Staffing Models for Digital Scholarship Services in Libraries

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Assistant Professor of English specializing in Book Publishing/Digital Humanities

Data and Visualization Librarian

Senior Associate, Data Scientist

DH librarian

Information designer

Digital liberal arts specialist

Collections strategist

Drupal designer

Web applications programmer

Post-doctoral fellow in DH

Digital Humanist / Software Developer

Instructional technologist

Database developer/programmer

Senior Technical Project Manager

Geospatial Resources Librarian

Profess of Digital Humanities

XML programmer/analyst

Digital Humanities Specialist

Digital Scholarship Librarian

Digital humanities developer

E-science librarian

Assistant director

Data curator

Digital repository manager

Project manager

GIS specialist

Director of Academic IT Services

Digital Humanities Analyst/Developer

Metadata librarian

Data visualization coordinator

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Senior software architect

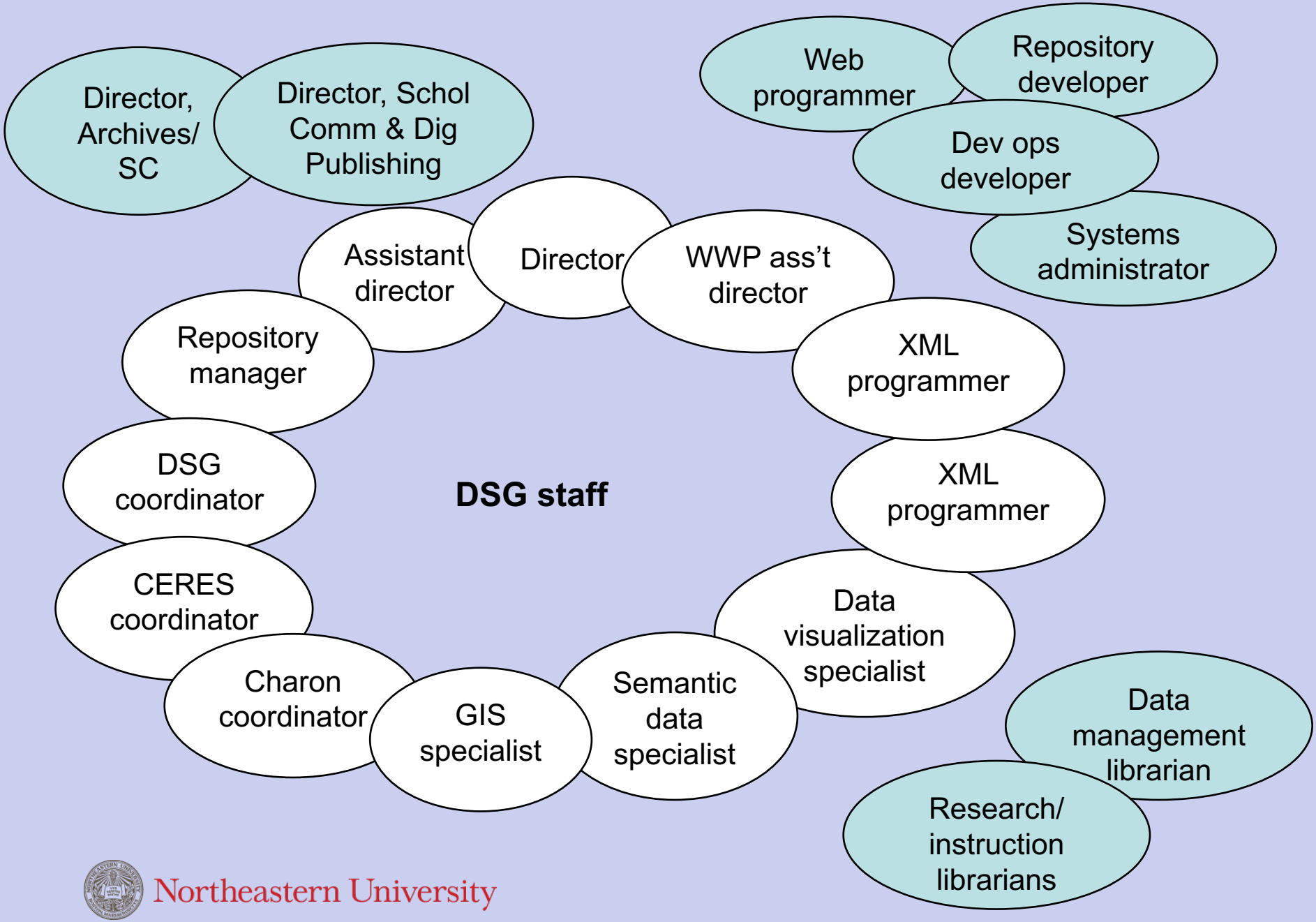
	Metaknowledge	Skills
Developer	software architecture, code design	efficient and elegant system design; knowledge and integration of disparate systems
Administrator	resources	fiscal management, personnel management, project management
Manager	organizational systems	prioritization towards strategic goals; identifying and removing obstacles; creating effective working conditions
Scholar	research methods	reading and interpretation; reasoning with content; originating and developing arguments
Analyst	discipline and information modeling	decision-making about approaches, translation between discourses, representing processes and decisions
Data creator	content	creation of data, consistent application of procedures, decision-making with respect to exceptional cases
Info mgr	data management and representation systems	efficient translation of information into usable and sustainable forms, at scale

DSG in brief:

- Planning started July 2013
- Open for operation January 2014
- 4-year startup phase: policies, pilots, CFPs, programs, initial staffing

DSG Portfolio:

