CLARIN & Research Libraries:
A Very Short Introduction

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CLARIN

CLARIN in eight bullets

- **CLARIN** is the Common Language Resources and Technology Infrastructure

- **ESFRI** ERIC status since 2012, Landmark since 2016

- that provides easy and sustainable access for scholars in the **humanities and social sciences** and beyond

- to **digital language data** (in written, spoken, video or multimodal form)

- and **advanced tools** to discover, explore, exploit, annotate, analyse or combine them, wherever they are located

- through a **single sign-on** environment

- that serves as an ecosystem for **knowledge sharing**

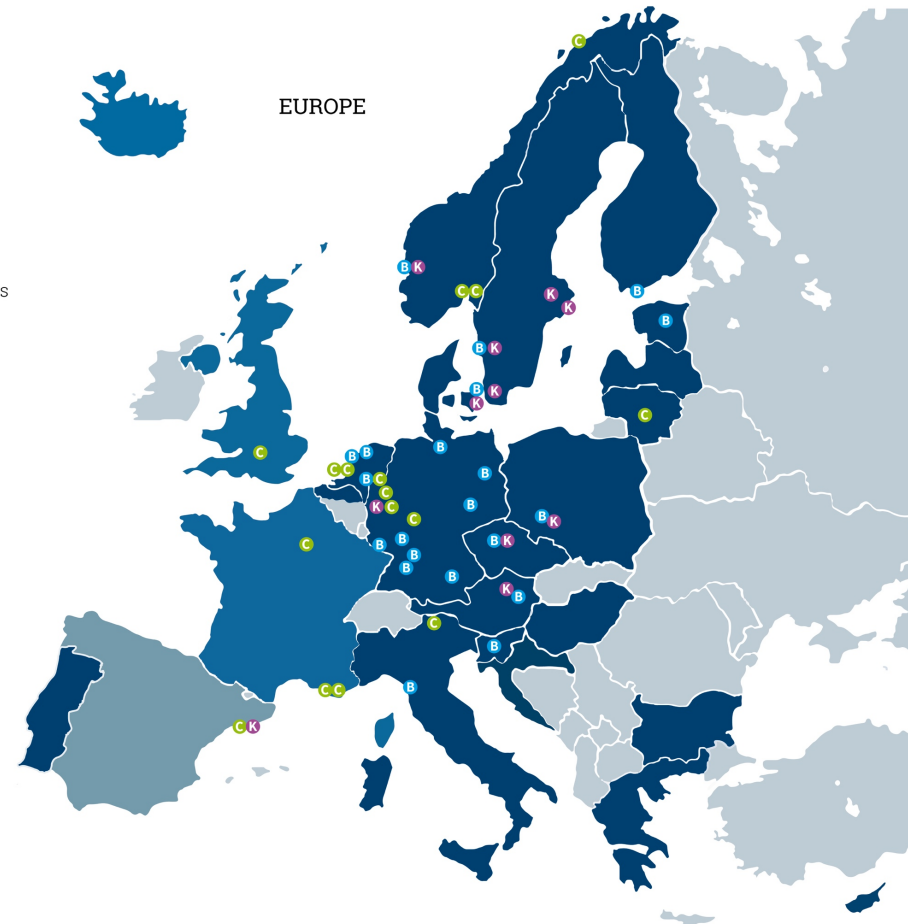- and: ready for **integration in EOSC**

CLARIN ERIC in members and centres

A consortium of:

- 21 members: AT, BG, CY, CZ, DE, DK, DLU, EE, FI, GR, HR, HU, IT, LT, LV, NL, NO, PL, PT, SE, SI

- 4 observers: IS, FR, SA, UK;

- >40 centres

CLARIN

- ■ ERIC members
- ■ Observers
- ■ Countries with participating centres
- Ⓑ Centre Providing Data
- Ⓒ Centre Providing Metadata
- Ⓚ Knowledge Centre

EUROPE

USA

SOUTH AFRICA

CLARIN in data types

- Newspaper archives
- Literary texts
- Social Media data
- Parliamentary records
- Historical letters
- Oral History data
- Disciplinary libraries
- Institutional archival data
- Broadcast archives
- …

Collaboration with research libraries

- Collaboration on a national scale:
  - Several national consortia include research libraries

- Collaboration on a supranational scale:
  - LIBER: MoU, SSHOC
  - Europeana: DSI-4

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