

## **WIKINEXT**

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#### Wiki World

- Wiki is a website where users can add, modify, or delete content via a web browser
- □ Wiki software (wiki engine): implementation
- Application (enterprise) wiki is a wiki engine where users can create/modify applications into the wiki page (ex: XWiki, TWiki)
- Semantic wiki is a wiki that uses models of knowledge (i.e. Semantic Media Wiki)

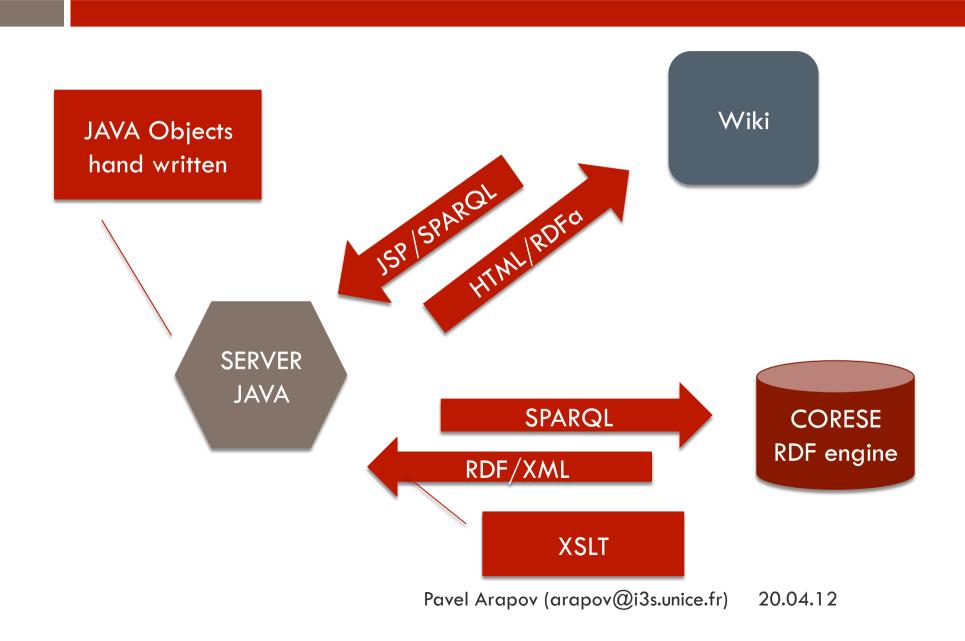
#### WikiNext

- □ Semantic Wiki:
  - Write collaboratively semantized documents
- □ Application Wiki:
  - Write applications within the wiki
  - □ Take advantages of the Linked Open Data,
- □ Take advantages of the new technologies: Web Services, HTML5, WebSockets, etc.

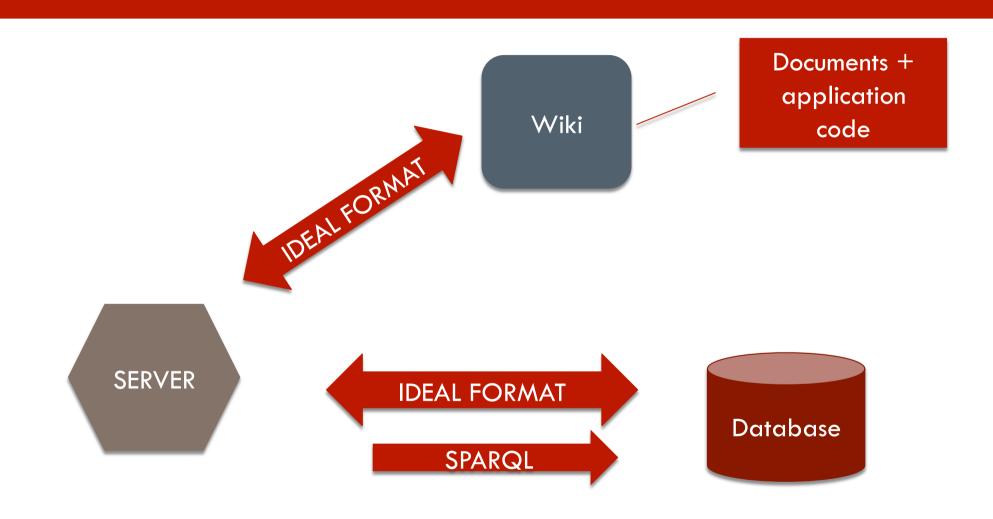
# Choosing technology

- □ Programming language
  - Simply, untyped
  - Easy to learn for users
- Unified representation format for data and metadata
  - RDF/RDFa Triples
  - Documents
  - Applications

# The SweetWiki way (2005-2009)



# Modern way



#### Browsers

- □ Browser = Layout engine + JavaScript engine
  - Google Chrome (WebKit + V8)
  - Safari (WebKit + Nitro)
  - Mozilla FireFox (TraceMonkey)
  - Opera (Caracan)
  - Internet Explorer

□ And...