- Support routine, small-scale projects through shared infrastructure
- Develop/support shared infrastructure
- Host large-scale projects
- Workshops, outreach, mentoring, consultancy
- Grant-funded research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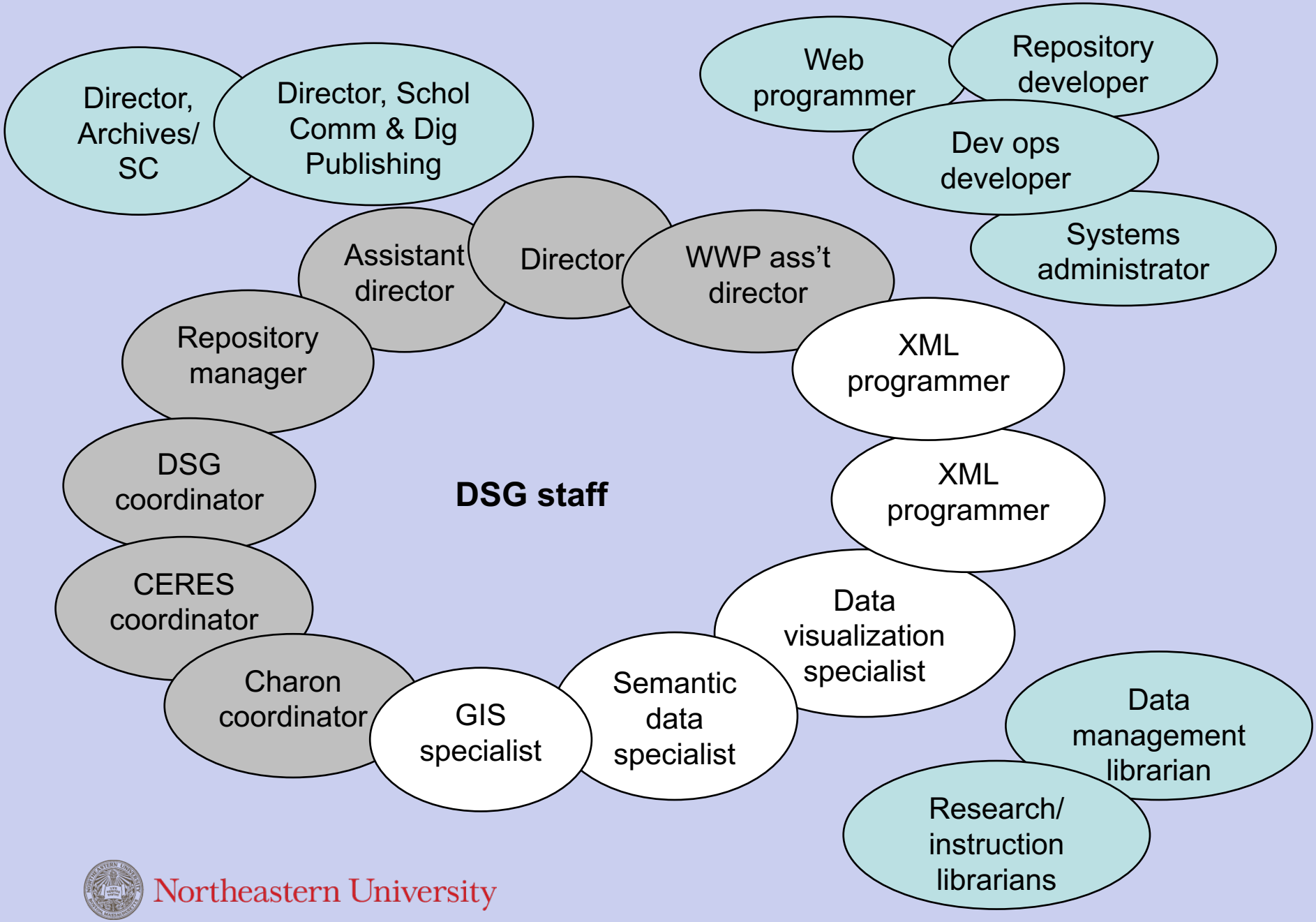
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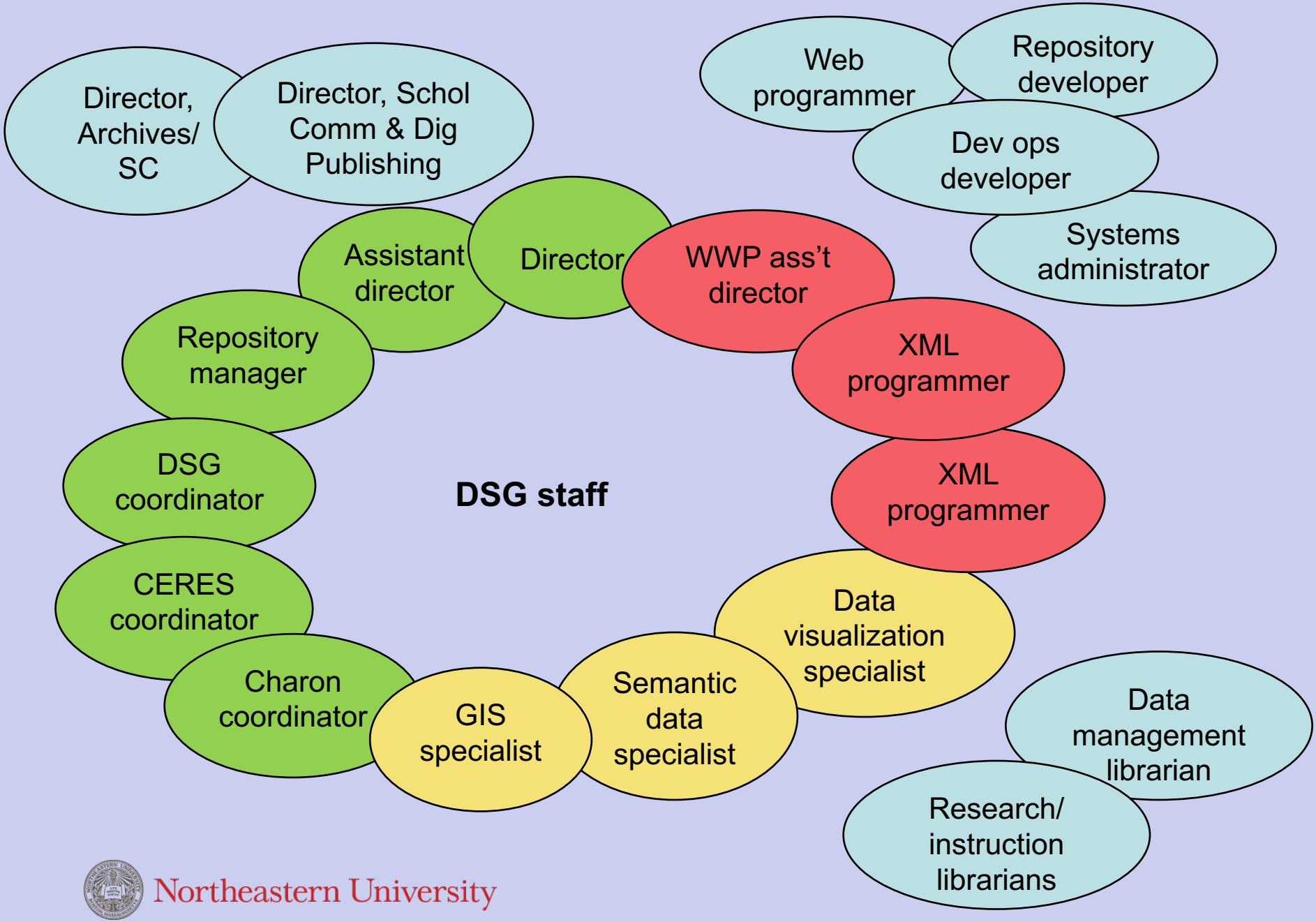
