



Dear SIG4 members,

After this long summer and a sunny SIG4 conference (see below), we hope that you had an easy transformation to this year's fall. In this newsletter we have:

1. Renew your SIG4 membership for 2019

Have you already renewed your SIG4 (EARLI) membership for 2019? If not, you will miss all the info about SIG4 (usually, newsletters are sent only to current members). You can renew your SIG4 membership in EARLI's system: <https://www.earli-eapril.org/login>

2. SIG 4 Conference, Giessen, August 2018

On behalf of the organizing team, in particular Edith Braun and myself: Thank you all for coming to Giessen and making this conference so special. We really enjoyed it and are happy that it was a truly international meeting.

If you are interested, here are some (albeit not in best quality) pictures of the conference: <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1qdbGAzWaKfMtGuomQjpwTodlre25XZGg?usp=sharing>
Please send a message to us, if there are any pictures in this list that might violate your rights.

We will soon get into contact with all of you who participated at the conference, with the request for evaluating and giving feedback to us about your experience.

3. Call for submission EARLI 2019 and JURE 2019

Just a quick reminder: The submission tools for the next EARLI and JURE conferences are open and waiting for your submission (deadline: 30 October 2018):

EARLI: <https://www.earli.org/EARLI2019>

JURE: <https://www.earli.org/JURE2019>

We are looking forward to meeting many SIG4 members in Aachen!

4. Symposia and SIG4 invited symposium at EARLI 2019

If you have an idea for a symposium at EARLI 2019 and are looking for other contributors, please consider consulting our "support file":

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1sraKQTPeGxZoMJbRaP8ej4cxg01_pN0O21r5p73W7sw/edit?usp=sharing

We encourage you to get into contact with like-minded people who might want to participate in a symposium!

As for the SIG4 invited symposium: If you have organized a symposium and would like to suggest it as the Sig4 invited symposium at the EARLI 2019 (i.e. same format like a "normal" symposium but with more attention), please get into contact with Robert (address below) by 15

October. We, the SIG4 coordinators, will discuss and organize the symposium (if possible) by end of the year.

5. New SIG4 coordinator from 2019

In 2019, Robert will leave the coordinator position. Although there is still some time, we already want to raise this issue: If you think that you might be interested in following him as a SIG4 coordinator, please contact us via email by January 2019!

6. Remember to follow us on Twitter or Facebook

We use these accounts to share important news and events in our community. If you want us to retweet something among our members, just tag us under @Earlisig4

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/earlisig4>

Facebook group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/202871616757905/>

7. Something important missing here?

If you have information (conference calls, calls for participation for special issues...) that you want to share in the SIG4 newsletter (or on the SIG4 Facebook site or on Twitter), please send your information to us (or share directly on Facebook). Please take into account that the newsletter is the "slowest" of these media.

Please do not hesitate to ask us in case you have any questions, comments, or critical remarks. We will be happy to get into contact with you.

Kind regards,

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