A Digital Investigator for Historical Newspapers

In this project, humanities researchers, computer scientists, and librarians work together on historical newspapers of three national libraries (Austria, Finland, France)



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Case Study on Migration Return Migration 1850-1950

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The case study on migration attempts to reveal return migration processes to Europe between 1850 and 1950. It does so by asking the following questions: how and in what context were Austrian daily newspapers reporting on returnees and how did the reporting change over time?

The case uses digital methods like topic modeling and word embedding to create a subcollection for further qualitative analysis (discourse and argumentation analysis).

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