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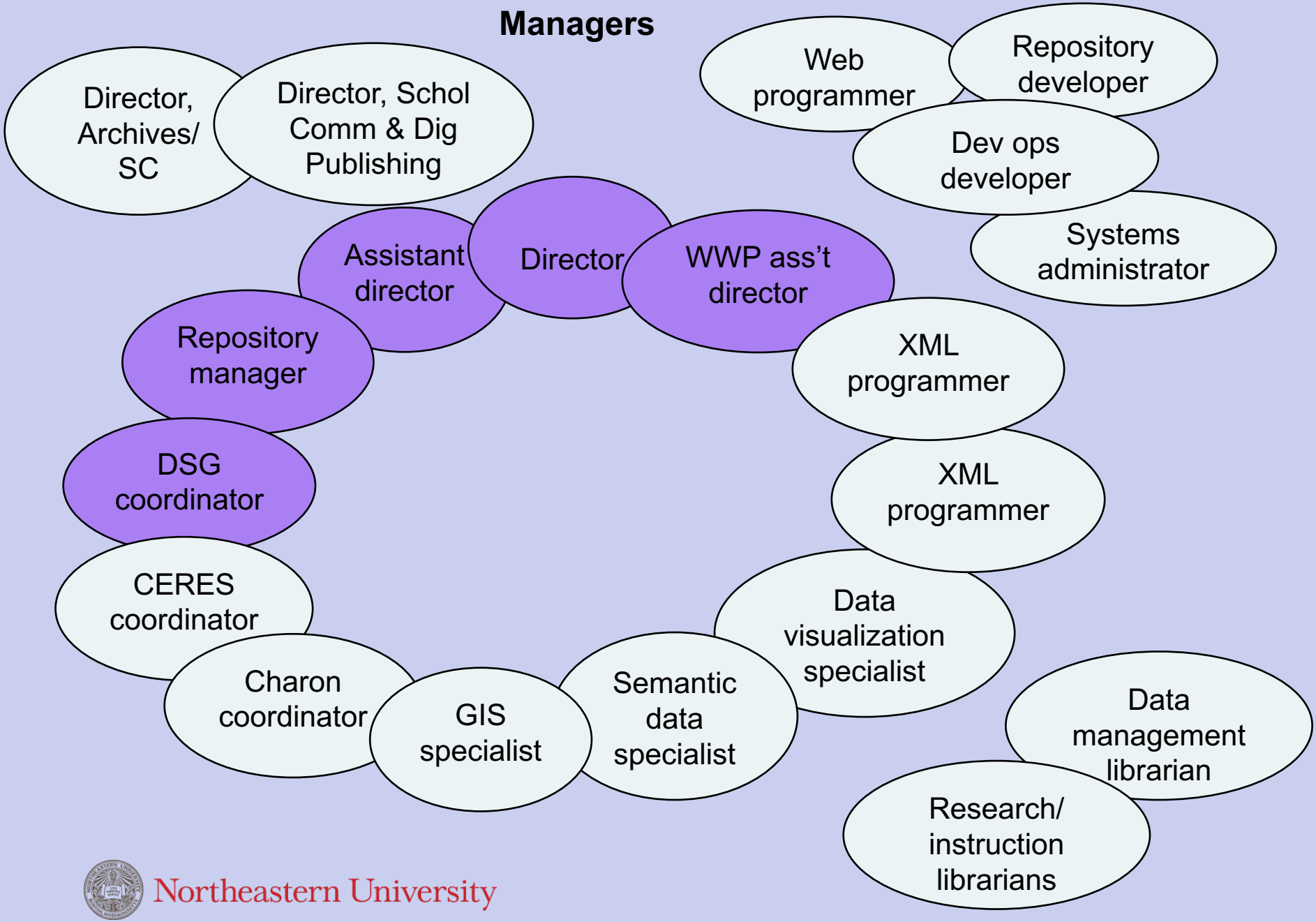
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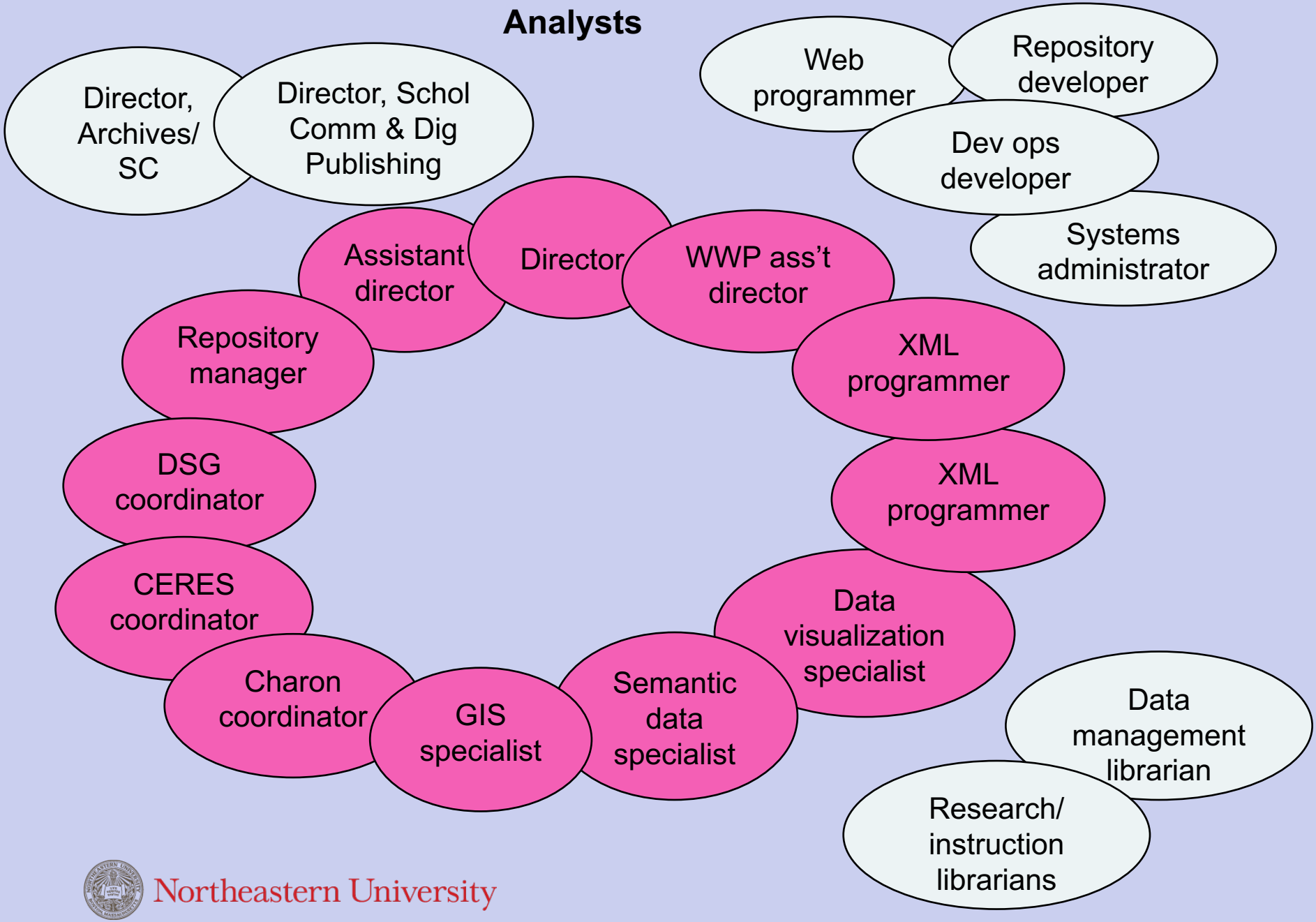
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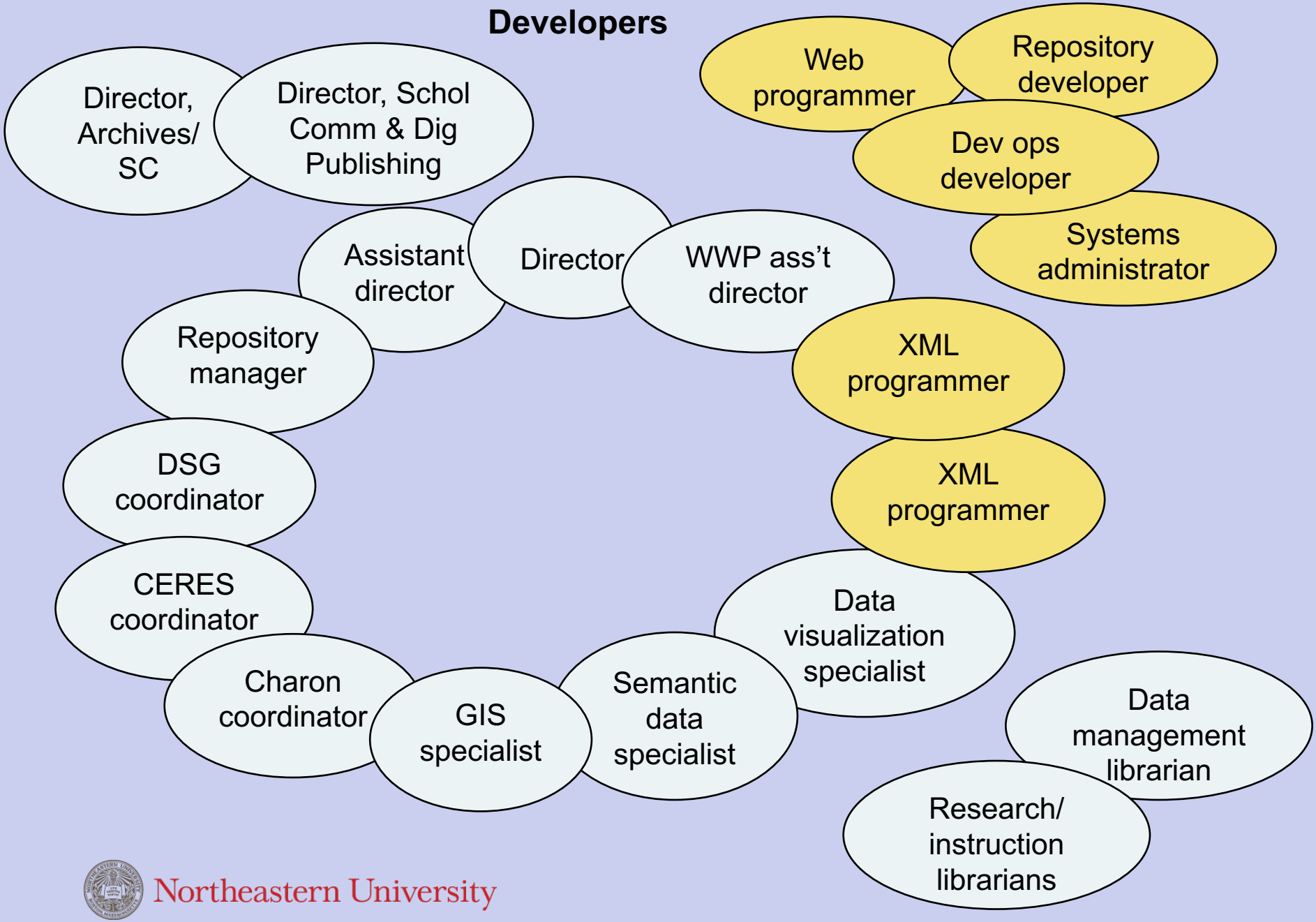
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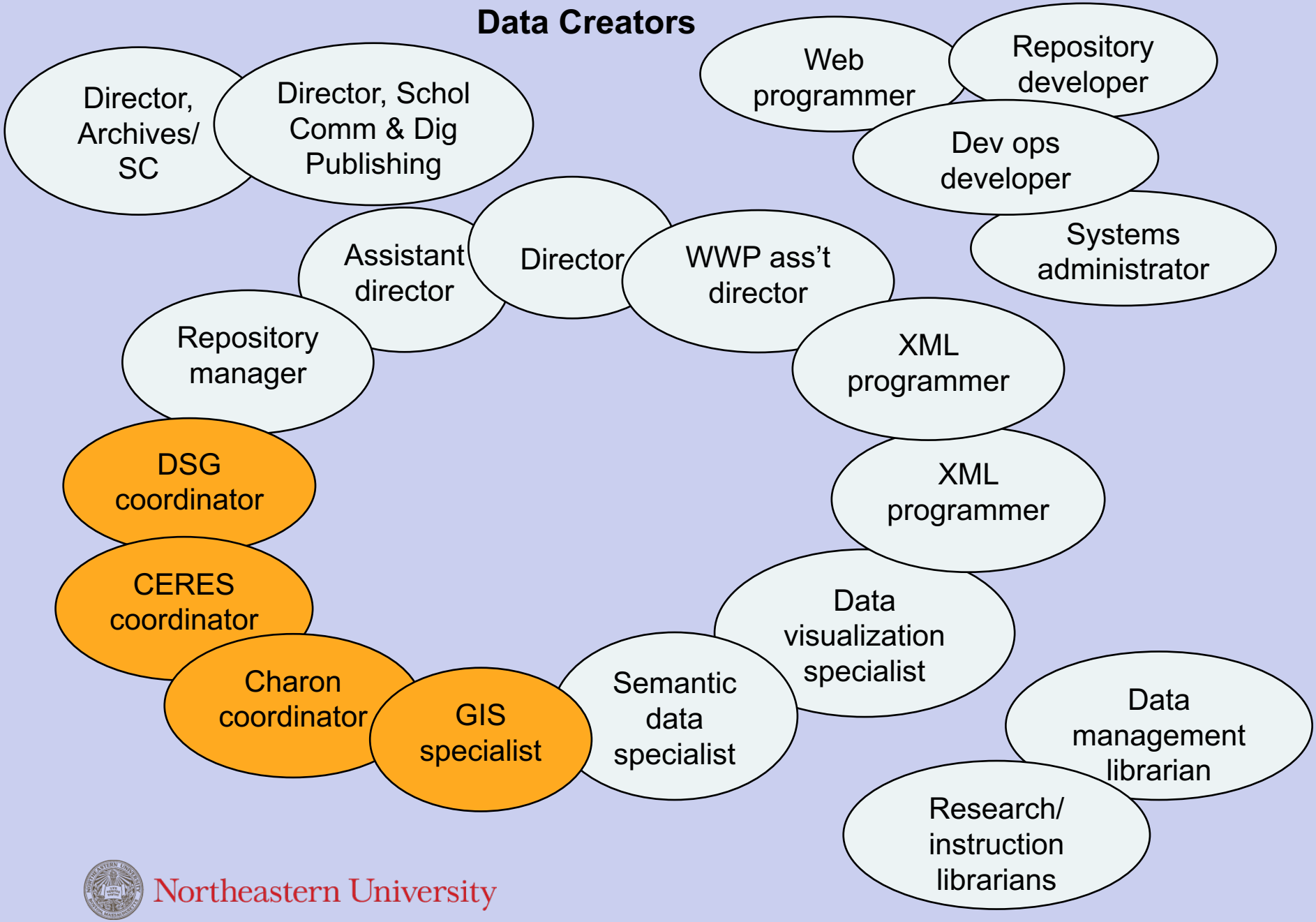

