

Libraries Projects Updates ILS/LSP, FAST Headings, Wiki Platform

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Three part updates

- Horizon replacement: LSP status report
- FAST heading project +: URIs, punctuations, Share Virtual Discovery Environment (SVDE)
- Wiki platform experimentations: Wikidata and Wikibase

LSP update

Library Service Platform

a unified management of library services and collections that is based on a service oriented architecture and Web-based (cloud) multi-tenant system

LSP Strategy Group

Members

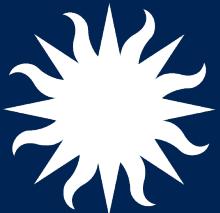
- Erik Bergstrom, around Summon and discovery layer
- Heidy Berthoud
- Kristen Bullard
- Ricc Ferrante
- *Barbara Ferry, co-chair*
- Melanie Hall
- *Martin Kalfatovic, co-chair*
- *Polly Khater, co-chair*
- Polly Lasker
- Bess Missell
- Suzanne Pilsk, communications
- Jackie Shieh

LSP Functional Groups

- Access & search
- Acquisitions & procurement
- Analytics & reporting
- Resource sharing (circulation, ILL)
- Descriptive data
- Digital collections
- System & Technology

- Timeline
 - May: Review literatures, SOW from others, forming subgroups
 - June-July: subgroups meet, drafted relevant sections of SOW
 - August: SOW draft review with stakeholders
 - September 30: SOW completed

Question?



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librariesarchives.si.edu

FAST Headings + ...



Faceted Application of Subject Terminology



- Adapted from LCSH
- Simple to learn and apply
- Friendly and faceted-based
- Flexibility and modern look in design

Pre-coordinated LCSH

600 \$a Washington, George, \$d 1732-1799

650 \$a Trenton, Battle of, Trenton, N.J., 1776 \$v Juvenile literature

651 \$a Delaware River (N.Y.-Del. and N.J.)

600 17 \$a Washington, George \$d 1732-1799 \$2 fast \$0 (OCOlc)fst00178100

About the person

647 7 \$a Battle of Trenton \$c (Trenton, New Jersey : \$d 1776) \$2 fast \$0 (OCOlc)fst01404297

