Distributed Digital Preservation: Technical, Sustainability & Organizational Developments

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Who are we?

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What is distributed digital preservation?

• Just what you think – preservation systems where a network of nodes performing preservation actions exist at geographically dispersed locations

• In our panel, all of the speakers participate in Private LOCKSS Networks (PLNs) but other distributed preservation networks exist, i.e. Chronopolis based on SRB