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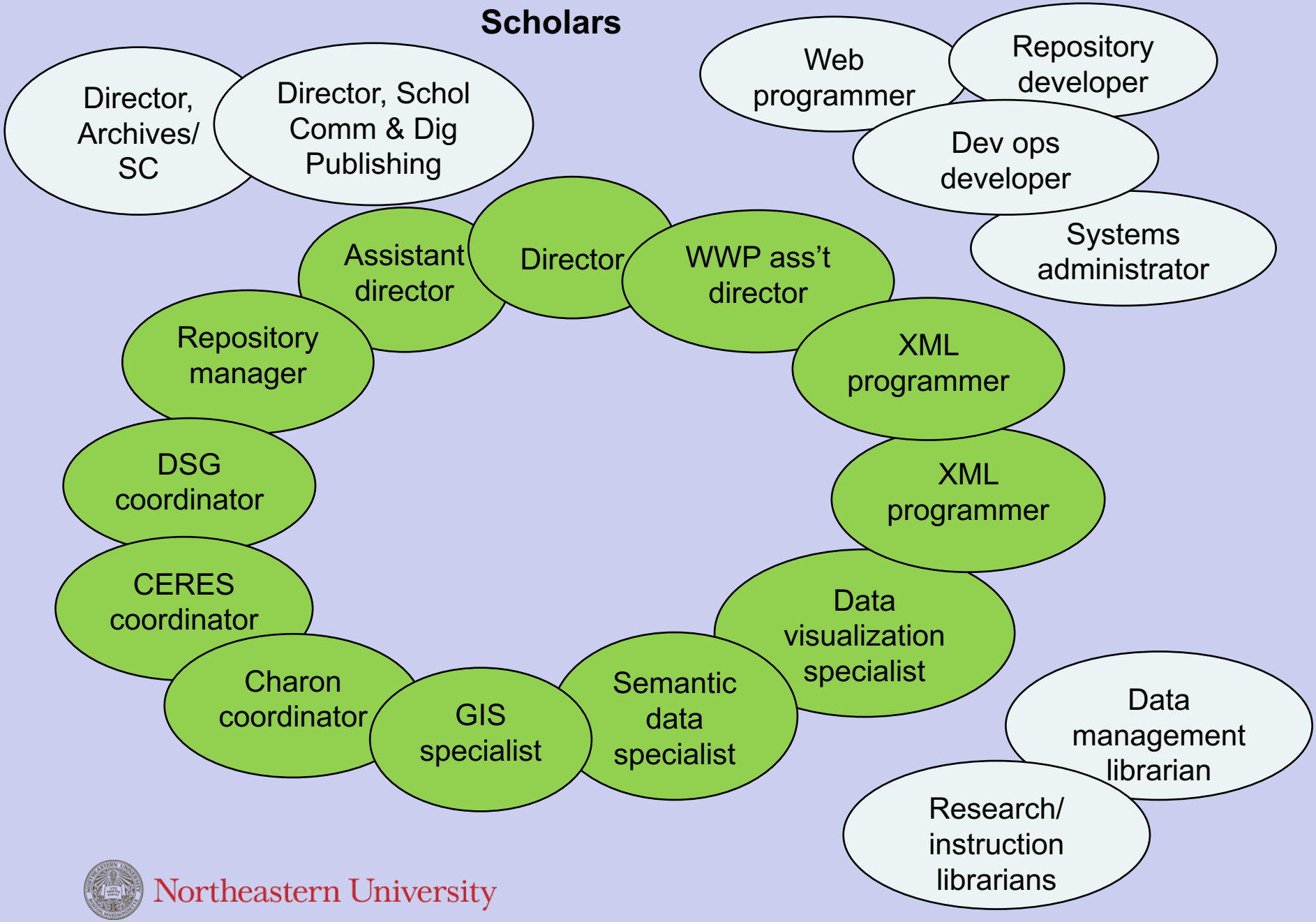