Event

648 7 \$a 1776 \$2 fast

Chronology

651 7 \$a New Jersey \$z Trenton \$2 fast \$0 (OCOlc)fst01207908

Geographic

651 7 \$a United States \$z Delaware River \$2 fast \$0 (OCOlc)fst01310316

Genre

655 7 \$a Juvenile works \$2 fast \$0 (OCOlc)fst01411637

Enhanced FAST with URI

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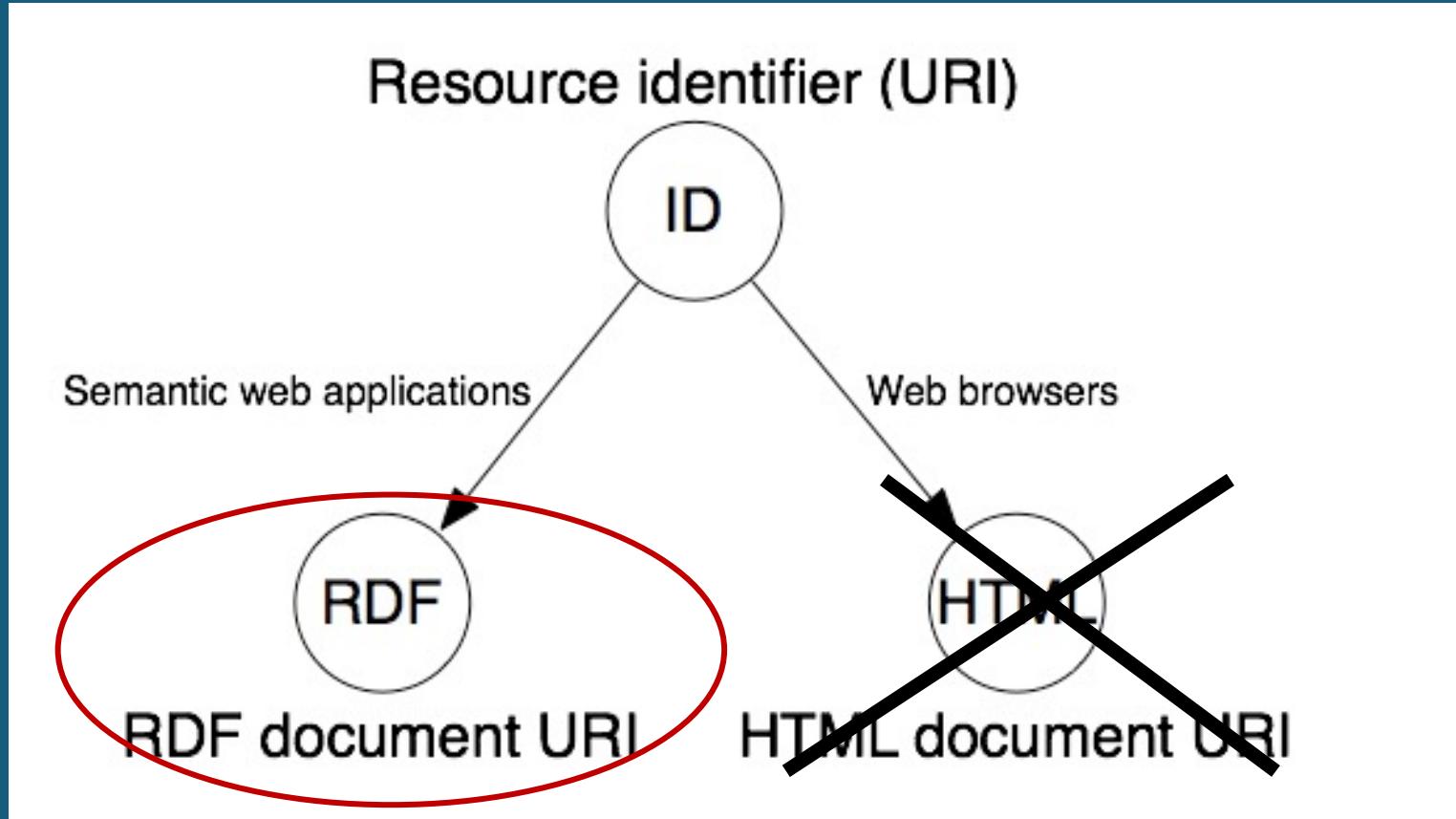
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Not all URIs are equal

3XX: Request
will complete
after further
action

301 (Redirect)
303 (See other)



2XX: Request
successfully received,
understood and
accepted

<https://www.w3.org/TR/cooluris/>

Dereferenceable URI not URL

PreferLabel	Entity	URI	URL
George Washington	Washington, George, 1732-1799	http://id.loc.gov/authorities/names/n86140996	https://id.loc.gov/authorities/names/n86140996.html
Battle of Trenton	Trenton, Battle of, Trenton, N.J., 1776	http://id.loc.gov/authorities/subjects/sh85137295	https://id.loc.gov/authorities/subjects/sh85137295.html

