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Conference Objective

The Sixteenth International Conference on *Digital Presentation and Preservation of Cultural and Scientific Heritage—DiPP2026* aims at presenting innovative results, research projects and applications in the field of digitisation, documentation, archiving, representation and preservation of global and national tangible and intangible cultural and scientific heritage. The focus is on providing open access to digitised cultural heritage and setting up sustainable policies for its continuous digital preservation and conservation. The priority area is the digital presentation and preservation of cultural and historical objects under conditions of risk, including those from the Burgas region. The forum will demonstrate innovative technologies and prototypes which result from established practices and achievements in the field. Representatives from a number of public and specialised libraries, museums, galleries, archives, centres, and national as well as foreign research institutions and universities will be invited to participate and exchange experiences, ideas, knowledge and best practices of the field.

The principal organiser of the conference is the *Institute of Mathematics and Informatics, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences*. Co-organisers are Regional Academic Center of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences—Burgas, Regional Historical Museum—Burgas, Burgas Free University, Peyo Yavorov Regional Library—Burgas and Burgas State University "Prof. Dr. Assen Zlatarov". **DiPP2026** is organized under the patronage of *UNESCO* and the *Burgas Municipality*.

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- Workshop and 17th National Information Day: *Open Science, Open Data, Open Access, Bulgarian Open Science Cloud*.
- Workshop: *Transforming Vocational Education and Training through Digital Learning Frameworks for Sustainability Integration: A GreenComp-Based Approach*, organized by Burgas Free University in the frame of the international project TRANSFORMING TEACHING FOR A GREENER PLANET (GreenTeach) funded by the European Commission through the Erasmus+ programme, KA220-VET - Cooperation partnerships in vocational education and training.
- Fifth Information Day: *Research Infrastructure Services in the Humanities and Social Sciences*, organized by the Institute of Mathematics and Informatics, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences in the frame of the CLaDA-BG, the Bulgarian National Interdisciplinary Research e-Infrastructure for Resources and Technologies in favor of the Bulgarian Language and Cultural Heritage, part of the EU infrastructures CLARIN and DARIAH, Grant number DO1-97/26.06.2025.

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