In the Spotlight

Ten Questions with Ron Dekker

In this video interview, outgoing CESSDA Director Ron Dekker talks us through the developments he has overseen during his tenure and his thoughts on the road ahead.

Applications for the role remain open until 15 December.

News

Let us know if you have any stories you would like to feature in the CESSDA newsletter.

10 December 2021

HumMingBird Project – latest Consortium and new publications

HumMingBird is a Horizon 2020 project looking at changing migration patterns. The last consortium meeting took place on 9-10 December and three new publications have been released: a report on legacy media coverage of migrants; an analysis of highly skilled migration in Europe; and a report on the developed indicators for nowcasting stock migration by Twitter data.

10 December 2021

IASSIST 2022 - submission deadline extended

Proposals may be submitted until 20 December 2021.

10 December 2021

Highlights from the CESSDA Roadshow - COVID-19
The CESSDA Roadshow on COVID-19 was the first of five deep dives on the value of the Data Catalogue® and Data Management Expert Guide® supporting researchers from the social sciences in tackling global challenges.

3 December 2021

**Significant similarities in the open data work in Sweden and Iceland**

Örnólfur Thorlacius from the Icelandic data repository [DATICE](https://datice.is) recently visited the Swedish National Data Service (SND). This visit was made possible by the CESSDA Mentorship Programme and ERASMUS (Örnólfur is pictured here with Iris Alfredsson from SND).

16 November 2021

**DARIAH Annual Event 2022: Call for Papers now open**

The DARIAH Annual Event has issued a call for papers on the topic of storytelling. The Annual Event will take place 31 May-3 June as a hybrid meeting. The deadline for submissions is 11 February 2022.

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**Funding and international collaboration**

**COESO Open Call - Citizen Science projects in Social Sciences and Humanities.**

€50,000 is available for five new innovative Citizen Science projects in Social Sciences and Humanities.

**Financial support for attending the IASSIST Conference**

Applications will close one week after the announcement of accepted proposals.

**Research Data Alliance Open Call for Maintenance Facilities**

Research Data Alliance (RDA) is looking to contract an individual or an organisation who can provide technical tools to organise and curate, over time, RDA outputs.
15 December 2021

**Live podcast: Leading Data Communities – A CESSDA/ICPSR Discussion**

18-20 January 2022

**Swiss ORD Hackathon**

26 January 2022

**FAIRsFAIR 2022 Public Session**

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**Resources**

[ESFRI Roadmap 2021](#)

[New European Research Area - Towards a Responsible Knowledge-Driven Society of the 3rd Millennium](#)

[13th Annual European DDI User Conference (slides)](#)


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**Vacancies**

Director, CESSDA (**deadline 15 December**)

Student Assistant, GESIS (**deadline 19 December**)

Lecturer, GESIS (**deadline 6 January**)

PostDoc Natural Language Processing and Deep Learning, GESIS (**deadline 1 February**)

Let us know if you would like to advertise a vacancy at your institution.

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**Tell us what you think about the CESSDA Newsletter**

We would like to welcome our new subscribers who have signed up following the CESSDA Roadshow. We are continually looking for feedback on how we could improve our newsletter. Please fill in our short survey and let us know your thoughts.

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