SIEF 2015 in Zagreb

The archival activities were represented by four panels in Zagreb. The panels with a total of 26 papers were:

- Archives, digital collections, on-line databases and the internet
- Everyone an archivist? The role of participatory archives in creating cultural heritage
- Visions and traditions: the production of knowledge at the tradition archives
- Ethnographic archives: should we share or should we hide?

Dublin 2015, Believing in the Tradition Archive

A delegation of the Archives working group attended the conference Believing in the Tradition Archive, March 3, 2015, at the University College Dublin, Ireland.
The Archives of Latvian Folklore (University of Latvia) organized the conference ‘Towards Digital Folkloristics: research perspectives; archival praxis; ethical challenges’
http://lfk.lv/conference/

The expansion of digitally mediated environments and methods for folklore collecting, processing and research has become an axis for folklore research. The conference provided a manyfold view on folklore collecting, digitizing and crowd-sourcing activities from several parts of the globe.