



Text Analysis in Humanities & Social Science

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Increasingly, scholars operating in a wide array of disciplines use computational methods to study digital texts. These digital texts include but are not limited to journal articles, professional proceedings, government documents, novels, websites, and social media (Twitter, Facebook, among others). How can the content of these sources be collected and analyzed to infer the underlying structure and dynamics of human intent or behavior? What computational hurdles and opportunities exist to fruitfully utilize this digitized information in the context of (inter)disciplinary questions? What leverage does digital text as a medium offer vs. its analog antecedents? To what extent do computational methods align, complement, or diverge from methods used to study analog text? This LOCUS will gather scholars together to explore these questions in the context of specific research projects and/or pedagogical applications.

For more information about LOCUS, visit <http://digitalhumanities.msu.edu/locus>

Event Date & Time

Wednesday, April 9, 2015
3:00–5:30 p.m.
MSU Main Library, 3-West
REAL Classroom

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Open: 03/17/2015
Closed: 03/31/2015

Guidelines:

- 7–10 minute presentation time
- Presentations may be:
 - Works in progress
 - Completed projects
 - Demonstrations of a method, tool, or resource
 - Share the “seed” of an idea

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