



# APEF Newsletter

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The Archives Portal Europe Foundation  
monthly newsletter

## Dear APEF friends

Welcome to the [Archives Portal Europe Foundation](#) Newsletter #10 !

The APEF Newsletter brings you all the news on the Archives Portal Europe Foundation and its network - plus interesting stories from the world of European archives.

If you want to contribute to the newsletter, please contact ([info@archivesportaleuropefoundation.eu](mailto:info@archivesportaleuropefoundation.eu))

## FROM APEF

### APEF ON TOUR

[Archives Portal Europe](#) participated to [Icarus #20](#) in Madrid on the 23-25 October – the Portal was introduced to archivists from all over the world as well as to students of history at the University of Madrid.

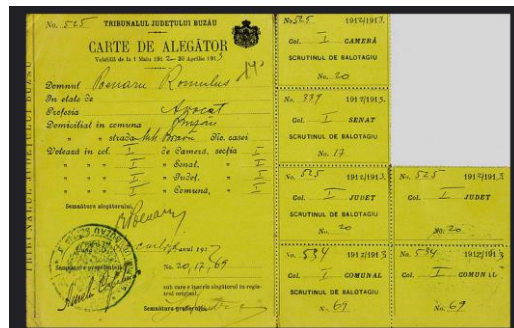
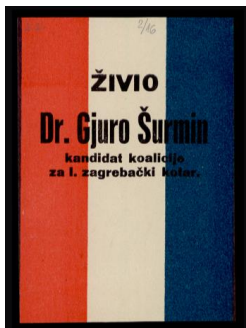
A few days later, APE was present at the [History Festival 2017](#), the annual festival of libraries, museums, and archival sources for historians, organised by the Institute of Historical Research. APE shared space with Archives Hub, The National Archives, and many other British partners. To catch up with the event, follow the hashtag **#Histday17**; to find out about the next APE presentation, follow our social media on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram!



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## #AllezDemocracy ! – THE DEMOCRATISATION OF EUROPE

The online exhibition in collaboration with [Europeana](#) continues! The campaign on the democratisation of Europe was launched on the 19<sup>th</sup> September, on social media and on the [Archives Portal Europe Foundation](#) website. The campaign will continue over the next months – to catch up and to contribute to the project, please visit the [dedicated page](#) on APEF’s website, or follow the hashtag **#AllezDemocracy**



## NEW CONTENT PROVIDERS

Four new Content Providers from France have joined Archives Portal Europe: the [Archives Départementales du Bas-Rhin](#); the [Archives Départementales du Cher](#); the [Archives Départementales de la Meuse](#); and the [Archives Départementales Des Landes](#).



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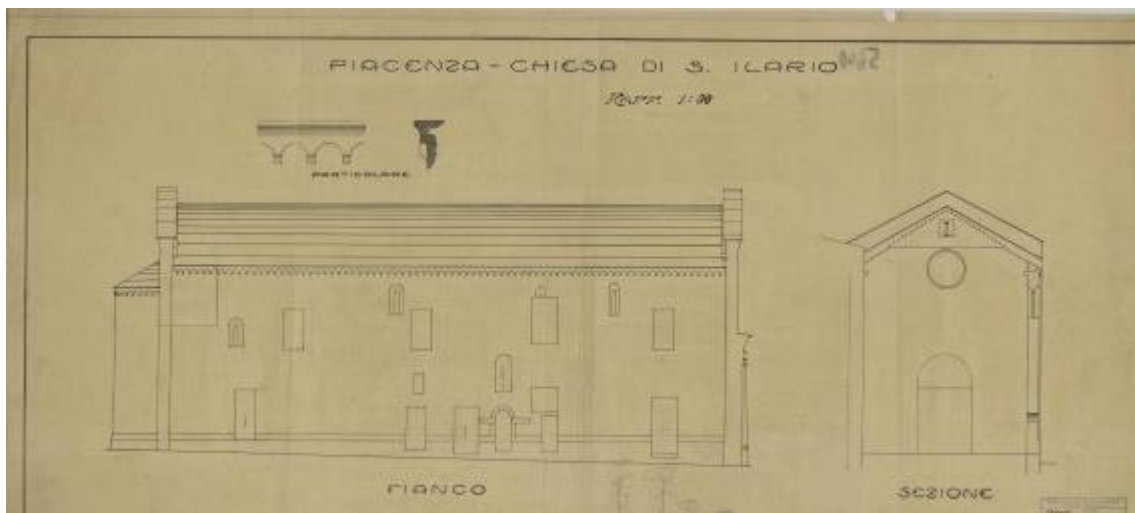
## COMING UP

### **EUROPEAN ARCHIVAL LANDSCAPE: REACHING OUT FOR NEW HORIZONS, Split – Trogir, 14-16 March 2018** **Call for Papers – deadline 15 January 2018**

The 4th Croatia ICARUS days & EURBICA Conference is coming up: "European archival landscape: Reaching out for new horizon". ICARUS Hrvatska together with the consortium ICARUS (International Center for Archival Research) , State Archives in Split, and other partners, are organising the 4<sup>th</sup> "Croatia ICARUS days". ICARUS and its members will present a variety of activities on digitization and protection of the written heritage as well as current archival projects and programs across Europe, including "co:op Monasterium", "Matricula", Topotheque, the European Flagship Project Time Machine. A call for paper to present at the conference is open; please send your application with abstract and short bio to [info.icarushr@gmail.com](mailto:info.icarushr@gmail.com) before January 15<sup>th</sup>

### **CHIESE DI PIACENZA – CHURCHES OF PIACENZA** **Online**

A virtual exhibitions of the churches of Piacenza, central Italy, has opened online: maps, prints, and drawings available for free [here](#)



## FEATURED DOCUMENTS



Our **Featured Documents** exhibition is back – this month is dedicated to the Coronation Diploma of King Francis Joseph I, thanks to the [Hungarian State Archives](#). In 1867, The Austro-Hungarian political agreement of 1867 which was reached as a result of heavy negotiations after a decade long Habsburg repression following the Hungarian Revolution and Freedom Fight back in 1848/49 enabled Emperor Francis Joseph to be crowned as king of Hungary. More on [Archives Portal Europe](#) #FeatDoc

## IN THE LOOP

### American archivists and the withdrawal from UNESCO

In October 2017 the Trump administration decided to withdraw the United States from the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO). The [SAA](#) (Association of American Archivists) does not support this decision and it has released a statement:

*On October 12, 2017, the Trump Administration announced its intention to withdraw from the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) in 2018 and seek to establish a permanent observer mission to the organization. The Society of American Archivists (SAA) does not support the administration's abandonment of an organization that is involved in important cultural work throughout the world. UNESCO's mission is to "contribute to peace and security by promoting collaboration among the nations through education, science, and culture. Its main concern is to foster and maintain intellectual solidarity." We urge the Trump Administration to reverse this decision and make preservation of and access to cultural heritage a priority. Renewing U.S. membership in UNESCO provides significant symbolic value of the U.S. role as a world leader. Full statement is available [here](#)*