

LUCDH Events and Opportunity's



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LUCDH Newsletter**15 January 2024**

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](#). LUCDH also facilitates digital resources and offers advice on DH projects in the Digital Lab, P.J. Veth 1.07; more details at the end of this newsletter or at [lucdh.nl/lab](#)

LUCDH EVENTS**LUCDH Lunchtime Speaker Series:**

['Beyond Discourse: An Introduction to](#)

[Conversation Analysis in Linguistics Research and Elsewhere'](#)

with Keerthi Sridharan Vaidehi

Tuesday, 13 February 2023, 12:00-13:00

Location: The Digital Lab, P.J Veth 1.07 or

[Online link via LUCDH Events channel](#)

In this talk, I will introduce Conversation Analysis (CA), a transcription-based analytic model for spontaneous speech in audiovisual settings.

Positioning CA in relation to and in conversation with discourse analysis (DA), this talk examines how and why such an intricate and time-consuming analytical approach can be deeply insightful for research on discursive practice

» [More info.](#)

» No need to register, please join us at 12:00.

Digital Humanities Pilot Project Symposium 2024

Monday 29 January, 14:00 - 17:00 in PJ Veth 1.01 Lecture Hall

Looking for inspiration on how to apply digital tools to your next research project? Join us for this afternoon of recent digital project results. Great opportunity for discussion on the latest digital humanities & AI topics with colleagues.

» The following projects will be presented: [Small Grant Project 2023](#)

» Registration form: [Workshop\(s\) & Symposium](#)

Digital Skills Workshops:**Winter Week 2024**

29 January – 2 February

Every morning, 10:00 - 13:00

Location: Digital Lab PJ Veth 1.07

Some spaces left for registration. Choose from five 3 hour morning workshops on best practices in Digital Humanities and AI.

» Read descriptions from each [workshop](#).

Choice of Workshops:

Mon. 29 Jan: 'Harnessing AI for Education' with A. van de Pol / Ecolé / Guest speaker(s) (some spaces)

Tues. 30 Jan: [Quarto Publishing](#) with Dr. Y. Ryan (spaces)

Wed. 31 Jan: 'Introduction to Podcasting' with Dr. A. Mol & T. Vorisek (some spaces)

Thurs. 1 Feb: 'Introduction to QGIS' with M. Sung & Dr. J. Prokic (spaces)

Fri. 2 Feb: Counting Words Responsibly: Text Mining with R. Ros (wait list)

» Registration form: [Workshop\(s\) & Symposium](#)

Series Workshop 2024:

Begins 6 Feb: '[Deep Learning for Beginners: How to Make a Computer Think like a Human](#)' with Aron van de Pol.

A series of 6 workshops: **6 & 20 Feb, 5 & 19 Mar, 2 & 16 Apr.**

Learn the basics of deep-learning!

Deep-learning has been used in many recent applications. You've likely seen use cases such as Stable diffusion, DALL-E image generation, ChatGPT text generation, image classification and, object detection in self-driving cars. Deep-learning is also gaining popularity in the humanities beyond NLP uses.

Join this 6-part workshop series and go from zero to building a basic image classification model. With this knowledge, you can continue to teach yourself further in expanding beyond the focus of images onto other forms of data such as text (NLP tasks).

» For full details on this series and registration see [here](#).

Save the date: Lunch Lecture **5 March 2024, 12:00-13:00**: 'Digital Humanities for Contemporary Policy Research - the Case of China' with Dr. Creemers and Vincent Brussee (PhD candidate)

OTHER EVENTS

[Immersive Tech Event 'New Beginnings'](#)- Leiden University

Tuesday 23 January 2024 in the Hague (half day or full day registration).

Last day to [register](#) end of day, today!

EDUCATION

[LUCDH Elective Courses](#) 2023-2024 (spring)

Acquire the Digital Skills you need now for exploring and analyzing data. Students can register for these three thought-provoking and practical Digital Humanities & AI Elective courses.

Attention Students:

1. [Digital Text and Data Analysis](#)
2. [AI and the Humanities](#)
3. [Digital Storytelling for the Humanities](#)

OPPORTUNITIES

Call for applications:

[The Barcelona Past Networks Summer School](#) in June 2024

[Register via the webpage before](#) **21 January 2024**

Workshops 2023-24

- » See all our [Upcoming Workshops](#) 2023-2024 semesters 1&2. Which Digital skill workshops you'd like to see LUCDH offer?
- » Suggestions welcome: [**'YourWorkshopSuggestions'**](#)

Image: Enrique Manjavacas Arevalo's workshop on 'LLMs in the Humanities'

DIGITAL LAB & STUDIO



Digital Lab PJ Veth 1.07

Drop-in sessions for all staff & students

Every afternoon*, 13:00 - 17:00 (Mon-Fri incl.)

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 for a list of all research resources and the Digital Lab/Studio booking calendar.

*Occasional afternoons are reserved for special events.

Larger groups and workshops

Mornings, 9:00 - 13:00 (Mon-Fri incl.)

The Digital Lab is available for staff to reserve for teaching workshops related to digital skills.

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

Recording Studio in PJ Veth 1.06

- 1) Email digital-lab@hum.leidenuniv.nl to arrange a 20 min tour if you haven't used our recording studio and equipment before.
- 2) When you're ready to record your podcast
» [Check Digital Lab/Studio calendar here for available time slots](#).
- 3) Reserve your preferred time slot(s) in an email to digital-lab@hum.leidenuniv.nl.
- 4) Read these [studio use guidelines](#).



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