Preface

This volume contains the papers presented at the Third International Workshop on Geographic Information Extraction from Texts (GeoExT[1]), held on April 10, 2025, in Lucca, Italy, as part of the 47th European Conference on Information Retrieval (ECIR 2025). We received 10 submissions from authors representing 5 countries, of which 7 papers were accepted. Each submission underwent a review process by at least three program committee members.

The workshop featured an invited keynote by Prof. Dr. Jochen L. Leidner, titled *'From Toponym Resolution to Advanced Models of Spatial Grounding: Past, Present and (One Possible) Future'*, and an industry talk delivered by Peter Bormann, Alwyn Rowlands, and Jesse Lord, titled *'Automatic Geolocation and Map-Based Retrieval of Unstructured Geoscience Documents Using Weighted Spatial Statistics, Novel User Interfaces, and Elasticsearch'*.

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