

TWO CONFERENCES IN 2005

ELPUB 2005, the 9th ICCC International Conference on Electronic Publishing, focusing on challenges for the digital content chain, took place on 8–10 June 2005 in the picturesque Arenberg Castle in Leuven-Heverlee (Belgium) and the neighbouring Electrotechnical Dept. It was organised by the Research Group on Document Architectures (ESAT-SCD) at the Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium's oldest and largest university. Sponsors were Leuven Town Council and Peeters Publishing.

During the conference six accompanying workshops were organized:

1. Investigating e-Publishing Trends
2. Implementing and Filling Institutional Repositories
3. Electronic Publishing of Mathematics
4. elpub.scix.net
5. Enterprise Information Architecture for Cultural Institutions
6. Integrated Tools for Electronic Publishing of Academic Contents

Details can be found at <http://elpub2005.elpub.net/>.

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2005 TEI Annual Members' Meeting was held on October 28 and 29, 2005 in Sofia (Bulgaria) and was hosted by the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences.

For the details see <http://www.tei-c.org/Publicity/sofia.xml>.

Immediately before the meeting, on October 24–27, under sponsorship of Central European Initiative (CEI) a conference AZBUKY.NET was held (also in Sofia). Themes of the conference included applications of information technologies in the humanities; computer processing of old and modern Slavic languages and texts; description, analysis, and edition of Slavic sources with computer tools; Unicode and electronic publishing.

A workshop for specialists and researchers on computational linguistics and on the application of the Text Encoding Initiative (TEI) guidelines to electronic publishing was included in the framework of the conference. For the details see <http://www.cl.bas.bg/bsc/en/conf2005/default.htm>.

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