

LITA Forum, November 12-15, 2015, Minneapolis, Minnesota. Workshop: Linked Data for Professional Education (LD4PE)

Abstract:

As semantic technologies continue to mature, the need for learning resources about its core aspects becomes increasingly important. Linked Data for Professional Educators (LD4PE) is an IMLS funded project whose purpose is to provide a competency index of, and access to learning resources related to teaching Linked Data. In our LITA session we will give an update on LD4PE, familiarize the audience with the competency index and lead a discussion with other Linked Data practitioners to identify priorities and challenges in learning Linked Data. This session will aid the LD4PE team as we make iterative improvements to our product.

Participatory elements of the program:

This program will provide a unique opportunity for Linked Data educators and practitioners to come together to help move the state of learning Linked Data forward. Prior to the event, the LD4PE team will reach out to the LITA community and provide access to the competency index and give information on the feedback mechanisms. About half of the allotted time will be dedicated to engaging the attendees provide input about the status of the project -- almost like a focus group, as well as guidance on how to continue engagement with project.