

LoCloud

Sharing Local Cultural Heritage through Europeana

Workshop

11 November 2014, 14.30

Palazzo Coppini, via del Giglio 10, Florence, Italy

- Do you represent a local or regional cultural institution, and would like to find new ways for users to access your digital collections across Europe and beyond?
- Are you working with digital collections for the first time, and want to make them available online?



The LoCloud project is developing



A cloud-based infrastructure to be used by small and medium-sized local heritage institutions, to make their digital collections discoverable through Europeana (www.europeana.eu). Europeana is an online portal that provides access to millions of items of digitised material from European museums, libraries, archives and audio-visual collections.

A series of services, including a geo-location tool, a collection management system, multilingual vocabularies for local history and archaeology, and historic placenames. These services will enrich the digital content, increasing its usefulness, and enhance the user's experience.

Objectives of the workshop

- To stimulate discussion and collaboration between curators, experts and stakeholders in digital libraries, cultural heritage, tourism and local communities on new ways to make holdings more widely available.
- To showcase the latest developments in supporting small and medium-sized cultural institutions in making their digitised collections available online via the Europeana portal through the LoCloud project.

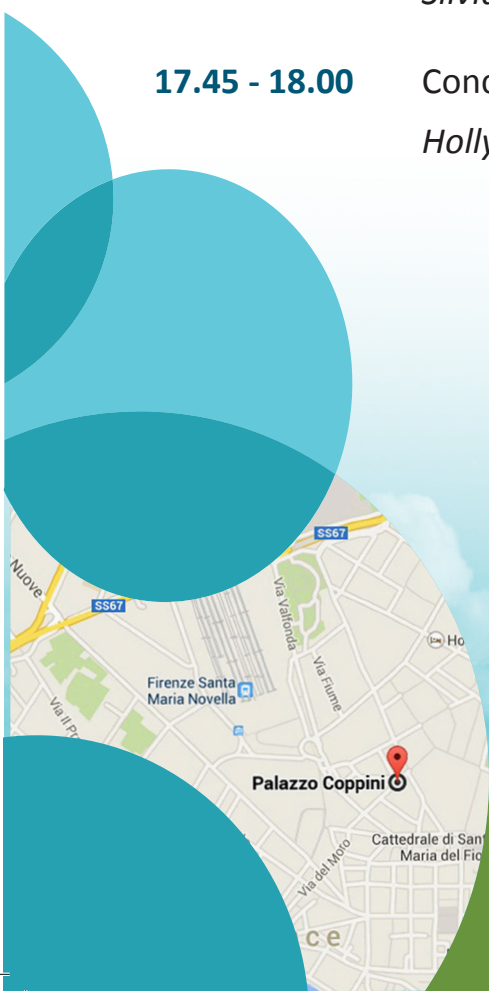


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Agenda

- 14.30 - 15.00** General overview of the LoCloud project, and how local cultural institutions can get involved.
Kate Fernie, National Archives of Norway, Norway
- 15.00 - 15.45** Overview and demonstration of LoCloud mapping tools and cloud-based services for Europeana.
Dimitris Gavrilis, ATHENA Research Centre, Greece
- 15.45 - 16.30** Overview and demonstration of LoCloud Collections: a new collection management system for small to medium sized organisations to make their collections available online, and discoverable within Europeana
Holly Wright, Archaeology Data Service, University of York, UK
- 16.30 - 16.45** *Break*
- 16.45 - 17.15** Overview and demonstration of geographic location and map based services for local heritage within LoCloud services for Europeana
Siri Slettvåg, Avinet, Norway
- 17.15 - 17.45** Support for communities and cultural tourism
Silvia Alfreider, National Archives of Norway, Norway
- 17.45 - 18.00** Conclusions
Holly Wright, Archaeology Data Service, University of York, UK

We welcome your attendance!



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