 1.07

If you're keen to learn map making with open source QGIS then you cannot do better than joining Matthew Sung's workshop (single) for an 'Introduction to QGIS' (part of the Dialectology series). Mapping examples will be taken from dialectology.



Organised by [Matthew Sung](#)
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Places filling fast! You can register via this form:

<https://www.formdesk.com/universiteitleiden/form69271225>

*If you have already signed up for the whole series, you do not need to register again.

If you have questions about QGIS or mapping (outside of the workshop) contact Matthew directly to make an appointment

Martin Kroon (Postdoc at LUCL, and LUCDH's first PhD student) will be defending his PhD Thesis '*Towards the Automatic Detection of Syntactic Differences*' on **Nov 10, at 10:00 at the Academy building.**
Contact: m.s.kroon@hum.leidenuniv.nl



LUCDH and Past at Play GlühTwine Workshop Dr. Angus Mol and Dr. Aris Politopoulos

Friday, New date! 15 December 2022

Times: 12:15 - 17:00

Location: Digital Lab PJ Veth 1.07



It's that time of year again. Are you looking for a fun and creatively stimulating event to herald in the holiday break? [Sign up for GlühTwine!](#)

In this event you will:

- Learn the basics of Twine, an interactive narrative game engine.
- Hear about some Do's and Dont's of interactive narratives and about basic interactive narrative structures.
- Get to know more about the role of play and interactive narrative design in research, education, and outreach
- Have fun with some of your fellow students/colleagues by making a small game.

» Fill in [this form to register](#).

LUCDH EVENTS 2023

Digital Skills Workshop – Winter Week

30 Jan. – 2 Feb. (10:00 - 13:00):

Save the dates! A week of 3 hr workshops on 3D printing/scanning, GIS, Podcasting, Social Media Analytics. Your choice - sign up for individual workshops, or the whole series, and gain a wide understanding of the capabilities of digital research tools & methods. Specific workshop dates will be posted in the December newsletter. All welcome!



Contact for more information:
lucdh@hum.leidenuniv.nl

Digital Pilot Projects Symposium

New date! Monday 30 January 2023

Winter Week! (13:00 - 17:00):

Learn more about applying digital tools & methods from recent research

results.

» [2022 DH Research Projects](#)

OPPORTUNITIES

» **Postdoctoral Fellowship in Digital Humanities – Apply by 30 Nov. 2022**

Vacancy number: 22-647 12961

The [Jackman Humanities Institute](#), in partnership with the Digital Humanities Network, is accepting applications for a twelve-month [Postdoctoral Fellowship in Digital Humanities](#), with a project that fits the JHI's annual theme, "Absence".

The JHI-CDHI DH Postdoctoral Fellowship is a twelve-month position, from 1 July 2023 to 30 June 2024 supervised by Professor Elspeth Brown (Faculty Director of CDHI and Professor of Historical Studies) and Alison Keith (Director of the Jackman Humanities Institute and Professor of Classics and Women's Studies).

The JHI-CDHI DH Postdoctoral Fellow will be expected to pursue their own research relevant to the JHI's annual theme of Absence.

Deadline for Applications: **November 30, 2022 at 4:00 PM.**

» **Assistant Professor Machine Translation (1,0 FTE) - Apply by 25 Dec. 2022**

Vacancy number: 22-699 13088

Leiden University is looking for an assistant professor to conduct research and teach undergraduate and graduate courses in Machine Translation in Leiden.

The lecturer will hold a position within the Leiden University Centre for Linguistics and teach courses as needed in the BA programme Linguistics, the MA programme Linguistics (specialization Computational Linguistics and specialization Translation), and the Minor programme Translation.

Information

Enquiries can be made to Prof. Lisa Cheng, Academic Director of LUCL, e-mail WDlucl@hum.leidenuniv.nl. For practical questions, please contact the Institute Manager, Maarit van Gammeren, e-mail m.s.k.van.gammeren@hum.leidenuniv.nl.

Applications

Please submit your application online no later than **25 December 2022** via the blue button in the LU application system: [Assistant Prof. Machine Translation](#)

» **Open-rank Professorship for "Scientific Computing" with a focus on Machine Learning in the Humanities - Apply by 6 Jan. 2023**

The professorship is located at the [Interdisciplinary Center for Scientific Computing \(IWR\)](#). With its assignment to the Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science, the professorship is part of a broad partnership between IWR, the Excellence Cluster STRUCTURES and the method-oriented faculties to establish a Center for Machine Learning at [Heidelberg University](#).

Applications are solicited by **January 6th, 2023** to the Dean of the Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science at Heidelberg University, Prof. Christoph Schnörr, application@mathinfo.uni-heidelberg.de. Questions about orientation and institutional strategy will be answered by Prof. Fred Hamprecht, fred.hamprecht@iwr.uni-heidelberg.de.

LUCDH Small Grants Call for Proposals

The Small Grants program 2022-2023 for Research Projects and Personal Development is now open. See [Grants and Resources](#) for all details on how to apply:

Application Deadline: 15 December 2022 (23:59 CET)



[LUCDH Grants and Resources/Opportunities](#)

» Read more on various DH vacancies: [DH Opportunities](#)

DIGITAL LAB P.J. VETH 1.07

Drop-in sessions for all staff & students

Every afternoon during semesters

13:00 - 17:00. Seating for 25 people. During semester times you *do not* need to book beforehand, but email us if you have questions or would like specific assistance with a project. See lucdh.nl/lab digital for a list of all research resources.

Larger groups and workshops

Mornings (09:00 - 13:00) in the Digital Lab are available for teachers to reserve and for workshops.

Email: digital-lab@hum.leidenuniv.nl.

Looking for a Recording Studio for your next Podcast?

Usually held on the first Thursday of the month 15:00-15:30 in P.J.Veth 1.06

If you haven't used our Studio before, join Angus Mol for one of the monthly mini-tours of



Where can I find the [Digital Lab & Studio](#)?

The P.J. Veth building is located in the garden area opposite the Hortus Botanicus. Walk almost the length of the P.J. Veth building and enter via the main entrance staircase. Once through the wooden and glass doors, turn immediately right, and through the Student Study Lounge. Exit the lounge and take the stairs up to the first floor. You'll have found the Digital Lab in P.J. Veth 1.07! The Podcast Recording Studio is next door in 1.06. Please contact us if you need assistance with access. (There are washrooms opposite the lab; and a small kitchen area with drink water one floor up.)

the Studio (P.J. Veth 1.06), and a briefing on the recording equipment.
The gear is very user friendly so we hope to see all you new or experienced podcasters soon!

When you're ready to record your podcast, time slot(s) can be reserved via digital-lab@hum.leidenuniv.nl

» [Check Studio calendar for available time slots](#)

E-mail: digital-lab@hum.leidenuniv.nl to confirm your place



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