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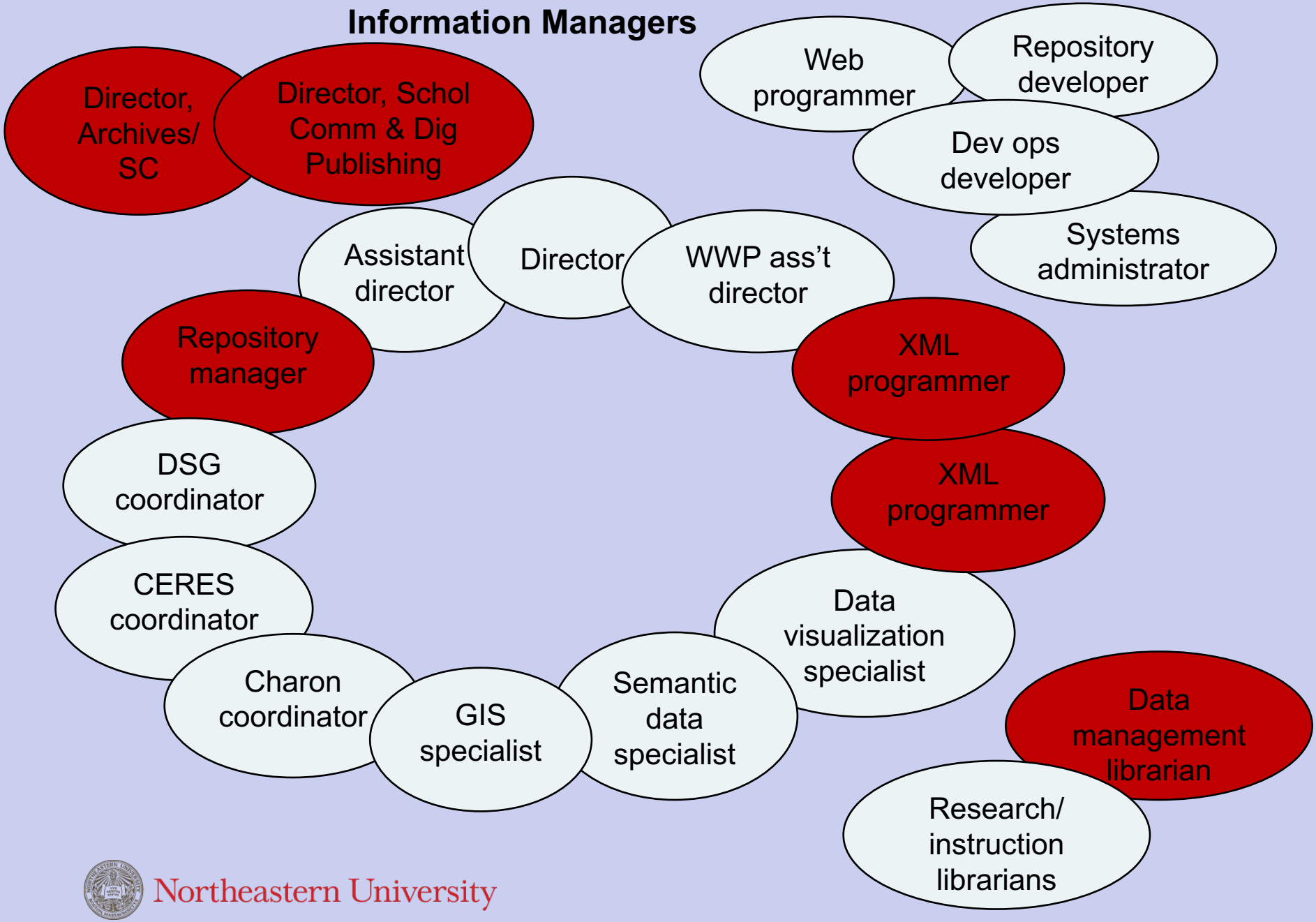

