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UN and EU Documentation Center

- United Nations Depository Library since 1956 and European Documentation Center (EDC) since 1963.
- Collection of the official documents and the publications of the two Organizations and their institutions as there are: documents: internal working papers, official papers, official publications, law journals, budget, statistical yearbooks, as well as literature dealing with the two organizations (so called "secondary literature")
- Regular publications are included in the University Library Portal "<u>Primo</u>", the documents must be asked for in the Documentation Centre.
- Recent documents are all online. UN (2007), EU (2003)





$Challenges \rightarrow \textbf{Services}$

- Digitization → Visability of EU publications in our discovery system "<u>Primo</u>"
- "Everything is in the internet" → Guiding through the internet (search strategies....)
- Budget cuts \rightarrow Networking with other institutions
- Social networks → Biblioblog <u>http://blogs.fu-berlin.de/bibliotheken/tag/dokumentationszentrum-un-eu/</u>