DuraArK aims at providing methods and tools for the long-term preservation of architectural data and knowledge, in particular involving low-level models (3D, CAD, Point Clouds), higher-level metadata and semantics and correlated Web knowledge and data. Over the course of three years, the project will specifically develop and exploit data preservation, enrichment and correlation methods to satisfy information needs of a range of stakeholders, for instance, architects, urban planners, building operators, archivists or the general public. The DuraArK consortium consists of seven partners from academia and industry across Europe and is led by the L3S Research Center. After a very productive and inspiring kickoff meeting in Hannover, initial outcomes are expected through the next months and will be published and announced via the project Website.

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Successful kickoff meeting of the new EU-funded project "DuraArK"