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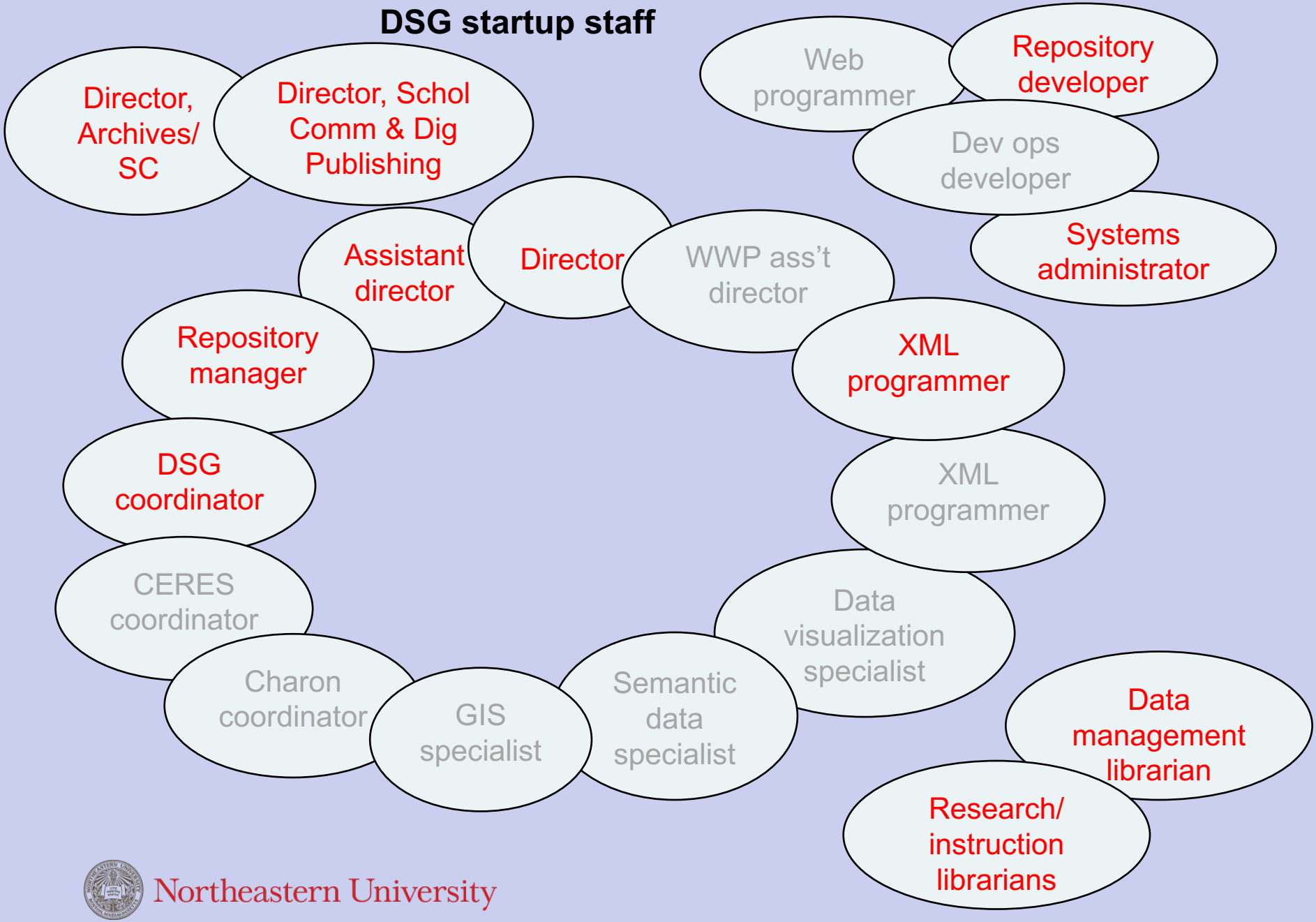

