

# Time to explore, time to learn from the archived Web

Arquivo.pt training initiative

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# Agenda

1. Arquivo.pt
2. ROSSIO Infrastructure for Digital Humanities
3. Arquivo.pt training initiative

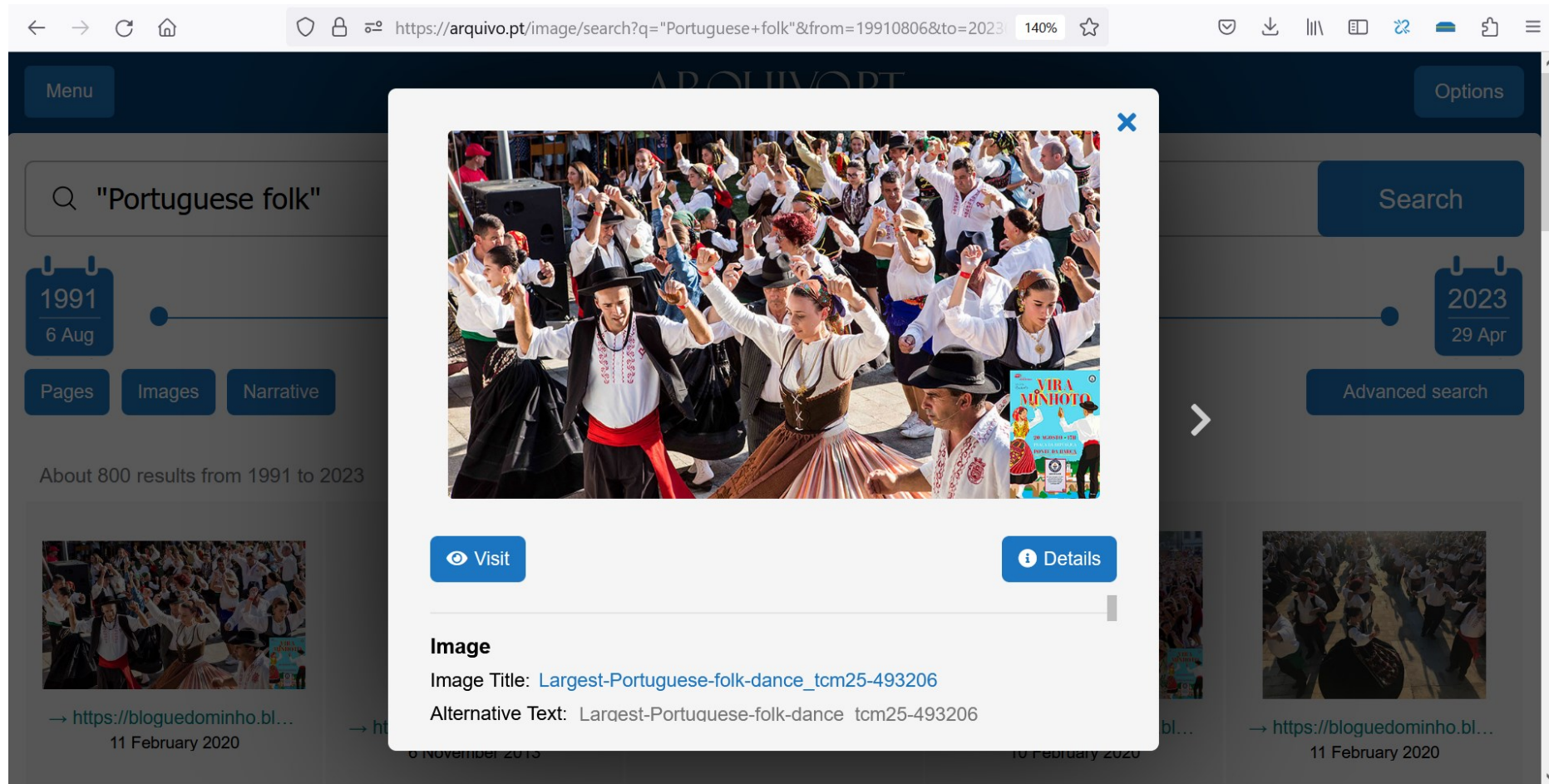
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## Arquivo.pt

# Arquivo.pt

- Portuguese public Web preservation service
- Provides a public search interface (by URL, text, image, and API)
- Aimed at academic research, but also at all citizens

# Arquivo.pt



[Example: a search for “Portuguese folk” on Arquivo.pt, the Portuguese Web Archive](#)

# Arquivo.pt

The screenshot displays the Arquivo.pt public interface. At the top, a dark blue header contains a 'Menu' button on the left and the 'ARQUIVO.PT' logo in the center. Below the header is a search bar with a magnifying glass icon and the placeholder text 'Words or URL', followed by a blue 'Search' button. To the left of the search bar is a date range selector showing '1991 6 Aug' and '2023 10 May' with a horizontal timeline between them. Below the date selector are three buttons: 'Pages', 'Images', and 'Narrative'. To the right of these buttons is an 'Advanced search' button. The main content area features a banner for the 'Arquivo.pt Award 2023'. The banner has a dark, artistic background with a large clock face and the text 'Arquivo.pt Award 2023' in white and yellow, and 'TRAVEL IN TIME' in large, stylized gold letters. A mouse cursor is visible over the banner.

Arquivo.pt public interface



# Arquivo.pt

[Menu](#)

ARQUIVO.PT

Search

1991  
6 Aug

2023  
11 May

[Pages](#)[Images](#)[Narrative](#)[Advanced search](#)

Arquivo.pt Award 2023

Arquivo.pt Award  
2023

TRAVEL IN  
TIME

Arquivo.pt public interface and the use of the narrative button that uses the external service *Tell me stories/Conta-me histórias*

