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Biography

Professor Dr. Andreas Witt is the Head of the Department of Digital Linguistics at the Leibniz Institute for the German Language in Mannheim, Germany, a position he has held since March 2019. He also holds a professorship in "Computational Humanities & Text Technology" at the University of Mannheim. Prior to his current roles, Andreas Witt was a Professor at the Institute for Digital Humanities at the University of Cologne.

As the spokesperson for the Consortium Text+ within the National Research Data Infrastructure (NFDI), Witt plays a pivotal role in advancing the digitization of research, teaching, and knowledge transfer in the text- and language-oriented humanities.

From 2019 to 2022, Andreas Witt was a member of the Board of Directors at CLARIN ERIC, where he contributed to the strategic direction of language resources and technology infrastructure. During that time he co-edited CLARIN: The Infrastructure for Language Resources with de Gruyter.

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