

PUBLIC SUPPORT FOR LANGUAGE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

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„NATIONAL NODE FOR LANGUAGE TECHNOLOGIES“ – LARGE RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE *LINDAT/CLARIAH-CZ*

● Program for „Large Research Infrastructures“

- ***Large Research Infrastructure:*** According to Paragraph 2, Article 2, Letter (d) of the Act No 130/2002 Coll., on support of research, experimental development and innovation from public funds and amending certain related acts (Act on Support of Research, Experimental Development and Innovation), a large research infrastructure is legally defined as a *“research infrastructure, which is a research facility necessary for comprehensive research and development with high financial and technological intensity, which is approved by the government and established for use by other research organisations.”*
- a unique facility with both national impact and international overlap. A large research infrastructure is thus “large” due to its unique expertise

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a) project funding (*projects LM...; LM2023062*) for LRI -> services provided by LINDAT/CLARIAH-CZ;

- funding period now till 2026, the next funding period starting from 2027 (-> expected to be for 8 years)

-> sustainability

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a) project funding (*projects LM...*)

- Administered by MEYS (Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports)
- Procedure for being approved for funding – 1. International Assessment, 2. political decision (by the Government of the Czech Republic)
- 4/8 years period

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- National consortium of 17 research institutions, providing services and tools for language research, but also for digital humanities
- Organised by Charles University (Faculty of Mathematics and Physics)

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b) „institutional“ funding

- Membership fees into ERICs and EDIC

ERIC = European **Research** Infrastructure Consortium;

- administered by MEYS

EDIC = European **Digital** Infrastructure Consortium;

- administrator – depends on the particular EDIC

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- Membership fees into ERICs and EDIC:
- **CLARIN ERIC** - *Common Language Resources and Technology Infrastructure*
- **DARIAH ERIC** - *Digital Research Infrastructure for the Arts and Humanities*
- **EHRI (ERIC)** - *European Holocaust Research Infrastructure*

- **ALT-EDIC** - *Alliance for Language Technologies*

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b) „institutional“ funding

- duration of the funding - accordingly to the ERICs and EDICs statutes (in case Czechia would decide to withdraw from the consortia; however, there is currently no intention to withdraw 😊)

c) funding for investments of LRIs

- *Johannes Amos Comenius Programme*
- Programme cofinanced by EU



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THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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