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ROSSIO

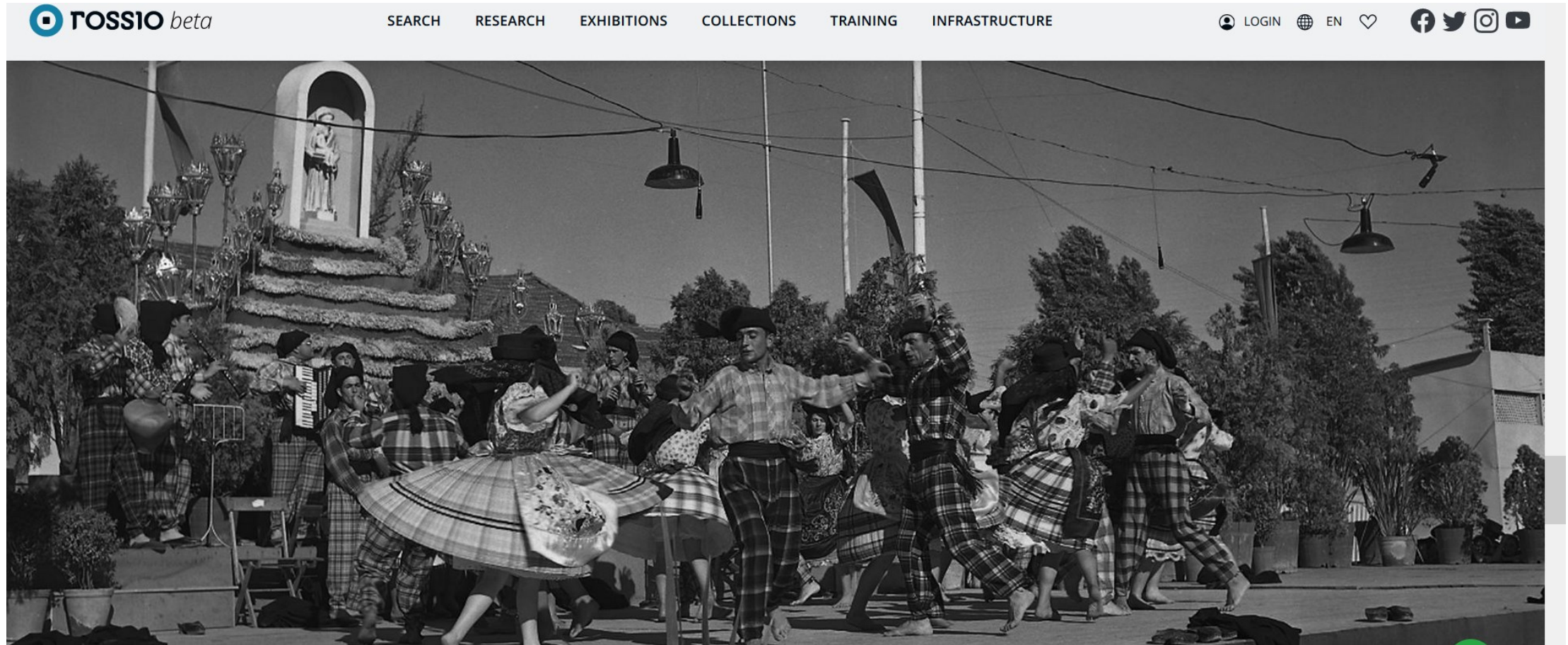


# ROSSIO

- Consortium of cultural and educational institutions
- Coordinated by the NOVA School of Social Sciences and Humanities of Lisbon
- Aggregates, contextualizes, enriches and disseminates digital content

Portuguese node of the [DARIAH.EU](https://dariah.eu)

# ROSSIO



Web portal of the ROSSIO Infrastructure: <https://rossio.pt>

# ROSSIO

ROSSIO *beta*

SEARCH RESEARCH EXHIBITIONS COLLECTIONS TRAINING INFRASTRUCTURE

LOGIN EN

SOCIAL SCIENCES, ARTS AND HUMANITIES

**Explore the ROSSIO portal!**  
**6 608 275** digital content  
**about the Portuguese cultural heritage!**

WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING FOR?

CONTENT PROVIDERS (38)

SEARCH

About the search

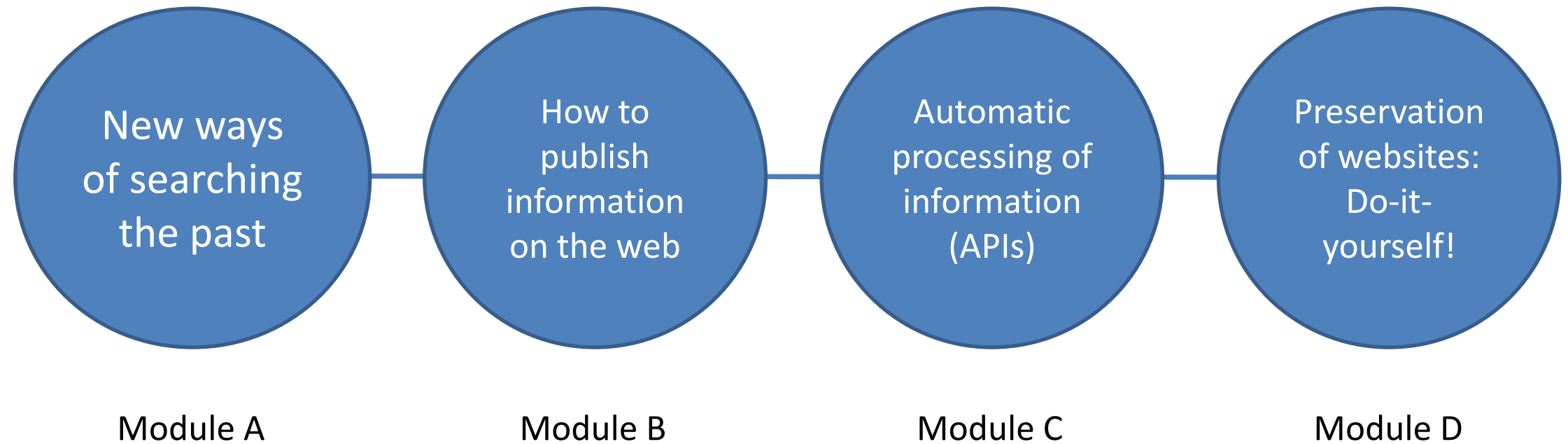
ROSSIO Vocabularies

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## Arquivo.pt training initiative

Café with Arquivo.pt  
Webinars Cycles

# Arquivo.pt training initiative



[arquivo.pt/training](https://arquivo.pt/training)

