

# DIGITIZATION OF DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS AS A PART OF SCIENTIFIC HERITAGE: OBJECTIVES, MISSION AND COPYRIGHT ISSUES

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# Library Collection and Library Project



- University library “Svetozar Marković” – 25000 PhD theses – deposit for items from University of Belgrade
- Current theses and retrospective digitization
- Project: **Digitization of doctoral dissertations defended before 1941: dissertations of Serbian scientists defended on foreign universities and dissertations from Belgrade University (1905–1941)”**

# Main aspects



- ***Historical relevance – theses as material evidence of national educational strategy***
- ***Visibility and revalorization***
- ***Copyright and “orphan works”***

# Perspective...



- Cooperation and institutional collaboration
- Long-term research activity
- Library as information center



- Thank you!

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