



Keynote Address of Mr. Werner Weber

## Europeana 1914-1918

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### The First World War in Everyday Documents Erster Weltkrieg in Alltagsdokumenten

This pan-European initiative creates a digital European archive based on private memorabilia from the First World War. The project which is running until 2014, the year of the 100th anniversary of the outbreak of WW I collects pictures, drawings, letters and memorabilia in digital form from many of the countries involved in the WW I.

The main objective of the project is to keep alive "*the private memories of people of different nations to this European tragedy*" and make it publicly accessible in order to raise people's awareness that the peaceful coexistence in the world is vital for all of us.