# Arquivo.pt training initiative



Module A



Module B



Module C

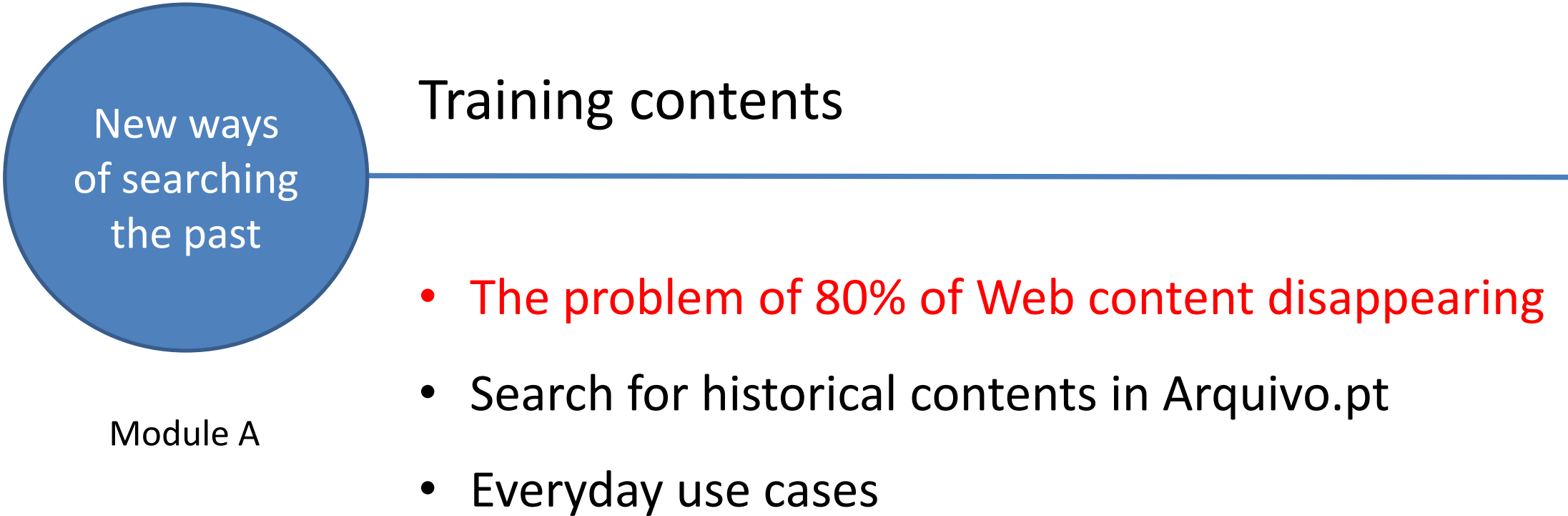


Module D

[arquivo.pt/training](https://arquivo.pt/training)



# Arquivo.pt training initiative

A diagram showing a blue circle on the left containing the text "New ways of searching the past". A horizontal blue line extends from the right side of the circle to the right edge of the slide. Below the circle is the text "Module A". To the right of the line is a bulleted list of three items.

New ways  
of searching  
the past


Module A

## Training contents

- The problem of 80% of Web content disappearing
- Search for historical contents in Arquivo.pt
- Everyday use cases



# Arquivo.pt training initiative



How to  
publish  
information  
on the web

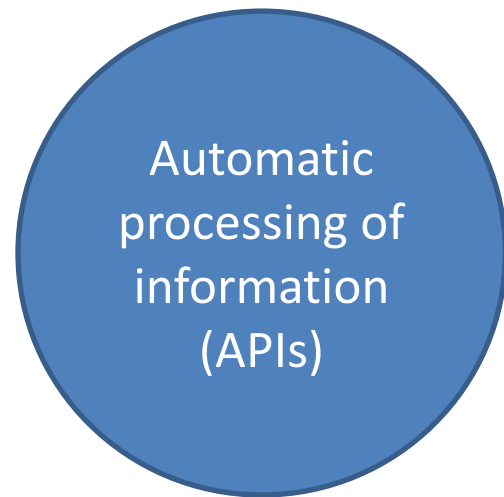
Module B

## Training contents

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- **Recommendations for publication**
- Robots.txt configuration
- Examples of poorly preservable Web publishing technologies

# Arquivo.pt training initiative



Automatic  
processing of  
information  
(APIs)

Module C

## Training contents

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- Arquivo.pt APIs
- CDXJ Indexes (arquivo.pt/api)
- Use cases

# Arquivo.pt training initiative

A blue circle containing the text "Preservation of websites: Do-it-yourself!".

Preservation  
of websites:  
Do-it-  
yourself!

Module D

## Training contents

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- Record Web contents locally in a standard format
- ArchiveWeb.page tutorial
- Practical exercises (websites, social media like Facebook, Twitter)

# Arquivo.pt training initiative



## Café with Arquivo.pt



# Arquivo.pt training initiative



2019



2020

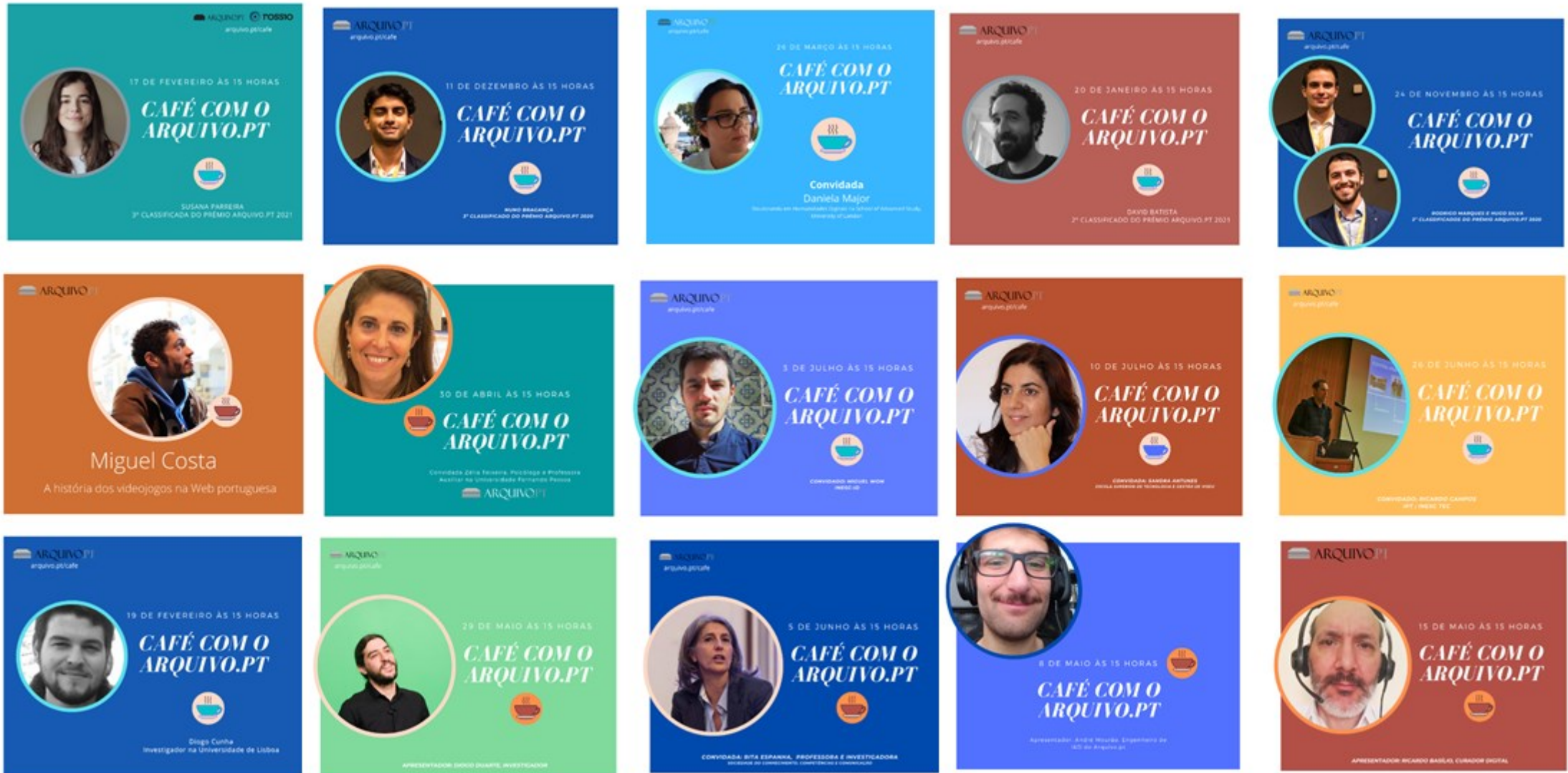
# Arquivo.pt training initiative - Café with Arquivo.pt

