

MEMBERSHIP IN THE INTERNATIONAL INTERNET PRESERVATION CONSORTIUM

Membership in the International Internet Preservation Consortium (IIPC) is open to libraries, archives, museums and cultural heritage institutions everywhere that are interested in collecting and preserving Internet content.

Membership Benefits

- Participation in the emerging and exciting field of Web archiving with other cultural heritage institutions from around the world
- Contribution to the development of open source tools for nomination, acquisition, curatorship and preservation
- Participation in working groups and IIPC sponsored projects in the areas of tool development, standards and metadata and content management
- Share experiences with partners world-wide about collecting born digital content
- Training and workshops, led by experts in the field, in the deployment and implementation of tools such as Heritrix and Wayback Machine
- Learn first-hand about approaches to Web archiving, as well as new activities and tools under development
- Low institutional membership fee encourages wide participation of both large and small institutions

Achievements 2004-2008

- Further development of the open source Heritrix Web crawler and Wayback Machine
- Proposal and adoption of the WARC file format for Web archives
- Development of the Web Curator Tool, Netarchive Suite and NutchWAX search engine
- Survey to identify and classify many of the general conditions found on Web sites that influence the harvesting and quality of an archival crawl
- Creation of an open discussion list for curators of Web archives, for IIPC members and others interested in the topic

2008 Activities & Possible Future Activities

- Further development of open source tools Heritrix, Web Curator Tool and NutchWAX
- Development of WARC open source tools
- Discuss approaches and implement solutions to Web content preservation
- Strategies for collecting and curatorship
- Internationalization of current and future tools

IIPC members will further define additional projects and activities in 2009

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