We are proud to announce that a proposal from DARIAH for a panel session at the Digital Humanities 2009 conference at the University of Maryland (22-25 June 2009) has been accepted. The panel session is entitled **"Supporting the Digital Humanities: putting the jigsaw together"**

This panel session will present various important current international initiatives which aim to support and take forward research in the digital humanities. In particular, it will identify the various problems that these different initiatives aim to address, compare the different approaches, and seek to draw out the connections, synergies and potential areas of overlap and competition in trying to build a coordinated environment for the next generation of advanced research.

Besides DARIAH, the panel will present CLARIN, Project Bamboo and CenterNet projects, and each speaker will address the following questions:

   -   What specific problems have you identified, and how is your initiative seeking to address them?
   -   What services, if any, do you ultimately aim to provide?
   -   How might you link with other related initiatives?
   -   What are the further elements of the jigsaw puzzle which are needed to create a coordinated and more complete research infrastructure?

Chair:
Martin Wynne, University of Oxford

Speakers:
Steven Krauwer, Utrecht University (CLARIN)
Sheila Anderson, King's College, London (DARIAH)
Chad Kainz, University of Chicago (Project Bamboo)
Neil Fraistat, University of Maryland (CenterNet)

More on the DH 2009 conference: http://www.mith2.umd.edu/dh09/