



# 21<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Theory & Practice of Digital Libraries (TPDL 2017)

## Call for Papers

18-21 September 2017

Grand Hotel Palace, Thessaloniki, Greece

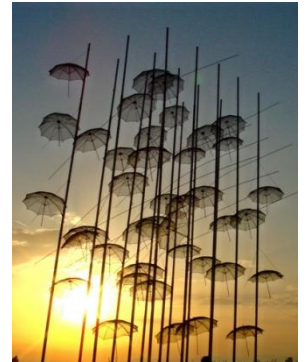
<http://www.tpd.eu/tpdl2017/>

### General Theme

The 21st version of the International Conference on Theory and Practice of Digital Libraries holds the general theme “Part of the Machine: turning complex into scalable” and wants to create a dialogue that will address the challenge of creatively transforming these highly synthesised environments into solutions that can scale for the benefit of varied communities.

Digital libraries are complex systems that respond to the needs of multiple communities with escalating requirements. Undoubtedly the effect of big data in research and development is immense and their collection, aggregation, analysis and interpretation is currently the main trend. However, smaller developments are equally interesting in giving the example of managing highly structured and organised information resources.

In this series of conferences, the dialectic between theory and practice is intense, but always aims to produce a state of the art imagery of digital libraries, or else networked information systems that affect the life of academia, education, culture, society and industry. The components of this “machinery” are interconnected and claim the skills and knowledge of multidisciplinary researchers.



### Topics

Contributions are welcomed in the following eight tracks, however, submissions are not limited to the topics included in these tracks: Digital Humanities, E-Infrastructures, Information Retrieval, Semantics, Users and Societies, Content, Data, Services. Details on <http://www.tpd.eu/tpdl2017/call-for-papers/>

### Important Dates

- Submission deadline for Workshops, Tutorials and Panels: **March 03, 2017**
- Notification on Workshops, Tutorials and Panels: **March 31, 2017**
- Submission deadline for Full and Short papers: **April 7, 2017**
- Submission deadline for Posters and Demonstrations: **April 14, 2017**
- Notification of acceptance for Papers, Posters, and Demonstrations: **May 26, 2017**
- Camera Ready Versions: **June 23, 2017**
- End of Early Registration: **July 21, 2017**

### Publication in Conference Proceedings

Proceedings will be published by [Springer-Verlag in Lecture Notes in Computer Science](#) (LNCS, ISSN 0302-9743) <https://goo.gl/XBoFbk>.

### Post-conference Journal Publication

Selected papers will be invited to submit extended version of their work for potential publication at the [International Journal of Digital Libraries](#) (IJDL, ISSN 1432-5012 - <https://goo.gl/GFZ8w2>).

