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Text encoding with era mass digitization

Ninth annual conference and members' meeting Text Encoding Initiative Consortium (TEI)

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Text encoding is a fundamental technology for digital communication, text representation, electronic publication, and archiving. The Text Encoding Initiative (TEI) is a community-based, interdisciplinary and cooperative organization involving cultural heritage professionals, academic researchers, projects, vendors, and standards bodies. The main task of the consortium is the development, maintenance, and support of its Guidelines for Electronic Text Encoding and Interchange.

The TEI conference and members' meeting is the annual gathering point for the TEI community and an increasingly important event in the Digital Humanities calendar. It offers an excellent opportunity to meet with colleagues, learn about new projects, share research, and find out about new developments in the TEI and text encoding more generally. The conference and meeting welcomes newcomers and experienced scholars and practitioners alike for:

- a full academic conference program with invited speakers, peer-reviewed papers, posters, tool demonstrations, round table discussions
- meetings of Special Interest Groups, communities of TEI users focused on specific problems and applications
- a business meeting of the Consortium
- preconference workshops

The conference is open to all. Substantial discounts on the cost of registration are available to subscribers and members of the Consortium, to students, and to local attendees. Thanks to the support of our sponsors, we also usually are able to offer a small number of bursaries to students and junior scholars. Registration for the business meeting is free.

For information on joining the TEI as an individual or institution, visit http://www.tei-c.org/Membership/. If you or your institution would like to help sponsor the conference, please contact tei-meeting-2009@umich.edu.



