Göttingen University founds eResearch Alliance
Support of research and teaching by means of digital infrastructures in Göttingen

eResearch addresses the use of technology and information science methods in all phases of the research lifecycle, including teaching and learning. eResearch requires efficient and innovative research and information infrastructures.

As the first University in Germany, Göttingen now founded an eReserach Alliance, providing institutional support for academics all over the campus.

Technology and information infrastructures across the campus shall be coordinated, adapted and further developed according to current and future standards as well as offered cost-efficiently and sustainably. The eResearch Alliance will be jointly managed by Göttingen State and University Library (SUB) and the Göttingen Society for Scientific Data Processing GmbH (GWDG) which have a longstanding tradition with a great number of successful projects in the area of eResearch. The joint offers of the Alliance will be developed and established in close collaboration with researchers of the Göttingen Research Campus, an organization consisting of Göttingen University itself and eight research institutions located in Göttingen.

"Considering the massively growing need for IT-supported eResearch services and an increasing penetration of research disciplines by digital research and information infrastructures, the eResearch alliance will play an important role for the future of Göttingen as a place of research" Prof Dr. Norbert Lossau, Vice-President of Göttingen University reposnsible for infrastructures points out:. Services to be developed by the eResearch Alliance over the next years cover the development of digital Infrastructures for the sciences, the humanities and the social sciences including advisory and training acitivities as well as services for research data management. For further information, please see http://www.e-research.uni-goettingen.de

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