CLARIAH Tool Discovery: Progress update

Vocabularies (1/2)

Work in collaboration with external party (Daniel Garijo, Universidad Politécnica de Madrid):

- Software Types vocabulary: Defines additional software interface types (e.g. SoftwareLibrary, CommandLineApplication)
- ➤ **Software IO Data vocabulary**: Defines consumesData and producesData properties to tie input/output formats to software metadata.

Formulated in a way that it can be easily merged into codemeta/schema.org with minimal extra vocabulary.

Vocabularies (2/2)

CLARIAH-specific vocabularies:

- ► Technology Readiness Levels (PR98): Proposed awaiting approval
- ► Still undecided points (issue 32):
 - vocabulary for research subjects/activities (Tadirah?)
 - vocabulary for research domains (NWO?)
 - vocabulary for research phases
 - If no formal ontologies exist yet, they must be created.

Software Metadata Requirements

Document: https://github.com/CLARIAH/clariah-plus/blob/main/requirements/software-metadata-requirements.md

- Precisely defines what software metadata MUST, SHOULD or MAY be provided and in what the eventual form expressed in codemeta/schema.org will be.
- Serves as reference and documentation for any software provider in CLARIAH
- Points are often corollaries of points in the Software Requirements
- Keep in mind that automatic harvesting will already take care of a lot

Software Stack

- codemetapy
- codemeta-harvester
- codemeta-server
- CLARIAH tool discovery & source registry

Work done:

- Various fixes and improvements
- Signs of community interest; significant contributions from external contributor
- Validation...

Validation

- Validation schema for software metadata (SHACL), with David de Boer
- Automatic validation upon harvesting
- Automatic validation report with feedback on your metadata, formulated according to the Software Metadata Requirements.
- ▶ Rating for your metadata (0 to 5 stars), presented in the Tool Store

Call to Action / Request for Comment

- ► **ALL** CLARIAH software must be registered in the source registry (very simple procedure). Is yours already?
- ► Feedback on Software Metadata Requirements much appreciated!
- ► Contributions in the vocabulary discussions welcome! (issue 32)
- Second opinions from linked data experts welcome