

21st Century Access to Culture, Learning & Research

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Knowledge Rights 21 21st Century Access to Culture, Learning & Research

On the agenda ...

Why the Knowledge Rights 21 Programme?

What is the Programme?

Opportunities for Engagement

Over to you...





What *still* doesn 't work in copyright and related law?

What works in mobilising the energy and experience of libraries?

How to make our issues other people's issues also?

Why Knowledge Rights 21?



Libraries have a rich experience to share, but one that is not always heard

Advocacy for reform should be a team effort in order to be sustainable

There is unfinished business from the Digital Single Market Directive

Background



Thanks to the generosity of the Arcadia Fund

Running provisionally until July 2024

Covers Council of Europe Member States

Policy Committee, Management Committee and Secreatriat

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Identify, support and connect the work of national networks of libraries and library-allied groups

Regional coordinators and national grant-giving

Provide evidence in support of advocacy

Delivering Concrete Policy Reform



A better deal for library eLending

Contract override and technological protection measures

Flexible exceptions

Legislated secondary publishing rights

Rights retention

Achieving Change in Brussels



Influencing current EU legislation in relevant areas

Shaping future policy agendas

Influencing national policy discussions

Supporting national advocacy

Opportunities



Calls for tender on contract override, training (upcoming)

Regional coordinators

National grants

Brussels-national connections

Materials to draw on in advocacy



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