

# Preface

These proceedings contain the contributed papers for the Sixth International Workshop on Narrative Extraction from Texts (Text2Story2023<sup>1</sup>) held in conjunction with the ECIR 2023 conference in Dublin, Ireland, on the 2nd of April 2023. Thirty two papers were submitted for peer-review to this workshop. Out of these, nineteen papers were accepted for this volume, nine as regular papers, and ten in the category of *Work in Progress, Demos and Dissemination*. Each submitted paper was reviewed by three members of an international programme committee. In addition to the selected papers, the workshop features two invited speakers: Georgiana Ifrim and Valentina Bartalesi. Georgiana Ifrim gave a talk entitled “Structured Summarisation of News at Scale”. Valentina Bartalesi gave a talk entitled “Creating and Visualising Semantic Story Maps”.

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