Digitising Heritage

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The international workshop ‘Digitising Heritage’ brings together interdisciplinary studies concerned with the manifestation and distribution of heritage in digital form. The distribution of heritage (values) is more variegated than ever. Presenters will unravel the contestations surrounding the production of heritage as a concept and practice, with particular emphasis on questions of representation in museums, academic institutions, politics and history. How are we to make effective use of digital technologies to engage with heritage in a sustainable way? How do critical heritage concepts find expression as ‘environment’, ‘place-making’, ‘remembrance’, ‘law’ and ‘culture’ in the digital age?

Keynotes by Leah Barclay and Paul Turnbull

Confirmed speakers: Aaron Pattee, Ana Sanchez Laws, Dirk Labudde, Frederike Schmidt, Jana Keck, Maarten DeKieviet, Marijke von Faasens, Polly Lohmann, Rajan Khatiwoda, Rik Hoekstra, and Victoria Herche