

Following the successful completion of the DARIAH preparatory phase project in February 2011, DARIAH has moved into the *transition phase*. During the *transition phase*, DARIAH will submit an application to the European Commission to establish a [European Research Infrastructure Consortium \(ERIC\)](#).

This legal framework will facilitate the long-term sustainability of DARIAH. Following the successful ERIC application, the DARIAH construction phase will begin in January 2012.

A new DARIAH-EU website is currently being developed. Once launched, the current website which is from the DARIAH preparatory phase project, will be archived. In the meantime, if you require any further information about DARIAH, please do not hesitate in contacting the **DARIAH -EU Coordination Office** :  
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