

## Attendees:

- Georg Ferdinand Schneider (Individual CLA but affiliated with Schaeffler)
- María Poveda-Villalón (Ontology Engineering Group - Universidad Politécnica de Madrid)
- Mads Holten Rasmussen (Niras)
- Michel Böhms (TNO)
- Maxime Lefrançois (MINES Saint-Étienne)
- Ana Roxin (UBFC)
- [Erik Wallin](#) (RealEstateCore, Idun Real Estate Solutions AB)
- Jan Voskuil ()
- Bart van Leeuwen ()
- Joel Bender (Cornell University)
- David Bucher (Chair of Innovative and Industrial Construction - ETH Zurich)
- Odilo Schoch (ETH Zürich)
- Claudio Mirarchi (Postdoc researcher at Politecnico di Milano)
- Katja Breitenfelder (Fraunhofer IBP/ researcher TU Munich)

## Date and time

- 24/03/2020
- 16:00 CET/ 17:30 CET

## Agenda (tentative)

1. Introduction
2. Organisational:
  - Reorganisation of group chairs
  - Proposal for next meetings:
    - Apr 07th 2020 4:00pm - 5:30pm@CEST
    - Apr 23th 2020 4:00pm - 5:30pm@CEST
3. Michel: Update on CEN TC442/WG4/TG3 NWI “SMLS” Property Modelling pattern
  - Maxime : (slide 6) use owl:DatatypeProperty for modelling enumerations ?
    - OWLFull because the usage of xsd:decimal and rdf:value
      - Joel Bender - “rdf:value has no meaning on its own ... Despite the lack of formal specification of the meaning of this property, there is value in defining it to encourage the use of a common idiom in examples of this kind. “
      - Maxime : this only pertains to RDFS
    - How to determine the language level of an ontology - <https://github.com/stain/profilechecker>
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Please try to validate the following document with the profile checker:

> java -jar profilechecker.jar test.ttl OWL2\_DL # where test.ttl contains:

@prefix rdf: <http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#>.

@prefix rdfs: <http://www.w3.org/2000/01/rdf-schema#>.

@prefix owl: <http://www.w3.org/2002/07/owl#>.

@prefix ex: <http://example.org/>.

<http://example.org/> a owl:Ontology .

rdf:value a owl:ObjectProperty .

ex:Boy rdf:value "12" .

- Maria : (slide 7) ex:height is a property, then it becomes an instance -> OWL Full
- Maria : (slide 7) quantityTypeLength - is it a class or an instance ? consider using owl:allValuesfrom ?
- Maxime : the simpler the design the better - could one consider a simpler ontology shrinking to only 3% of the envisioned test cases but that 95% of the people could understand / the level of complexity associated with the work presented here could discourage even Semantic Web experts
  - Michel : always a balancing btw how simple one can make it and how simple it should be
- Maxime : verify that the proposal works on specific examples
  - Michel : we have some examples in CEN (cobuilder ?)

#### 4. Update on action items of meeting 12/03/2020

- [Georg Schneider] Check communication options (IRC, Github MD)
- 4. [Maxime] Issue <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/52> Redirect issue from to bot.ttl should be resolved
- 5. [Maxime] Issue <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/48> BOT in the LOV (Linked Open Vocabulary) repository should be updated from v0.2.0 to newest version
- 6. [Maxime] Issue <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/43> and <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/41> Align BOT to journal paper (v0.3.0)
- 7. [Mads ?] Issue <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/39>

Loading problems using Protégé: should be solved by now if issue <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/52> is resolved  
<https://github.com/protegeproject/protége/issues/890>

## Minutes

2. Organisational:
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  - Proposal for next meetings:
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    - ii. Apr 23th 2020 4:00pm - 5:30pm@CEST
3. Michel: Update on CEN TG3 property modelling [[SLIDES PDF](#), [SLIDES PPT](#), [SMLS Turtle Code](#)]
  - Additional presentation on property modelling
  - Conceptual Meta Model defined

### CEN SMLS

- › Various Topics
  - › Conceptual Meta Model (CMM)
    - › Language-bindings to RDF + (SKOS, RDFS+OWL & RDFS+SHACL)
      - › OPM Level 1-based by default
    - › Identification/naming/annotation conventions
    - › Enumeration Datatypes (as classes)
    - › Decomposition
    - › Quantity kinds & Units > QUDT version 2.1
    - › **Quantities** OPM Level 2/3 based (via relations having range smls:QuantityValue)
    - › Grouping (RDFS-based)
  - › Conceptual Modelling (CM) Patterns
    - › Top Level taxonomy
  - › Linking approaches for data and ontology level