- 680 participants
- 23 sessions
- 30 participants/session
- 90% satisfaction

<https://arquivo.pt/onlinecafe>

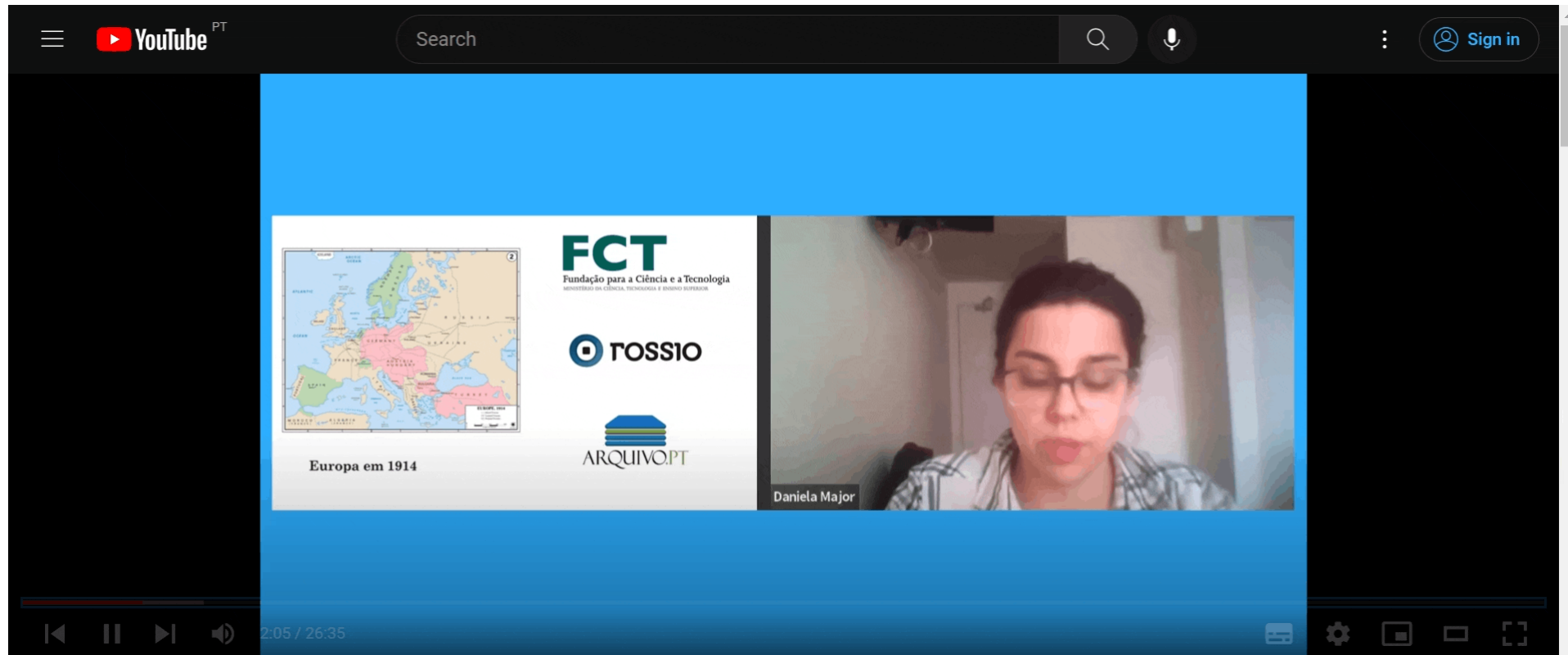


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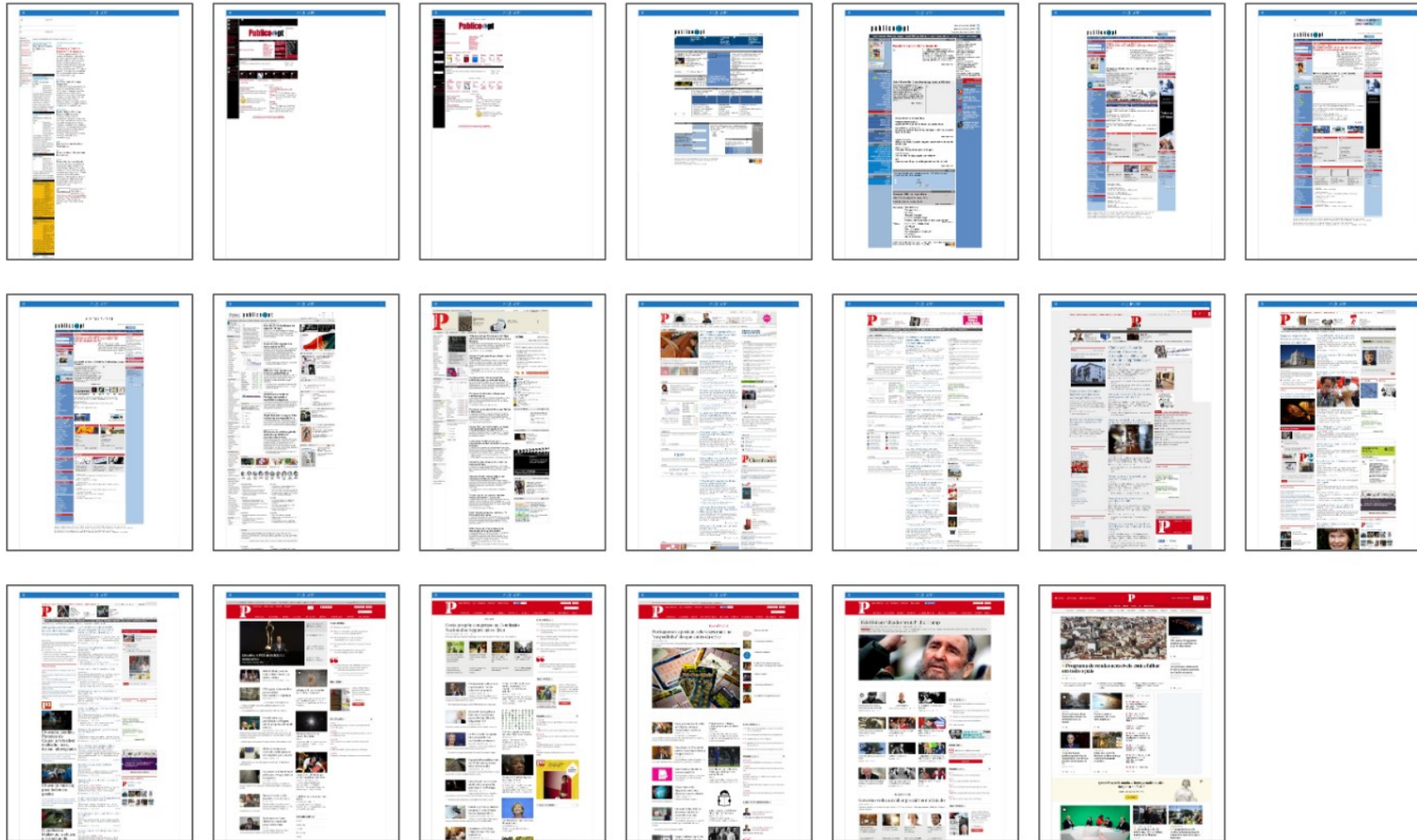


