### Abstract

This report focuses on user-requested functions for visualizations for implementation in the CENDARI research environment. The area of visualization is a high priority for the CENDARI project since it offers historians the potential for innovative and revolutionary new approaches to research. This report, therefore, provides an initial exploration of visualizations that were requested by members of the research community in three project activities.
As described in detail in the CENDARI Deliverable 8.1: Functional Description: Portal and VRE, these project activities consisted of two participatory design workshops with WWI and medieval historians that resulted in video prototypes; the creation of textual descriptions of the researchers’ contexts of use and research questions (user scenarios) and short lists of individual research activities (user stories); and the creation of two prototype concepts that will serve as the focus of future implementation and development work within the project.