

# PunkCore:

## Developing an application profile for the culture of punk

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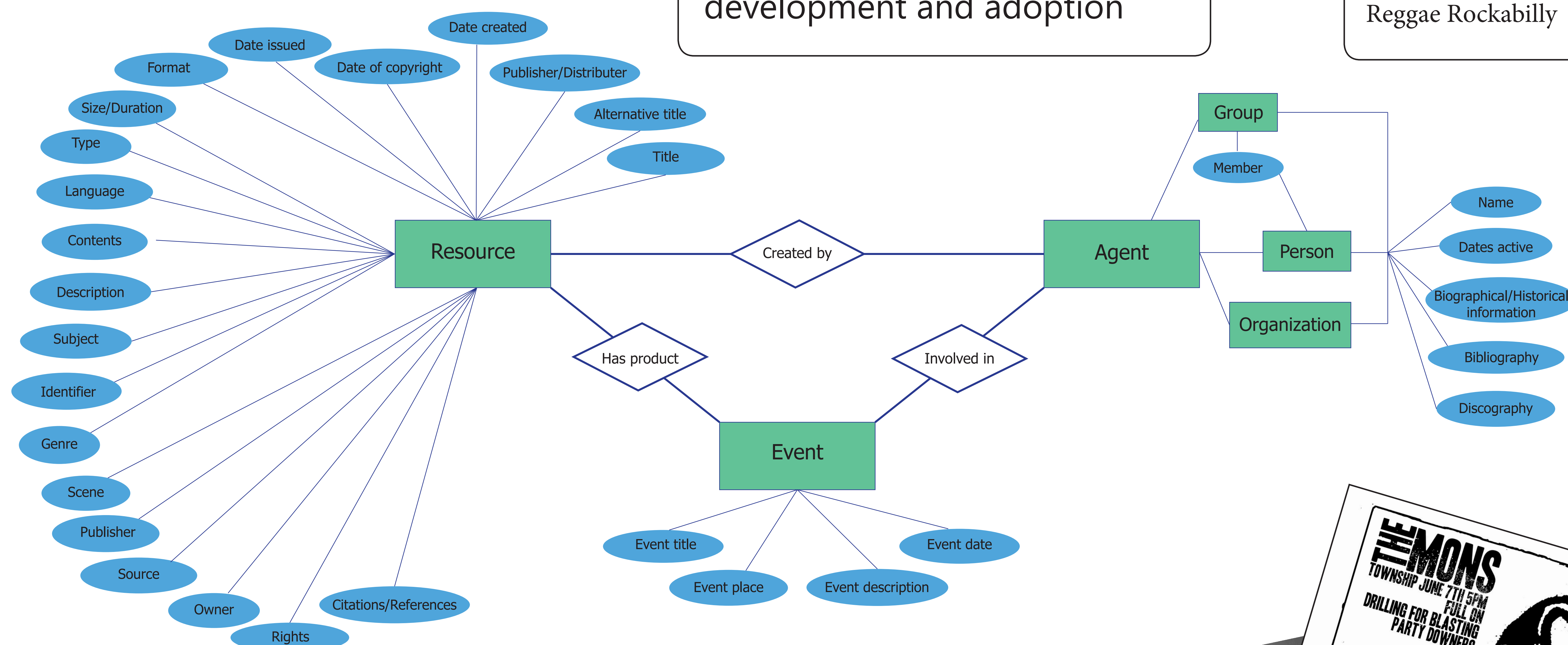
**PunkCore** is a Dublin Core Application Profile for the description of the culture of Punk, including its music, its places, its fashions, its artistic expression through film and art, and its artifacts such as fliers, patches, buttons, and other ephemera.

### Design considerations:

- Granular for expert users
- Accessible to non-experts
- Coverage of variety of formats
- Support FRBR user tasks
- Encourage community development and adoption

Sample from PunkCore genre vocabulary

Postpunk  
Protopunk  
Psychobilly  
BT: Rockabilly Punk  
Queercore  
UF: Homocore  
Riot Grrrl Movement  
Reggae Rockabilly



### Sample record view

Resource	Agent
<b>Title:</b> The Mons, Township, June 7th 5 PM <b>Date created:</b> 2014 <b>Date issued:</b> 2014 <b>Format:</b> Concert poster <b>Size:</b> 18 x 24 in. <b>Type:</b> Image <b>Language:</b> English <b>Description:</b> Poster for final performance by The Mons, held at Township on June 7, 2014. Also performing: Full On, Drilling for Blasting, and The Party Downers. <b>Subject:</b> Mons (Musical Group); Full On (Musical Group); Drilling for Blasting (Musical Group); Party Downers (Musical Group) <b>Genre:</b> False Metal <b>Scene:</b> Chicago metal <b>Owner:</b> Personal collection of Bryan Smith	<b>Group:</b> <b>Name:</b> Full On (Musical Group) <b>Member/Person:</b> <b>Name:</b> Ling, Nate <b>Name:</b> Smith, Bryan <b>Name:</b> Helmburger, C.J. <b>Name:</b> Simpson, Matt
	<b>Event</b> <b>Event title:</b> The Mons <b>Event place:</b> Township, 2200 N. California Ave., Chicago, IL 60647 <b>Event date:</b> June 7, 2014 <b>Event description:</b> Final performance of The Mons. Also appearing: Full On, Drilling for Blasting, and The Party Downers.



### Selected PunkCore terms mapped

PunkCore Label	Term mapping	PunkCore usage
Scene	dc:coverage	A subculture designation based on a time, place, or style. Example: DC hardcore
Genre	mods:genre	A term or terms that describe the style of the resource in relation to the Punk movement. Recommend use of PunkCore genre list as controlled vocabulary.
Event title	dc:title	The name given to an event.
Event place	lode:atPlace	The location at which an event took place.
Event date	lode:atTime	The date when an event happened.
Group	foaf:group	Used to describe a musical group, i.e. a band, or a collective of some other type such as a theater company, or artists' collective.
Discography	mo:discography	Used to link an artist to an online discography.
Biographical/ Historical information	dc:description	Use to provide biographical or historical information about an agent.

### Namespaces used

- Dublin Core Metadata Terms (dc) - <http://dublincore.org/documents/dcmi-terms/>
- LOD: an ontology for linking open descriptions of events (lode) - <http://linkedevents.org/ontology/>
- MODS: Metadata Object Description Schema (mods) - <http://www.loc.gov/mods/>
- MARC Relator Terms (marcrel) - <http://id.loc.gov/>
- FOAF Vocabulary Specification (foaf) - <http://xmlns.com/foaf/spec/>
- Music Ontology (mo) - <http://purl.org/ontology/mo/>

<https://github.com/PunkCore/PUNK-application-profile>