[The commemoration of the Centennial of World War I, by Daniel Major](#)

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Front pages of Portuguese online newspapers, Arquivo.pt Award 2021 by Susana Parreira

# Arquivo.pt training initiative – Café with Arquivo.pt

The screenshot shows a video conference interface. On the left, two side-by-side screenshots of Portuguese newspaper front pages are displayed. The left page is from 'Público' and the right page is from 'Público' (labeled 'P' in the top right). The right page features a large headline: 'Programa de rendas acessíveis está a falhar em todo o país'. On the right side of the video frame, a woman with long dark hair, wearing a headset, is speaking. Below her video feed, the text 'Susana Parreira' is visible. Further down, the text 'Café com o Arquivo.pt (23ª sessão)' and '17 de fevereiro de 2022' are displayed. At the bottom left of the video frame, a black box with the text 'Pause (k)' is visible. The number '27' is located at the bottom right of the video frame.

[Front pages of Portuguese online newspapers, Arquivo.pt Award 2021 by Susana Parreira](#)



# Arquivo.pt training initiative - Café with Arquivo.pt

The screenshot displays the MajorMinors website. On the left is a dark sidebar with the 'MajorMinors' logo and a menu including 'Homepage', 'Sobre o Projeto', 'Minorias', 'Ontologia', 'Pesquisa Guiada', 'BASES DE DADOS' (with sub-items 'Artigos', 'Imagens', 'Comentários'), and 'ANEXOS' (with sub-items 'Vídeo', 'Produção Científica'). The main header contains navigation links for 'Homepage' and 'Contactos', and the 'Universidade do Minho' logo. The central content area features the title 'Major Minors' and a descriptive paragraph about its ontology of Portuguese newspaper clippings. To the right of the text is an illustration of a diverse group of people. Below the text are four colored boxes with statistics: 16286 articles (blue), 4406 comments (green), 16286 images (yellow), and 5178169 ontological triples (red). Each box includes an icon, the count, a brief description, and a link to a gallery or structure.

Category	Count	Description	Action
Artigos que referem minorias	16286	Artigos que referem minorias	Galeria de Artigos
Comentários em artigos	4406	Comentários em artigos	Galeria de Comentários
Imagens associadas a artigos	16286	Imagens associadas a artigos	Galeria de Imagens
Triplos ontológicos	5178169	Triplos ontológicos	Estrutura da ontologia

[Major Minors, Arquivo.pt Award 2021 by Paulo Martins e Leandro Costa](#)

# Arquivo.pt training initiative – Café with Arquivo.pt

Apresentação 04/11/2021 x MajorMinors x GraphDB Workbench x +

docs.google.com/presentation/d/1P56Hd2p913YUJH1c5xCEZ80zY6yhGoLZX5XoaKx8S39Q/edit#slide=id.gdd8833aa7d\_0\_130

