Final CESSDA SaW Conference
Widening the European infrastructure for
Social Science data archives
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Widening activities in 2018
(CESSDA Work Plan 2018)

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Widening efforts

- WP2018 Widening activities in 2018 (Jindřich Krejčí, ČSDA)

- Joining CESSDA ERIC: Lessons from Slovakia (Milo Bahna, SASD)

- The path to rejoining CESSDA (Adrian Duša, RODA)
Widening European coverage

“...Consortium of European Social Science Data Archives (CESSDA) will build on existing national services within the member countries and strengthen and expand pan-European cooperation through close cooperation in the field of research and development in social science data archives for both scientific and economic reasons" 

Statutes of CESSDA ERIC, Preamble

- distributed infrastructure based on co-operation and integration of national data services
- ambitions to provide pan-European services ("irrespective of the location of data and researchers in the European Research Area")
Widening efforts & support to emerging and immature national data services

- "old CESSDA"
- Collaborative projects
  - East European Data Archive Network (EDAN)
  - REGIO (network of Central European archives)
  - CESSDA-PPP, 2008-2010
  - Support for Establishment of National/Regional Social Science Data Archives (SERSCIDA), 2012-2014
  - South-Eastern European Data Services (SEEDS), 2015-2017
- CESSDA Work Plan - systematic effort
- 2015 - 2017: CESSDA SaW
WP 2018: CESSDA Widening Activities 2018

- continuity of long-term CESSDA widening efforts
- builds on CESSDA SaW, SEEDS, SERSCIDA & older

- to maintain and foster the Network of CESSDA Partners
- to help disseminating existing CESSDA support services, tools and knowledge among CESSDA Partners
- to maintain and further develop CESSDA strategic knowledge about existing non-member data services and emerging national data archiving activities
- to increase CESSDA visibility in non-member countries
- 01-12/2018; Kick-off meeting December 2018, Ljubljana
- Participants: CSDA, FORS, ADP, TARKI, DANS, SND
- Target groups:
  - aspiring non-member SPs and other archiving activities in Europe;
  - CESSDA management and support and tools developers.
1. Overview of the available sources for data service building and knowledge and capacity development

- review of tools, documents, support services, and other results relevant to widening
- development of a guide into the resources
- gap analysis based on feedback from non-member SPs
- the guide will be integrated into the Knowledge Sharing Platform
2. CESSDA Widening Workshop 2018

- 1.5 day event; budget for invitation of approx. 30 participants

- Target groups
  - Non-member SPs
  - CESSDA ERIC MO, CESSDA developers and service providers
  - Ministerial representatives: former CESSDA AS GA, aspiring members based on recommendations from MO

- Content
  - promotion: benefits from CESSDA ERIC membership
  - Widening strategies
  - State-of-play and recent developments at CESSDA Partners
  - CESSDA support for data service building - feedback from both, recipients and providers
  - Platform for meeting in between non-members, CESSDA MO and providers of CESSDA support

- October - November 2018
3. Setting up a system of monitoring of the state-of-play at non-members

- Development of a monitoring system (to offer it to CESSDA for purposes of future continuous monitoring)
  - regular short surveys at CESSDA Partners
  - living document, which will be continuously updated
- 1-st monitoring survey
- Report on recent developments (based on information gathered at the workshop and survey)
Thanks for your attention and see you on CESSDA Widening Workshop 2018