Modelling humanities data with TEI-XML: Scholarly editing and manuscript cataloguing in the digital age

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Week 1/Exercise 1/Markup

Work individually (10 minutes)

Choose one set of files, either Example 1 or Example 2.

- Example 1:
 - o AM 30 fol.txt
 - o AM 30 fol.md
 - o AM 30 fol.html
 - o AM 30 fol.doc
- Example 2:
 - o AM 30 fol.txt
 - o AM 30 fol.md
 - o AM_30_fol.tex
 - o AM 30 fol.doc

Compare the files and answer the following questions (write down your answers):

- Which of these files contain markup?
- What type of markup is used in these files?
- How are these documents structured?
- How is the markup expressed?
- What are these types of markup usually used for, give examples?
- List all markup elements used in the documents and explain what are they used for (what do you think they mean)?

Work in groups (10 minutes)

Form two groups: one group consisting of everyone who worked on example 1 and one group consisting of everyone who worked on example 2.

- Choose one person who is group's timekeeper and who will make sure you are on time
- Choose one person who is group's secretary and will write down your answers.
- Choose one person who is group's presenter and will present the answers.
- Compare your answers, note down all significant differences in the answers among group members.
- Prepare a short presentation of your example and the answers your agreed upon.