

# Archiving with Quality - Implementing a Certified Digital Archive



#acdhARCHE

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# ARCHE

- ▶ ARCHE = A Resource Centre for the HumanitiEs
- ▶ An archive for the humanities
- ▶ Implements the OAIS Reference Model for an Open Archival Information System
- ▶ [arche.acdh.oeaw.ac.at](http://arche.acdh.oeaw.ac.at)



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# HISTORY

- ▶ ARCHE supersedes CLARIN Centre Vienna / Language Resources Portal (<https://clarin.oeaw.ac.at>)
- ▶ It focused on digital language resources
- ▶ It was active from 2014-2017
- ▶ Data from LRP was migrated to ARCHE
- ▶ ARCHE is designed for a broader spectrum of data from all humanities fields

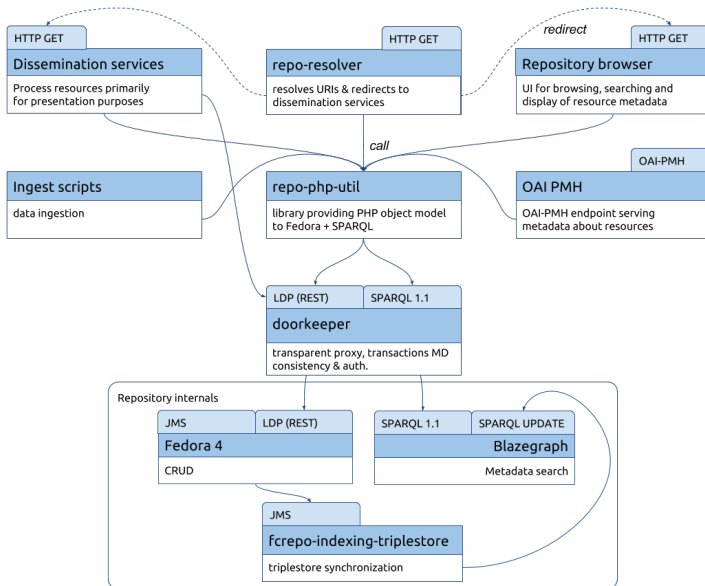
# CERTIFICATION

- ▶ ARCHE is intended to become a certified trustworthy archiving system complying with the requirements of the Data Seal of Approval (DSA), now becoming the Core Trust Seal (CTS), and CLARIN Centre B.
- ▶ This demands for
  - ▶ a solid technical basis for storing and preserving
  - ▶ a metadata schema for discovery and dissemination
  - ▶ a user interface for search and reuse
  - ▶ policies and documentation for transparency
- ▶ Submitted in October 2017

# TECHNICAL BASIS

- ▶ Uses Fedora Commons, version 4
- ▶ Blazegraph as external triplestore metadata storage
- ▶ Custom PHP components:
  - ▶ repo-php-util
  - ▶ doorkeeper
  - ▶ OAI-PMH endpoint
  - ▶ Browser based on Drupal
  - ▶ Data type specific dissemination services
- ▶ Drupal for Browsing with custom dissemination services
- ▶ On GitHub: [acdh-oeaw](#)

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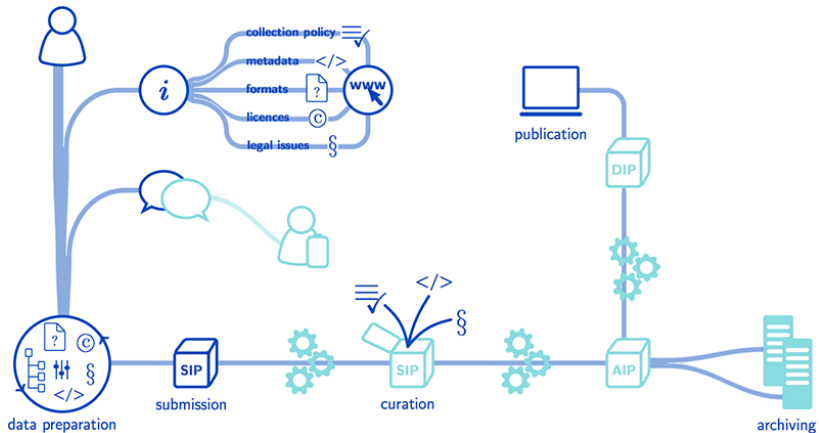
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# USER INTERFACE

- ▶ Live Demo!
- ▶ [arche.acdh.oeaw.ac.at](http://arche.acdh.oeaw.ac.at)

# DEPOSITION PROCESS



# NEXT STEPS

- ▶ Preservation Policy
- ▶ Consolidate curation workflow
- ▶ Automate curation workflow
- ▶ Language switch
- ▶ Further dissemination services
- ▶ Further improvements in user interface

# MORE

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