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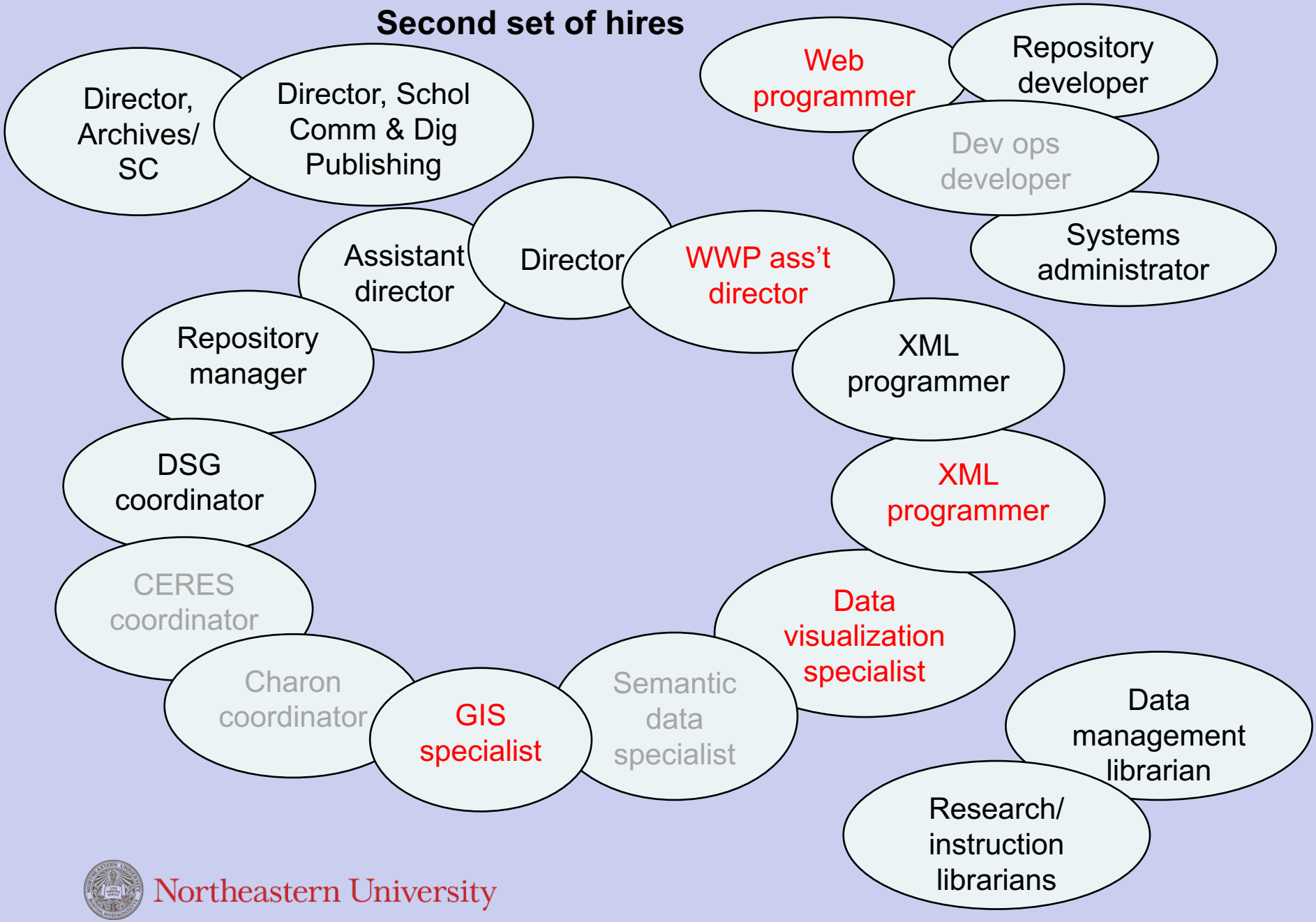