Slide by (c) Michel Böhms

- Define level of capabilities with different expressivity (Slide 4)
- Take different inputs and come up with SMLS proposal
  - Attribute -> owl:AnnotationProperty
  - Quality (non-enum) -> owl:DatatypeProperty
  - Quality (enum) -> owl:ObjectProperty with rdfs:range
  - Quantity -> owl:ObjectProperty with rdfs:range smls:QuantityValue
- Q Maxime: Some of the statements (owl:onProperty rdfs:value) lead to OWL Full. You can check your ontology with this tool to ensure its in a decidable fragment of OWL:  
<https://github.com/stain/profilechecker>
  - The reserved vocabulary of OWL/ RDFS ... must not be used

see <https://www.w3.org/TR/owl2-syntax/>

Comment Maxime: IRIs with prefixes rdf:, rdfs:, xsd:, and owl: constitute the reserved vocabulary of OWL 2. As described in the following sections, the IRIs from the reserved vocabulary that are listed in Table 3 have special treatment in OWL 2.

- Q Georg/ Max: SAREF development framework might be available in future, which supports to avoid this kind of issues
- Comment Joel: rdf:value has no meaning on its own ... Despite the lack of formal specification of the meaning of this property, there is value in defining it to encourage the use of a common idiom in examples of this kind.
- Answer Maxime to Joel: that's only true in RDF/S
- Maria : Comment to slide 7. Being in OWL Full is not a question of consistency but whether your ontology is decidable. In other words it is not guaranteed that a reasoner will finish in finite time.
- Q Georg: Is there a web repository where the ontology files are open for public review?
- A Michel: There is not a public one but it can be shared in the group
- Q Max: How is the development team organised; is there a revision process by semantic web experts?
- A Michel: Review planned in May 2020; following CEN working group process
- Q Maria: Which working group is it?
- A Michel: CEN TC442/WG4/TG3

- Issues:

- How to connect to effort on Product data modelling?
- How to even reuse more QUDT ontology
- How to cover more complex properties

- Relationship with IFD proposed

- **BuildingSMART Data Dictionary (bSDD, earlier IFD)**

- Michel can hand out ontology files and tools -> figure out with Georg
- Q Max: How do you handle the difficulty that complex technologies are slowly adopted by practitioners
- Michel: We plan examples based on use case to explain the approach
- Q Georg: The current approach IP is owned by CEN?
- A Michel: Yes

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  - i. → Need to follow up until next meeting
- 4. [Maxime] Issue <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/52> Redirect issue from to bot.ttl should be resolved
  - i. Works in browser
  - ii. Still problems with some versions of protege
  - iii. Works with Accept text/turtle at <http://w3id.org/bot>

- iv. <https://github.com/protegeproject/protege/issues/890>
- v. CLOSED

- 5. [Maxime] Issue <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/48> BOT in the LOV (Linked Open Vocabulary) repository should be updated from v0.2.0 to newest version
  - -> Can be done by Maria as soon as fixes are made to bot
  - On hold
- 6. [Maxime] Issue <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/43>
  - i. Closed
- and <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/41> Align BOT to journal paper (v0.3.0)
  - i. Closed [DONE]
  - ii. Notify changes in mailing list
  - iii. Instead revision indicate in comments potential other ontologies
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  - > Seem to work from browser
  - > Problem when accessing through protege 4.3.0. OK for version 5.5
  - > Problem known to protégé → <https://github.com/protegeproject/protege/issues/890>

#### Resolutions:

- Closed <https://github.com/w3c-lbd-cg/bot/issues/52>
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#### ACTIONS:

- > Georg update comments of “hasZeroPoint”
- > Maxime to update to v0.3.2 after #41 and #43 are closed

- > Apr 23th 2020 Call on RealEstateCore

## **Next Call**

- Apr 7th 2020 4:00pm - 5:30 pm CET

We are interested in getting suggestions from the community about potential agenda items for the following calls. Please send your suggestions to [public-lbd@w3.org](mailto:public-lbd@w3.org), whether you have a short presentation to bootstrap the discussion, and an approximate duration you think the discussion will last.

## **Previous minutes**

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1L1yZkhpSw5c\\_8rH\\_NZh4\\_mI8qomftDJDoRjN4Hr4RQQ/edit#](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1L1yZkhpSw5c_8rH_NZh4_mI8qomftDJDoRjN4Hr4RQQ/edit#)