The fields of cartography and geoinformation, like other fields of Science and Technology, face a growing need for preservation and archiving policies, methodologies, procedures and practices.

This workshop brings together international and national experts to discuss
- state-of-the-art digital archiving
- technological prerequisites, creation of archive input data
- document and multimedia archiving
- database archiving
- digital archive organisation, digital archive prototypes, archives management
- archive use, permanent and long-term accessibility

and other topics related to the application of digital archiving in the fields of cartography and geoinformation.

On the first day, international aspects will be discussed (English language), on the second day presentations and discussions will be in German language. On both days, there will be plenary discussions for compiling recommendations to international actors (Dec. 4th), and to national organisations (Dec. 5th).

*English language contributions will take part in a review process for the book „Archiving Cartographic Heritage“ in Springers Lecture Notes on Geoinformation and Cartography.*

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