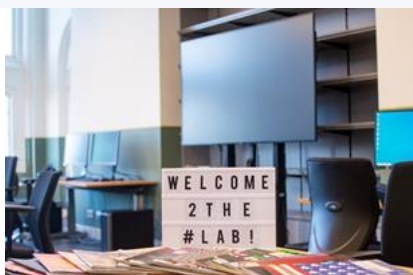




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Digital Humanities
LUCDH Newsletter
4 March 2024



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](https://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:

on '[Digital Humanities for Contemporary Policy](#)

[Research - the Case of China](#)' with

[Dr. Rogier Creemers](#) (LIAS) and

[Vincent Brussee](#) (PhD LIAS)

Tuesday, 5 March 2024, 12:00-13:00

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

[Online link via LUCDH Events channel](#)

The speakers will discuss how they digitally collect hundreds of thousands of official documents and use them for the analysis of Chinese policy. Topics include using NLP for measurement of the transparency of China's government, assessing the impact of policy consultation on the formulation of cyber-policy, and interpretative questions surrounding the approaches. Also discussed are the challenges working with this data, e.g. geo-blocking, data quality issues, security, mitigation.

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

LUCDH Lunchtime Speaker Series:

on '[Colonial Korean Print Shops through Computer](#)

[Vision](#)' with

Aron van de Pol (PhD LUCDH/LIAS)

Tuesday, 16 April 2024, 12:00-13:00

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

[Online link via LUCDH Events channel](#)

Aron will focus on the potential of computer vision in the realm of Korean historical research, with a special emphasis on the print shops that were active during colonial Korea; highlighting how computer vision and interpretability techniques are employed to examine a large collection of scanned texts from the colonial period.

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

Series Workshop 2024:

'Deep Learning for Beginners: How to Make a Computer Think like a Human'

with [Aron van de Pol](#) (PhD LUCDH/LIAS).

6 & 20 Feb, 5 & 19 Mar, 2 & 16 Apr. (Specific [syllabus](#))

Contact Aron if you wish to know more about this series: [here](#).

Series Workshop 2024:

[Introduction to Dialectometry 2024](#)

with [Matthew Sung](#) (LUCL/ LUCDH PhD Candidate)

27th Feb, 12th Mar, 26th Mar, 9th Apr, 23rd Apr

Contact Matthew if you wish to know more about this series: [here](#).

OTHER EVENTS

Digital Skills Hub: Workshops for Students in the Digital Lab

Teachers can contact Federica Notari (f.n.notari@umail.leidenuniv.nl) for information on remaining courses and **Student** registrations (students are first enrolled in Brightspace, and then students register themselves per workshop).

New!

Blogging workshop date: 12 April 10-13.

Remaining workshops: Podcasting: 3 Apr (13-16), 24 Apr (14-17); Social Media 15 Mar (10-13); Documentary Making 17 Apr (10-13); Photography 26 Apr (10-13); Command Line 8 Mar (10-13); Python Program (10-13)

Teacher **Lunchbytes: Podcasts in Education**

Thomas Vorisek and Henk Kern

Thursday 11 April 2024, 12:00 - 13:00

Location: Lipsius, Room 1.13 (with lunch) or Online

More information and contact [here](#)

During this lunchbyte, you'll learn more about using podcasts in your lessons. Thomas Vorisek and Henk Kern will tell you all the ins and outs over this Digital Skills Podcasting workshop, which gives students the tools to prepare, record and edit their own podcast based on a documented step-by-step plan. The language of instruction is English.

Recommended! Digital Skills workshop:

Data Carpentry for Social Sciences and Humanities

14 - 15 March 2024 - in person - 09:00 - 17:00 hrs each day

Location: Erasmus University Rotterdam EUR - Van der Goot building

[Rooms: Bergen room M1-09 (day 1) & Baltimore room M1-06 (day 2)]

The **target audience** of this workshop is PhD candidates and researchers with **little to no prior computational experience**. This is a hands-on training that covers best practices for data organisation in spreadsheets, reproducible data cleaning using the tool OpenRefine, and gives an introduction to data analysis and visualisation using the programming language R. *The tabular dataset used for practice during the course comes from the social sciences field (i.e., survey data in a tabular form).*

» [Registration link](#)

» Workshop website (in the registration page there is also a link to it):

<https://eur-nl.github.io/2024-03-14-ldev-rotterdam/>

Save the Date!

CLARIAH CONFERENCE 2024

Date: **Thursday 13 June 2024**. Time: 9:30 - 17:00 (drinks until 18:00). Location: ECC Leiden.

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 can drop in during open times without booking. 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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