

Work package 6 – Legal work

The general objective is to solve any legal issues related to the construction and/or exploitation of DARIAH. There are three major activities:

1) Draft the consortium agreement:

The activities under this heading are about the legal entity of DARIAH. Activities include:

- Establishing the preferred legal entity for DARIAH,
- Drafting an agreement about roles and responsibilities of (future) partners of DARIAH, and
- Drafting an accession form that can be used by possible future partners.

2) Draft licence agreements:

The second legal issue concerns DARIAH's licence agreements for receiving, processing and disseminating data. Activities in this area include:

- Analysing laws, regulations and initiatives concerning intellectual property rights, the European Database Directive and preservation of and access to data,
- Analysing privacy regulations in the EU and beyond, and
- Drafting general licence agreements in accordance with (inter)national IPR initiatives and privacy and other relevant regulations.

3) Draft product and service contracts:

Contracts for DARIAH's services and products will be provided for. Special attention should be paid to intellectual property rights as well as the protection of personal data or other confidential data.

Agreements and contracts need to be applicable in at least the countries involved in the preparatory stage.