

## Library Science Talk

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December (15:30) at the University of Geneva  
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*DRIVER project: building a European repository network*

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DRIVER is an EC-funded project seeking to enhance repository development worldwide. Its main objective is to build a virtual, European scale network of existing institutional repositories using technology that will manage the physically distributed repositories as one large scale virtual content source. DRIVER II, funded by the 7th Framework Programme of the European Commission, is the continuation of the first DRIVER phase. Whereas DRIVER concentrated effort on infrastructure building for scholarly text repositories, DRIVER-II will extend the scope to cover other resource types including datasets. Geographical coverage will also be extended and DRIVER will move from a test-bed to a production-quality infrastructure. Services meeting specific requirements will be built on top. The infrastructure is complemented by several user services including search, data collection, profiling, and recommendations by the end user.

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