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Next Decade Planning Meeting**

Defining the Issues for Digital Libraries in the Context of International cooperation

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Major Digital Initiatives

Japanese Initiatives (selected)

National Diet Library 国会図書館	Kyoto University Digital Library 京都大学電子図書館	SSJ Data Archive, Institute for Social Science, Tokyo Univ. SSJデータ・アーカイブ	Nichibunken 日文研
University of Tokyo Library 東京大学図書館	International Research Institute for Zen Buddhism	Kokubungaku kenkyu shiryokan 国文学研究資料館	Digital Museum 2000 デジタルミュージアム

Initiatives concerning Japan done outside of Japan

The Asian Digital Resource project	Japanese Text Initiative - UVA 日本語テキストイニシアチブ	Pacific Rim Digital Library	CULCON Digital Culture Project
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Initiatives not Related to Japan

American Memory (LC)	German Resources Project on Digital Libraries	Electronic Cultural Atlas Initiative	Perseus Project	Duke's Digital Scriptorium	Cornell Digital Collections
California Digital Library	Electronic Centers UVA	MyLibrary@NCState	Variations	Project Open Book	Bartleby.com: Great Books Online

Information about Digital Libraries

- [ACM: ACM:Digital Library Search](#)
- [Berkeley Digital Library SunSITE](#)
- [DIGITAL LIBRARIES INITIATIVE - PHASE II - National Science Foundation](#)
- [Digital Libraries: A Selected Resource Guide](#)
- [Digital Library Definition \(ARL at DL SunSITE\)](#)
- [Digital Library Information \(Berkeley SunSITE\)](#)
- [Reviews of Digital Library Projects](#)
- [Scholarly Electronic Publishing Bibliography](#)

Technical issues

- Universal formats
- Unicode - strengths and shortcomings
- The question of rapid technology change (=quick obsolescence) versus longevity (=dependability)
- Why was the Prange Collection packaged in microfilm instead of digital medium?

Access

- Free, for fee, or membership?
- Finding aids
- Metadata, or Gateway for Japanese resources

The Big Picture

- Is there a big picture? Are we agreed on a plan?
- Do our efforts complement each other? Are they compatible?
- Leadership