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*ELECTRONIC COLLATION OF MEDIEVAL SLAVIC AND GREEK CALENDARS OF
SAINTS:*

IDENTIFYING CALENDAR TRADITIONS AND FAMILIES

Because medieval Slavic calendars vary greatly in the saints' names they list and in the commemoration dates for those saints, data management problems make efforts to identify calendar traditions and families of calendars very difficult. The paper describes the development of an online electronic corpus of medieval Slavic and Greek calendars of saints and search program that allows users to search the entire corpus, or, alternatively, any individual Slavic and Greek calendar(s) of saints, by calendar date, saint's name, and other attributes, in order to identify related calendars and traditions. Also discussed in the paper are several research projects that have been undertaken through use of the electronic collation.