## Etapas de desenvolvimento

ARQUIVO.PT

Web Crawler

Requestive crawl of Raw HTML

Raw HTML

Initial filtration

Filtered HTML

Scraper

Articles of minorities

Keywords analysis and prioritization

Python dictionaries of articles

Sentiment analysis

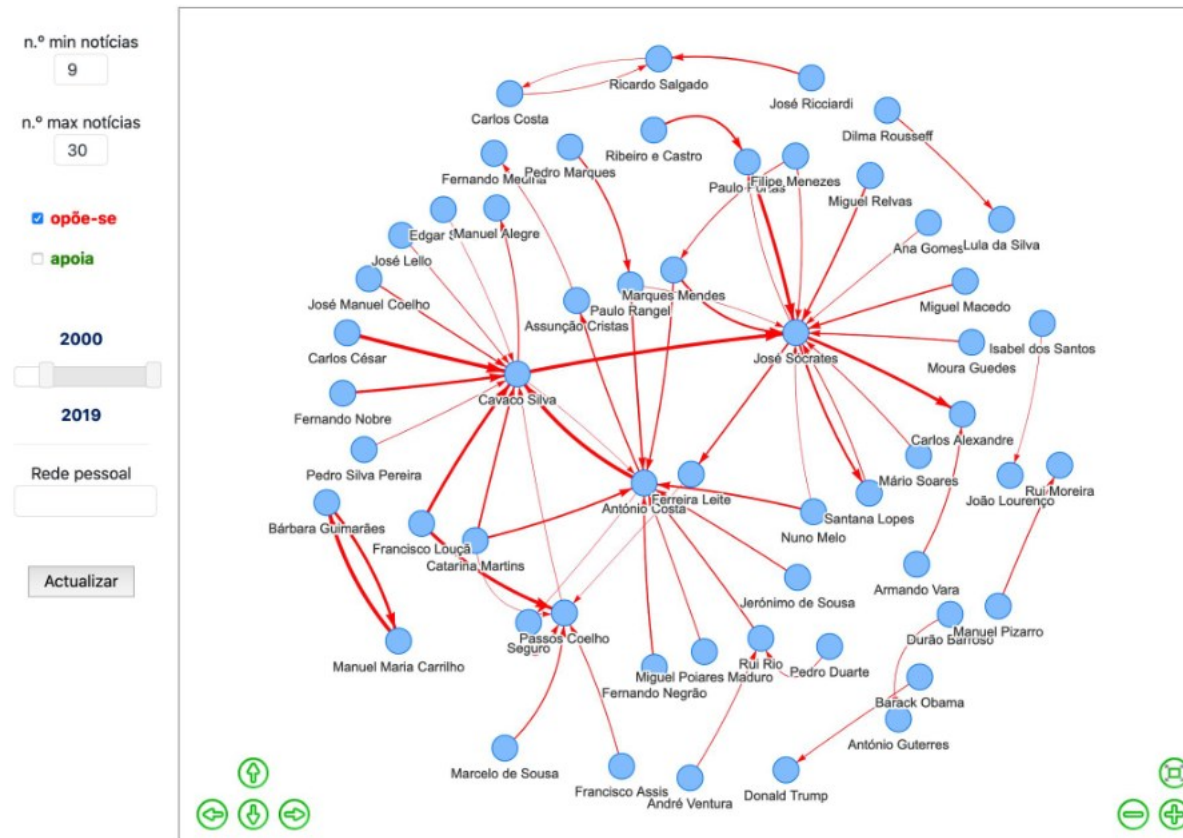
Ready to save Python dictionaries

Ontology

#WDPD2021

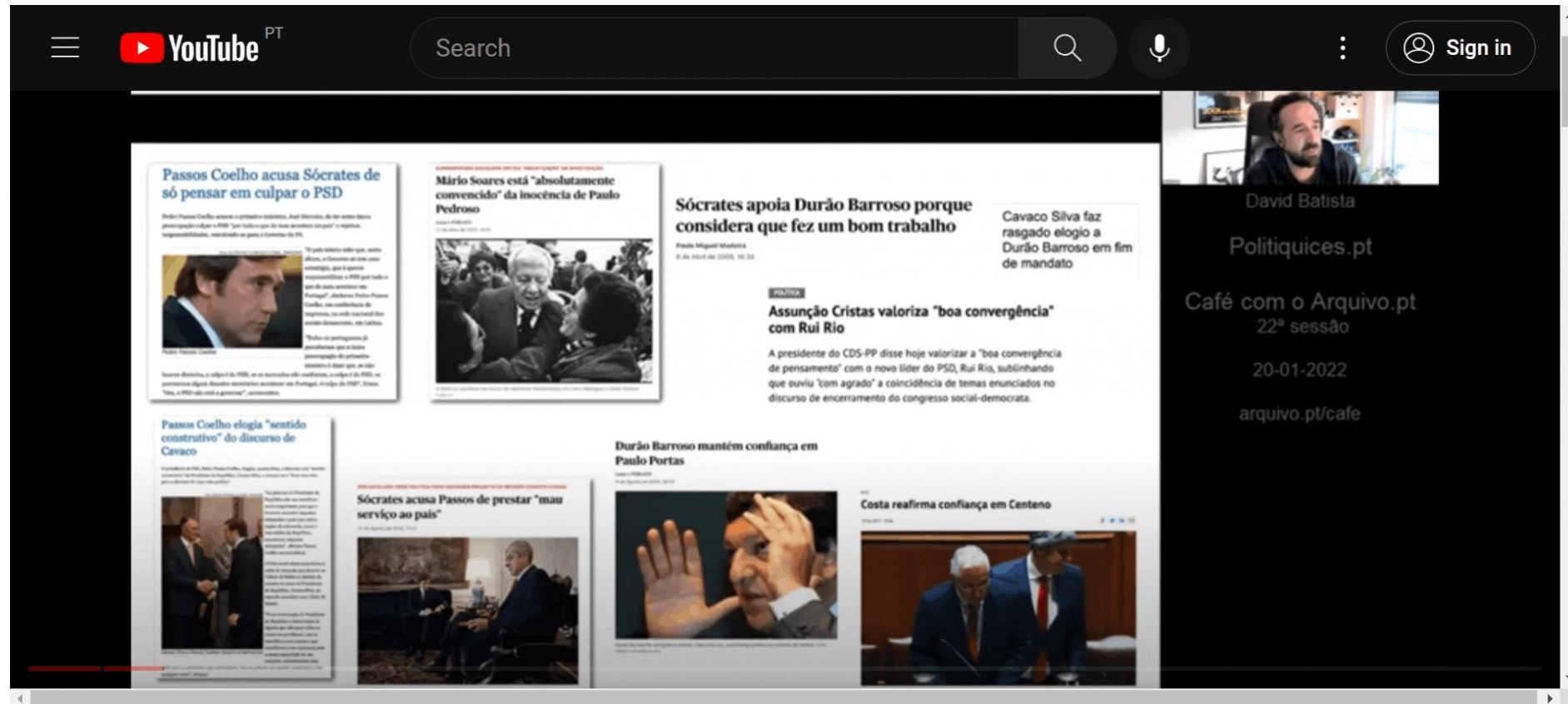
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Parliament Archive.

Legislatures


parliamentary groups

deputies

Average

Topics

Articles



PS


Socialist Party

DEPUTIES

ARTICLES

128

5661



psd


Social Democratic Party

DEPUTIES

ARTICLES

85

5240



BE


Left Block

DEPUTIES

ARTICLES

22

3679



PCP


Portuguese Communist Party

DEPUTIES

ARTICLES

12

3060



CDS-PP


Social Democratic Center - People's Party

DEPUTIES

ARTICLES

8

3436



PAN


People-Animals-Nature

DEPUTIES

ARTICLES

5

1773



PEV


Ecological Party "The Greens"

