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Research Data Alliance (RDA) is set to hold its Fourth Plenary Meeting in Amsterdam, The Netherlands, on 22-24 September. The event will showcase the first concrete outputs from several of the organization's [working groups](#). Find out more about the organization in [our recent interview with Hilary Hanahoe](#), the future coordinator of RDA Europe. In addition, read about the exciting progress being made by [the RDA's working group on data foundation and terminology](#) in [our interview with Gary Berg-Cross](#), who is a member of the US advisory committee for RDA.

A number of exciting colocated events will also take place alongside the RDA Fourth Plenary, including [The EGI Conference on Solutions and Challenges for Big Data Processing, Crowd Computing 2014](#), [The Third EUDAT Conference](#), and many more.

Find out more about The Third EUDAT Conference, which will be held on 24-25 September, in our recent interview with Per Oster, who is director of research infrastructures at

[Finland's IT Center for Science \(CSC\)](#), the organization coordinating the EUDAT project.

Finally, the newly launched [European Ontology Network \(EUON\)](#) will be holding its first workshop as part of the EUDAT event. *iSGTW* recently spoke to two of the network's co-chairs and founders, [James Malone](#) and [Yann Le Franc](#).

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