## JavaScript engines are independent

- □ V8 by Google
- □ TraceMonkey by Mozilla
- SpiderMonkey by Mozilla
- □ Rhino by Mozilla
- □ Nitro by Apple
- Caracan by Opera

And JS is no more a web-browser only language!

#### CommonJS

- Specification to create server-side applications based on JS engine
- Open proposal system with voting on mailing list
- □ Used in:
  - CouchDB
  - MongoDB
  - SproutCore
  - node.js
  - XULJet

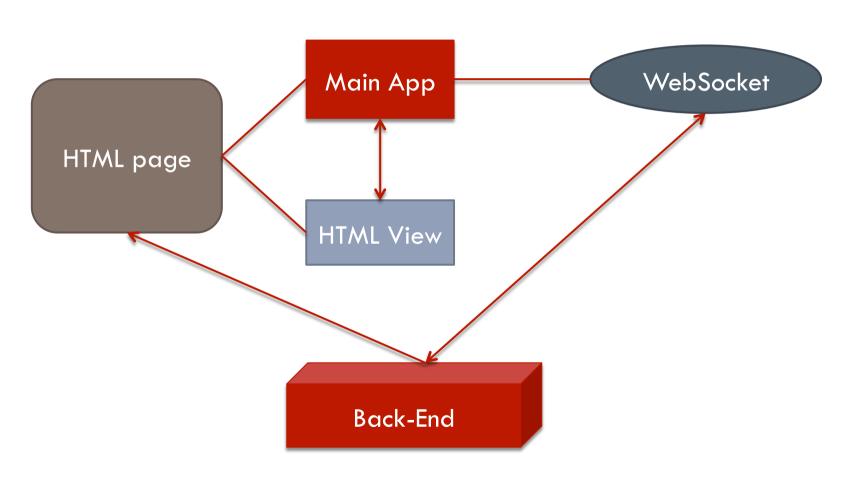
# Approach

- □ Page = Application
- □ JavaScript everywhere
- JSON as main data format
- Real-time interaction WebSockets (page-server)
- Storage MongoDB document-oriented database based on JSON format

# Technology

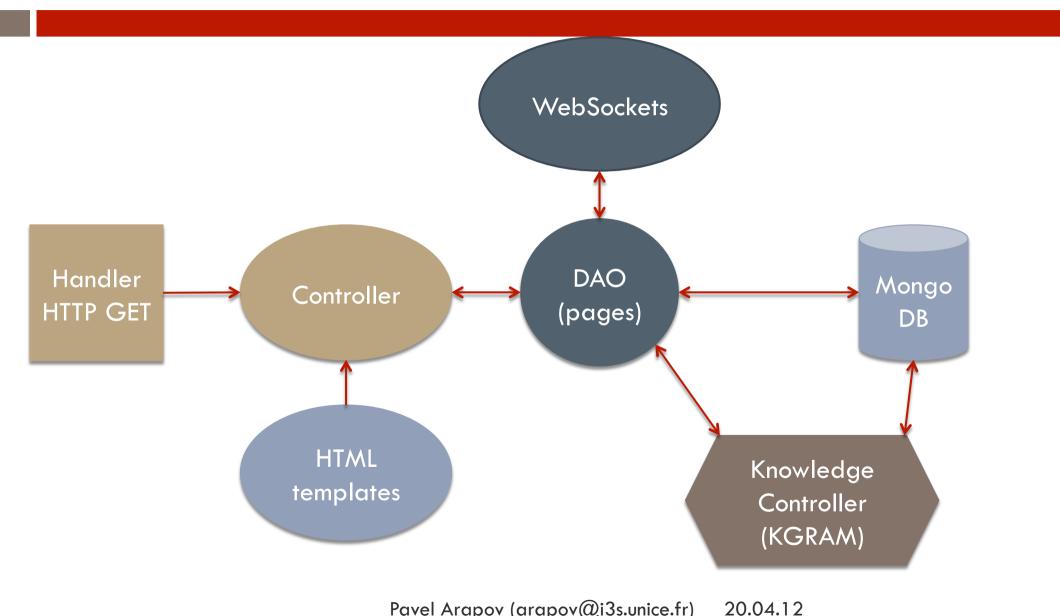
- □ Node.js HTTP Server
  - nowjs RPC library based on socket.io communication library: WebSockets, Comet etc
- □ MongoDB database
- Mustache logic less template engine
- □ Aloha − HTML5 in-place WYSIWYG editor
- □ ACE code editor
- □ VIE2 RDFa framework