DEPUTIES

ARTICLES

two

1058



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1622



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Liberal Initiative

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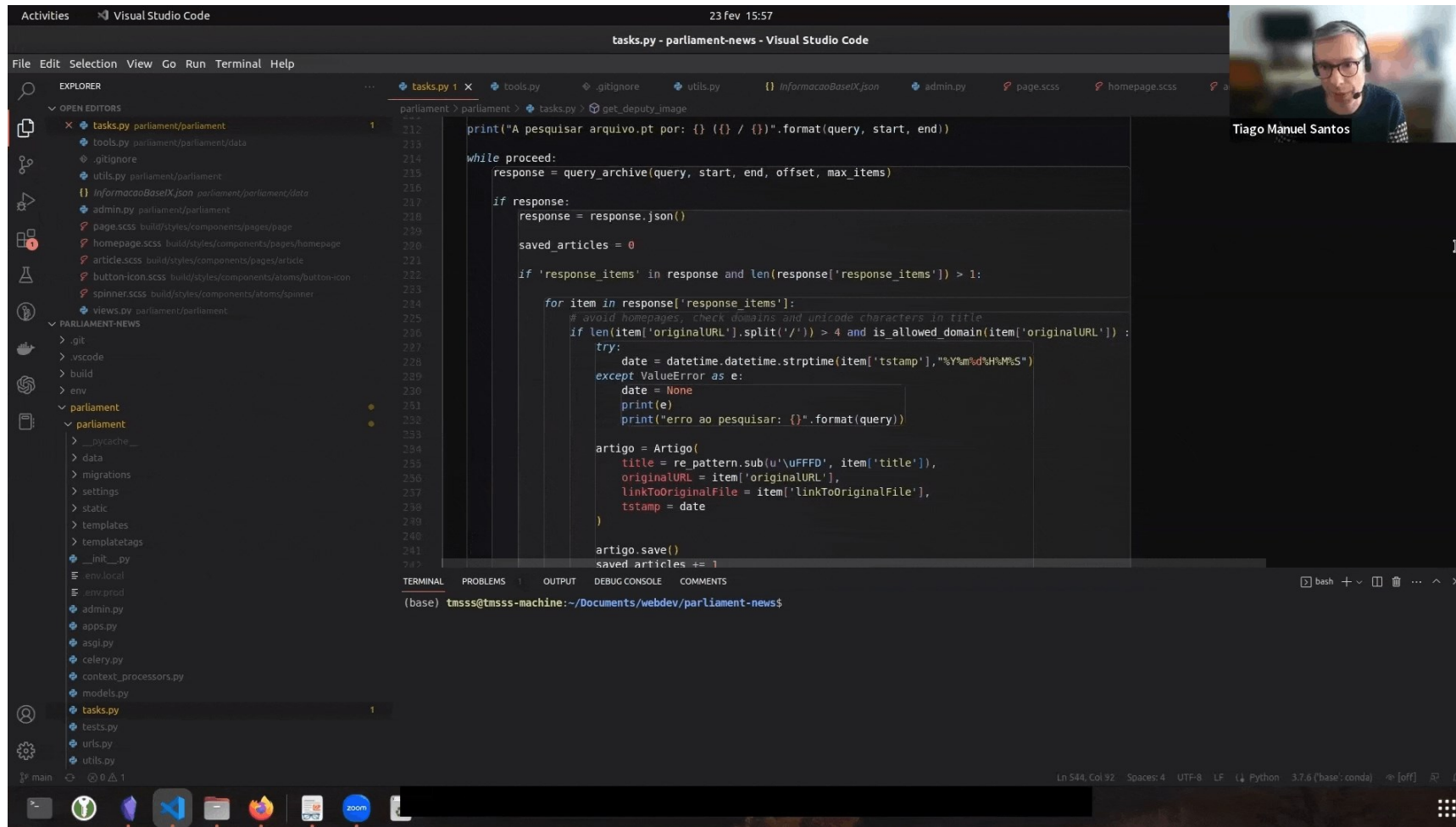
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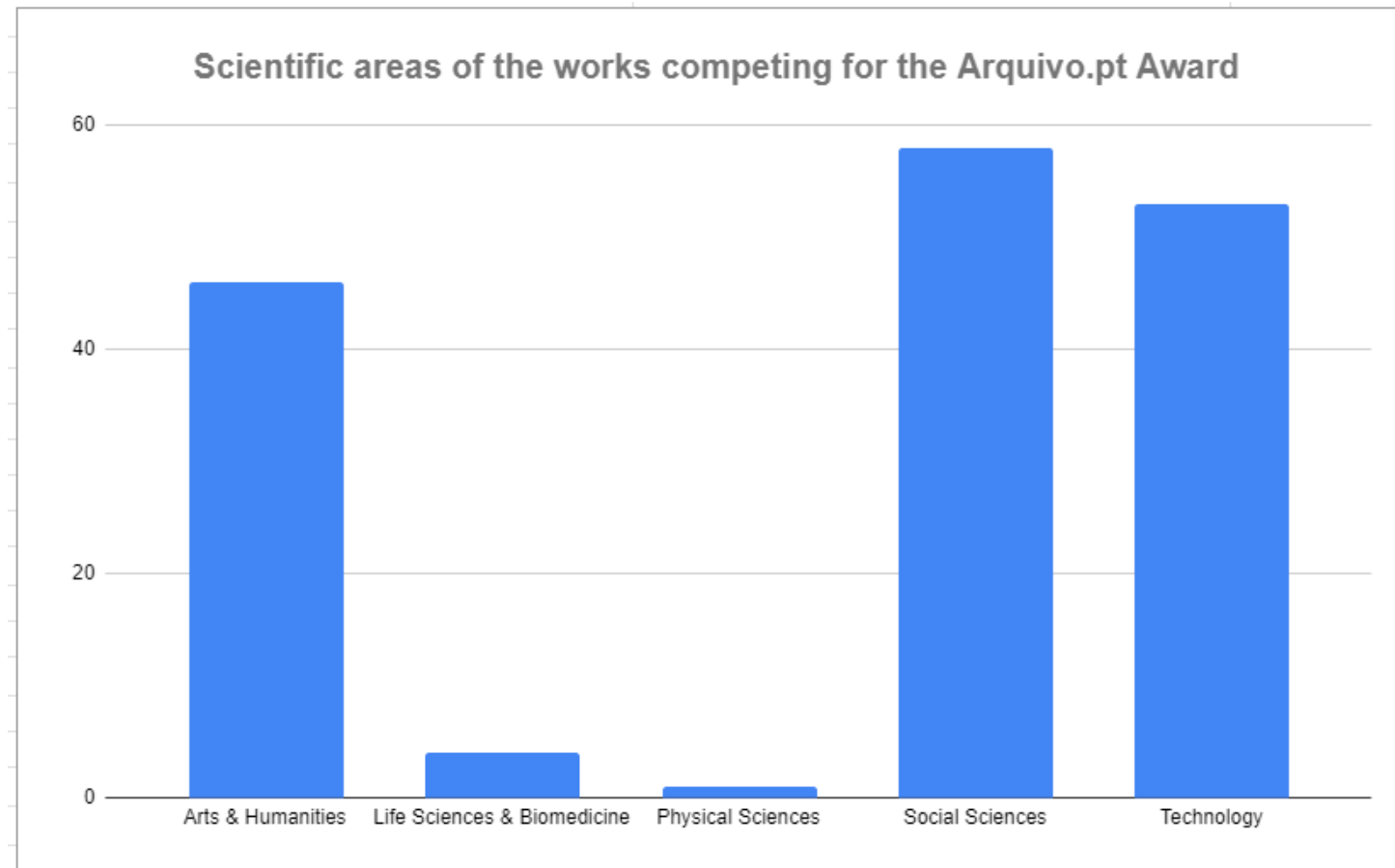


