

SUPPORTERS PROPOSAL

11th International Digital Curation Conference (IDCC2016)

22-25 February 2016, Mövenpick Hotel, Amsterdam

"Visible data, invisible infrastructure"

Background

Research data management, and digital curation generally, is becoming a mainstream academic activity. Universities and research institutions are ramping up support and putting in place infrastructure for it. Funding bodies are strengthening their requirements for it. Visionary researchers and practitioners are tackling the remaining barriers.

The success of this transition might be measured in two ways. First, is data recognised as a valuable scholarly output, enjoying the same visibility and prestige afforded to journal papers? Second, is the digital curation infrastructure so well embedded and supported that everyone can use it without a second thought?

Support IDCC16

The conference will attract attendees from all over the world and we anticipate an audience of 250. Our last conference which was held in London in February 2015 included delegates from USA and Europe as well as Australia, New Zealand, Singapore, Japan and Brazil; so a truly international event.

Supporting IDCC16 is a valuable opportunity for your organisation to demonstrate active involvement in the area of digital curation and gain access to a wide spectrum of stakeholders, leaders and decision makers in the digital curation community. Through evaluation of previous events it is proven that delegates highly value the networking opportunities – supporters of IDCC16 will be able to access this value.

Below are suggested ways in which you can support IDCC16, though we would welcome any contribution of support, however small. Please contact info@dcc.ac.uk to discuss other ways to support the event.

Support packages

Support Package	Requested Contribution	Number Available
Student places	£150	10
AV provision	£550	2
Conference refreshment break	£1,000	6
USB memory sticks	£2,500	1
Live streaming and recording of presentations	£2,000	1
Pre-conference drinks reception at the EYE on Monday 22 February 2016	£5,000	1
Conference lunch	£5,000	2
The Matterhorn Suite conference room	£7,500	2
Conference dinner and drinks at the Mövenpick Hotel on the evening of Tuesday 23 February 2016	£10,000	1

These options represent the main opportunities for support but there are many other ways in which you can support the conference e.g. onsite photographer, support of specific sessions, panels and workshops, awards for best paper and posters etc.

Many thanks for your support!

IDCC16 Programme Committee Chairs:

Kevin Ashley, Director of the Digital Curation Centre

Cliff Lynch, Executive Director of the Coalition for Networked Information

Liz Lyon, Visiting Professor at the iSchool of the University of Pittsburgh

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For further information about IDCC16 visit www.dcc.ac.uk/events/idcc16/