### Front-end schema



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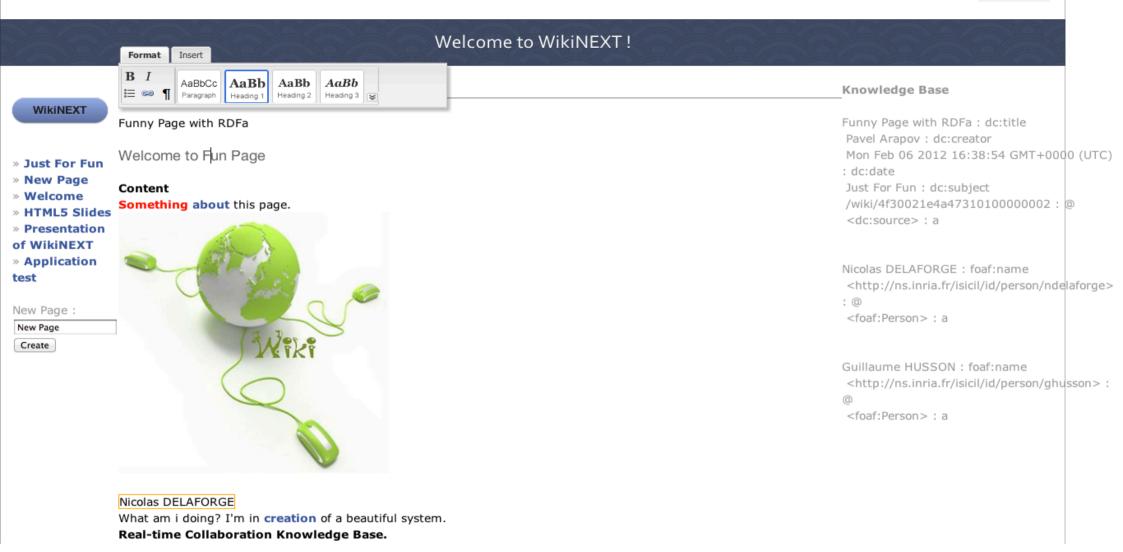
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#### Welcome to WikiNEXT!

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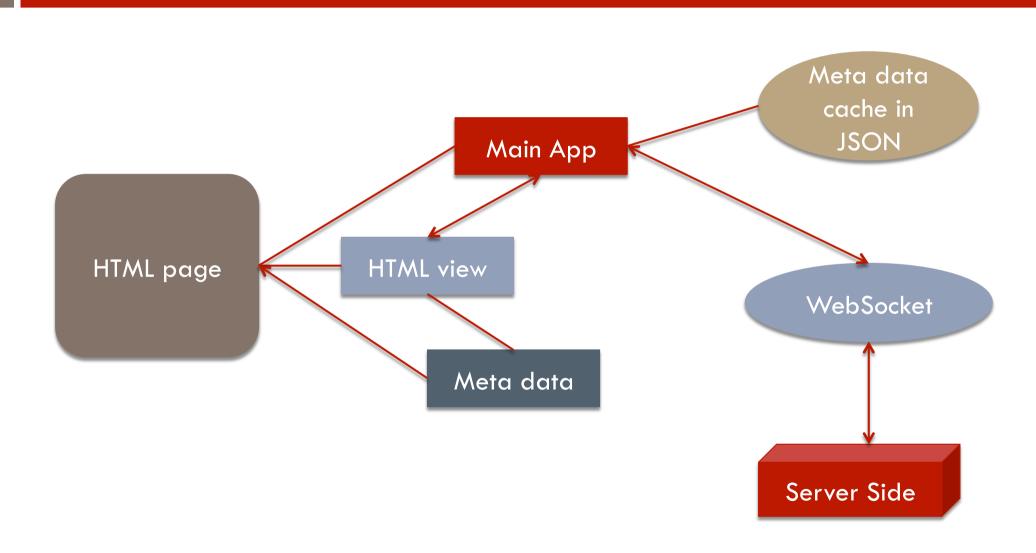
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           return window.requestAnimationFrame ||
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                    window.webkitRequestAnimationFrame ||
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                   window.oRequestAnimationFrame ||
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                    window.msRequestAnimationFrame ||
                    function(callback){
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                        window.setTimeout(callback, 1000 / 60);
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                    };
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       })O;
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       var canvas = document.createElement('canvas');
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       canvas.setAttribute('width', 880);
       canvas.setAttribute('height', 350);
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       canvas.setAttribute('id', 'canvas');
       $('.article').append(canvas);
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       var context = canvas.getContext('2d');
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       canvas.addEventListener('click', pauseOnOff);
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# Knowledge base

- □ Each page has a local knowledge database
- Global knowledge database is based on summary of all local knowledge databases
- □ Collections of triples in JSON-LD\* format

\* json-ld.org - last specification can be found here

# Knowledge spread



#### Results

- □ Early alpha version is available
  - wikinext.herokuapp.com
  - mainline.essi.fr (will be available soon)
- □ Inline edition
- □ Main App page render
  - Creating application into the pages
- Local Knowledge base and synchronization
- □ No data rewrite between server/client/database

#### Future work

- □ ShareJS OT library, real-time collaborative edit
- □ Extend the Wiki API
- Integrate connectors for Linked Open Data
- Extend the ontologies we use for describing documents and users' interactions (ISICIL model based on FOAF, SIOC, DC, etc.)
  - Add applications
- □ Templates for applications (visualization of data, automatic annotation, LOD querying, etc.)

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