International Organizations and Projects related to Rare Books and Manuscripts

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http://www.ifla.org/VII/s18/index.htm

**ALA-RBMS** (www.rbms.nd.edu)
American Library Association - Rare Books and Manuscripts Section
- Conferences
- Publications
- Standards
- Resources

**APHA** (www.printinghistory.org)
American Printing History Association
- Conferences
- Lectures

**BIBLIOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY** (www.bibsoc.org.uk)
- Meetings
- Publications
- Grants

**BOOK ARTS WEB** (www.philobiblon.com)
- Gallery
- Listserv
- Links

**BSA**
Bibliographical Society of America (www.bibsocamer.org)
- Meetings
- Fellowships
- Publications
- Links

**CERL** (www.cerl.org)
Consortium of European Research Libraries
- Hand Press Book-file
- Thesaurus of persons and place names

**CHILDE** (www.bookchilde.org)
Children's Historical Literature Disseminated throughout Europe
- Access to images from collections of early children's books in Europe

**CoOL** (http://palimpsest.stanford.edu)
Conservation online
- Resources for conservation professionals
ECPA (www.knaw.nl/ecpa)
European Commission on Preservation and Access
- Information
- Training
- Conferences
- Projects

ESTC (www.bl.uk/collections/early/holdingenglish.html)
English Short Title Catalogue
- Descriptions and holdings information for letterpress materials printed in Great Britain or any of its dependencies in any language—as well as for materials printed in English anywhere else in the world

GW (www.gesamtkatalogderwiegendrucke.de)
Gesamtkatalog der Wiegendrucke.
- International bibliography of incunabula.

ILAB / LILA (www.ilab.org)
International League of Antiquarian Booksellers / Ligue Internationale de la Librairie Ancienne
- Organisation of national associations of antiquarian booksellers around the world

INKA (www.ub.uni-tuebingen.de/pro/kata/inka.php)
Inkunabelkatalog deutscher Bibliotheken.
- Metacatalogue of incunabula in German libraries

ISTC (www.bl.uk/collections/hoinc.html#iistc)
Incunabula Short-Title Catalogue
- Descriptions and locations of incunabula around the world

KALLIOPE (www.kalliope-portal.de)
- Union catalogue of personal papers and autographs in Germany

KVK (www.ubka.uni-karlsruhe.de/kvk/kvk/kvk_en.html)
Karlsruher Virtueller Katalog
- Worldwide metacatalogue

LEAF (www.leaf-eu.org)
Linking and Exploring Authority Files
- Pan-European "Central Name Authority File"

LIBER (www.kb.dk/guests/intl/liber)
Ligue des Bibliothèques Européennes de Recherche
- Ensure the preservation of the European cultural heritage
- Improve access to collections in European research libraries
- Provide more efficient information services in Europe

LIBWEB (sunsite.berkeley.edu/Libweb)
Library servers via www
- Keyword search for location, library type and name
MALVINE (www.malvine.org)
Manuscripts and Letters via Integrated Networks in Europe
- Simultaneous distributed search over selected European manuscript catalogues
- Enhancement of data exchange between heterogeneous systems

MANUSCRIPTA MEDIAEVALIA (www.manuscripta-mediaevalia.de)
Medieval manuscripts in German libraries
- Catalogue
- Digitized manuscripts
- Iconography

MEDIUM (www.irht.cnrs.fr/ressources/medium_frame.htm)
Microfilms of mediaeval manuscripts at the Institut de Recherche et d'Histoire des Textes, Paris

NOVUM REGESTRUM (www.bne.es/abinia/index.html)
- Collective catalogue from the 15th to 19th centuries held in Latin-American, Spanish and Portuguese libraries

RARE BOOKS ON THE WEB
(www.geocities.com/albertmasters/rarebooksontheweb.html)
- Links

RAREBOOKS.INFO (www.rarebooks.info/rubrique_home/home.asp)
- Online bibliographies on rare books
- Events

REPOsitories of primary SOURCES (www.uidaho.edu/special-collections/Other.Repositories.html)
- Listing of over 5500 websites describing holdings of manuscripts, archives, rare books, historical photographs etc.

RESOURCES FOR THE HISTORY OF BOOKS AND PRINTING
(http://dept.english.upenn.edu/~traister/hbp.html)
- Numerous links

SDD (www.ag-sdd.de)
Sammlung deutscher Drucke
- Distributed German National Library of printed books

SEPIA (http://www.knaw.nl/ecpa/sepia/home.html)
Safeguarding European Photographic Images for Access
- Information
- Training

SHARP (www.sharpweb.org)
Society for the History of Authorship, Reading and Publishing
- Global scholarly network
- Listserv
- Publications
- Links to many bookhistorical collections, projects and online resources

**SIGLE** (www.cas.org/online/dbss/sigless.html))
System of Information for Grey Literature in Europe
- bibliographic database covering European non-conventional (so called grey) literature

**STCN** (www.kb.nl/stcn)
Short-Title Catalogue, Netherlands
- bibliography of all publications printed in the Netherlands before 1801

**TIDEN** (http://tiden.kb.se)
Nordic Digital Newspaper Library
- Digitisation and Access to Scandinavian Newspapers 1640-1860

**VD16** (www.vd16.de)
Bibliography of books printed in the 16th century in German-speaking countries

**VD17** (www.vd17.de)
Bibliography of books printed in the 17th century in German-speaking countries