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To whom it may concern.

INVITATION

EuropeanaConnect WP6 partners and the Institute of Ethnomusicology (GNI) of the Scientific Research Centre (ZRC) of the Slovenian Academy of Sciences and Arts (SAZU) is proud to announce its

International workshop on audio aggregation for Europe's cultural online flagship portal: Music in Europeana

to be held in Ljubljana, Slovenia on June 16/17 2011
at: Hall of the Geographical Museum GIAM ZRC SAZU, Gosposka ulica 16, 1000
Ljubljana

The workshop is aiming at a broad public especially interested in European cultural heritage. We are expecting representatives from various audio archives, private as well as public service. Musicologists, journalists and audio engineering experts will hopefully find it useful to join.

The main topics are:

- Building the audio column in Europeana.
- How to benefit most from joining Europeana as a content provider?
- State of the art in data-mining and audio similarity software.
- Intellectual property rights issues will be discussed.

Participating speakers are representing the Europeana head office (Netherlands), Fraunhofer Institute (Germany), Angewandte Informationstechnik Forschungsgesellschaft (Austria), Rundfunk Berlin-Brandenburg (Germany) and more.

The conference language will be English.

Participation in this workshop is free. The workshop is organised on behalf of EuropeanaConnect WP6 partners by the Institute of Ethnomusicology ZRC SAZU. If want to join, your registration before May 31 2011 is appreciated. Please get in touch with one of the contact persons below:

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Best regards!

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