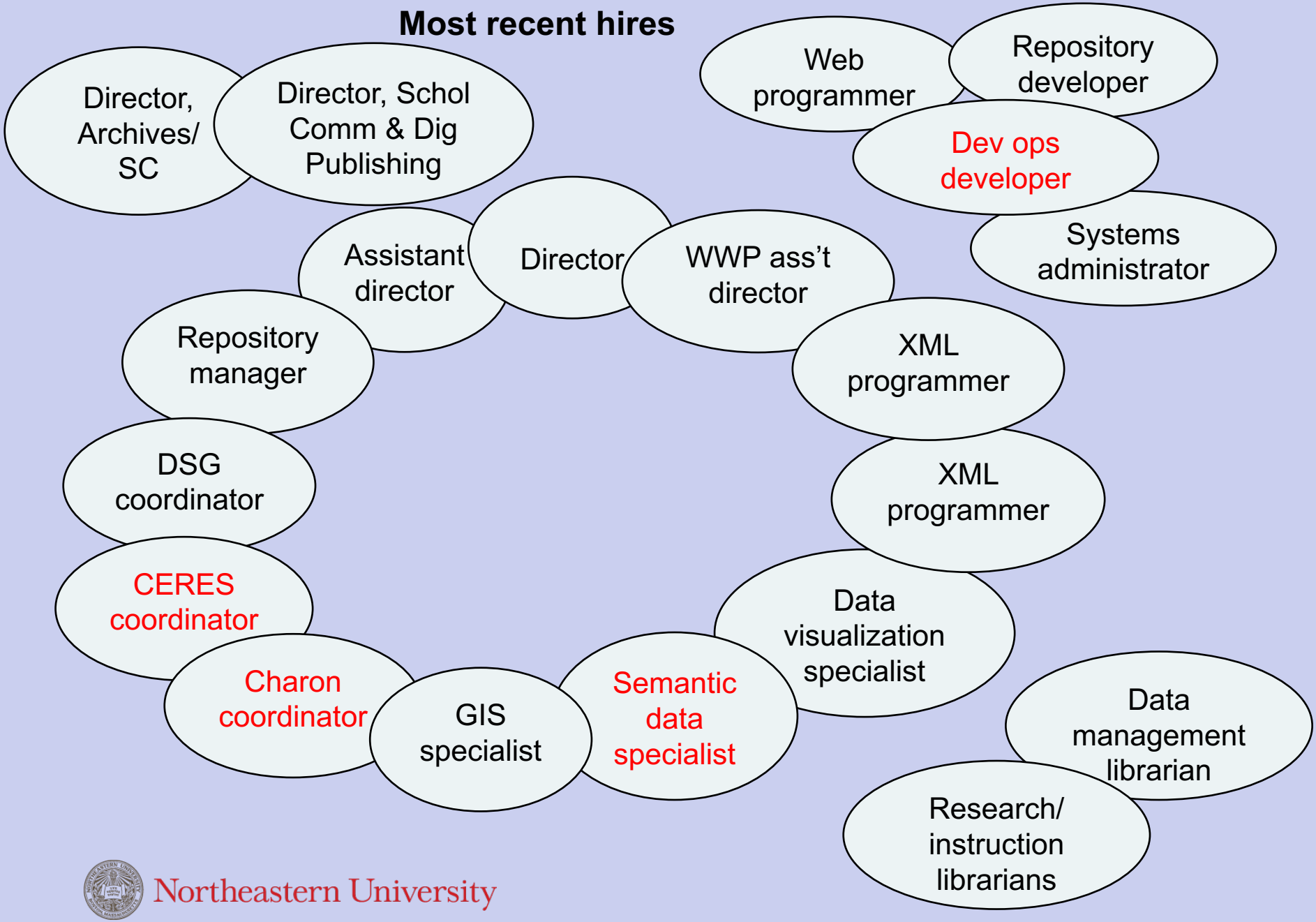
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