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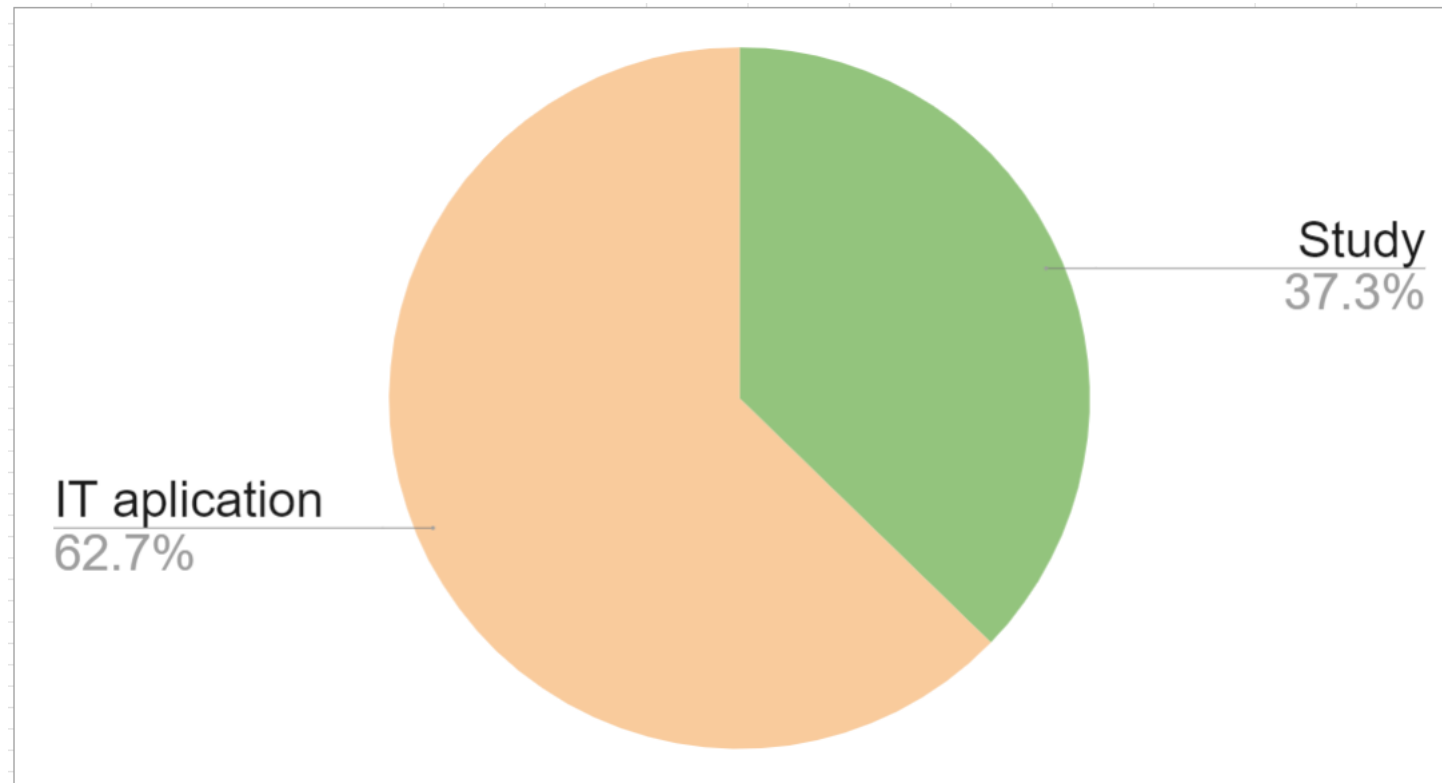
Parliamentary archive (Portugal), Arquivo.pt Award 2022, by Tiago Santos - [arquivo-parlamento.pt](https://arquivo-parlamento.pt)

# What a web archive is for?



Areas of study of the 160 works competing for the Arquivo.pt Award, between 2018 and 2023

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Studies versus IT applications. Of the 160 works competing for the Arquivo.pt Awards, between 2018 and 2023

# Arquivo.pt training initiative



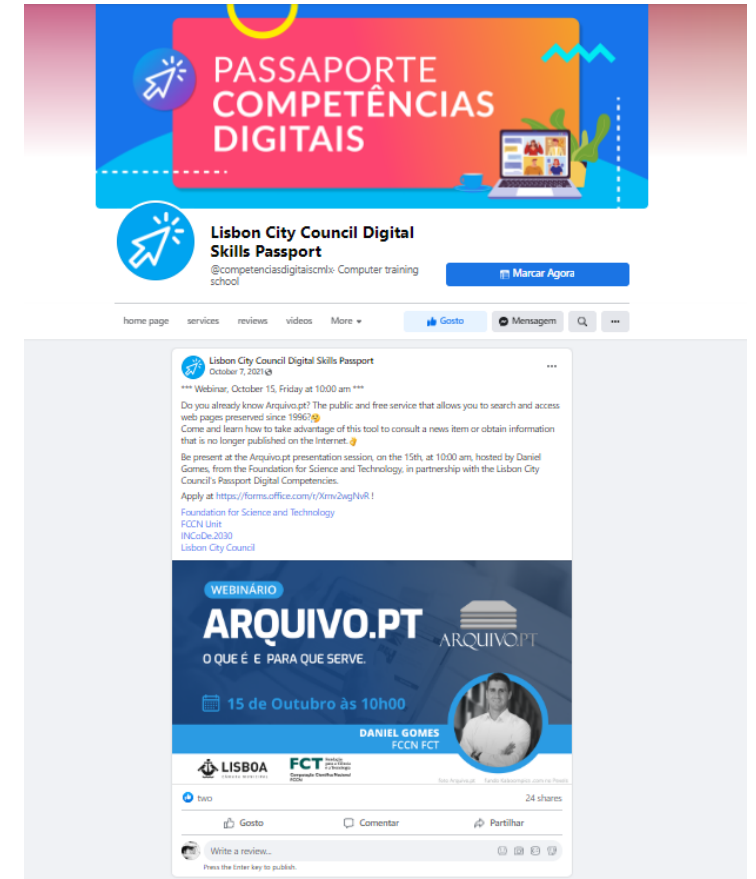
## Webinars cycle

# Arquivo.pt training initiative – Webinars cycle



Webinars cycle promoted by the Lisbon City Council

Target: Common citizens



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[facebook.com/competenciasdigitaiscmlx](https://facebook.com/competenciasdigitaiscmlx)



# Arquivo.pt training initiative – Webinars cycle



Webinars cycle promoted by the  
Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian  
(Art Library and Archive)

Target: artists, gallery owners and  
researchers



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[gulbenkian.pt/biblioteca-arte/noticias/arte-para-sempre-na-web](https://gulbenkian.pt/biblioteca-arte/noticias/arte-para-sempre-na-web)

# Arquivo.pt training initiative – return to face-to-face presentations

Digital Humanities, a priority

Target: Professors, students and researchers



Workshop promoted by the Centre for Comparative Studies (CEComp) at the School of Arts and Humanities, University of Lisbon.

# Arquivo.pt training initiative - Methodological challenges

«Dealing with a greater volume of data will be a common occurrence that historians will have to face from now on. This opens up **a world of possibility for historians**, but it also forces us to ask difficult questions».

Daniela MAJOR, Early Stage Researcher in Digital Humanities at the School of Advanced Study in London. [It Takes a Village to Raise an Archive. How the Use of Web Sources Fosters Collaboration](#), Published at Web Archiving Section of the Society of American Archivists on January 18, 2023.

Arquivo.pt training initiative



# Conclusions

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- 2018 - Four modules to offer to the community
- 2020 – Café and Webinars to receive contributes from the community
- 2022 – Two-way knowledge sharing (Users and Arquivo.pt team)

There are methodological challenges for Digital Humanities using  
Web archives and these can be overcome with close collaboration.

# Thank you!



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