Workflow demo

video clip: bit.ly/SI_LinkedData_cataloging

- MacroExpress
- Win10 Powershell
- MarcEdit
- OCLC Connexion
- Horizon

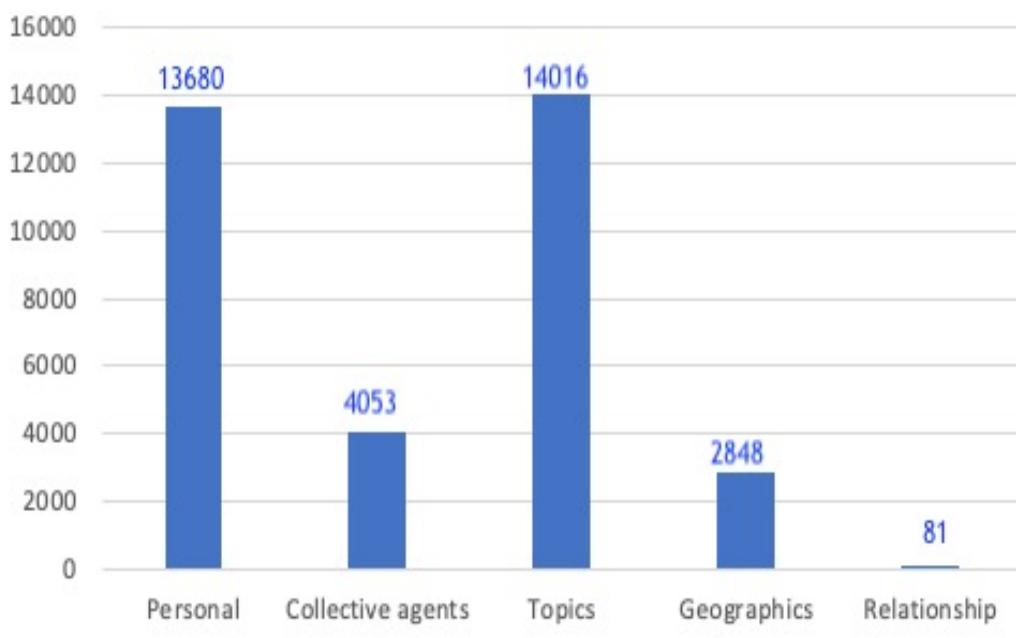
Before and after FAST/LD enhancements

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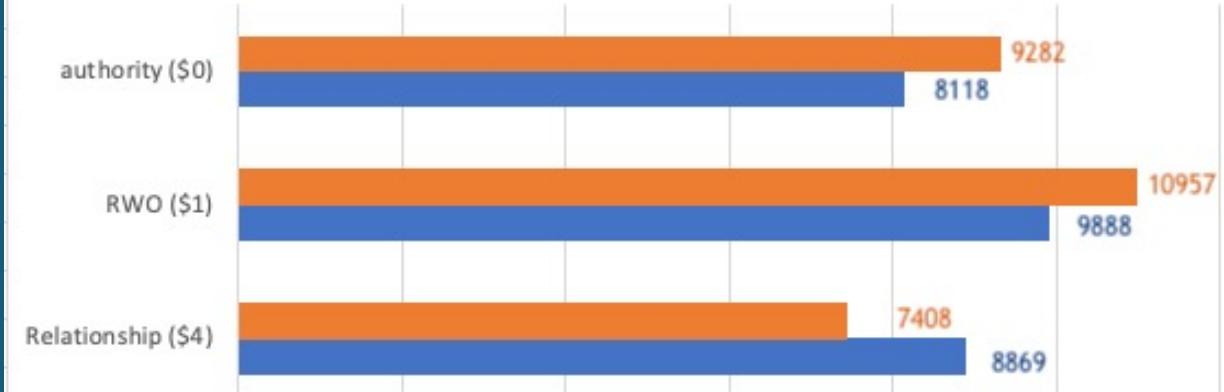
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URIs counts in Horizon

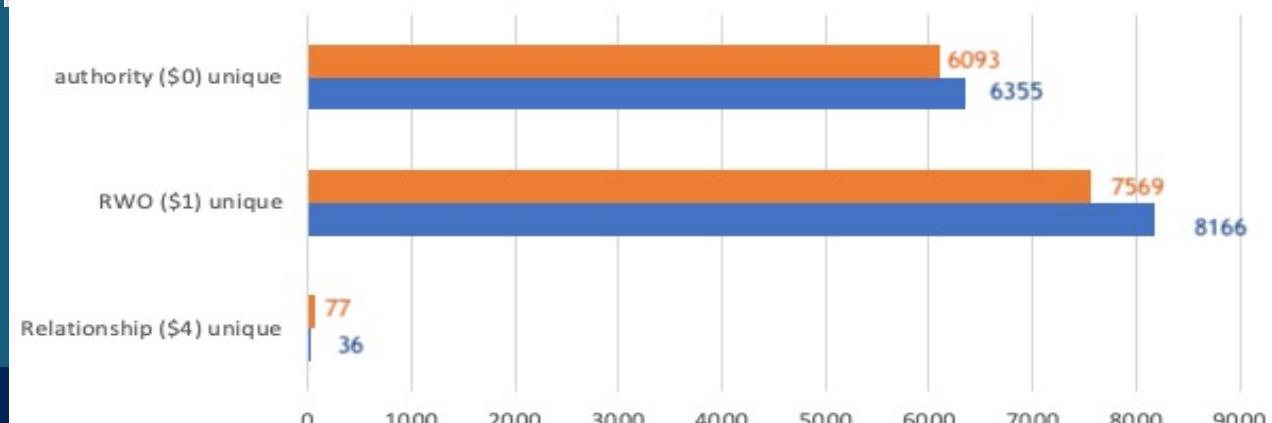
Unique RDF URI by category



URIs Occurrences (MARC **100** vs **700**)



URIs Single Occurrence (MARC **100** vs **700**)



Bib data enhancements

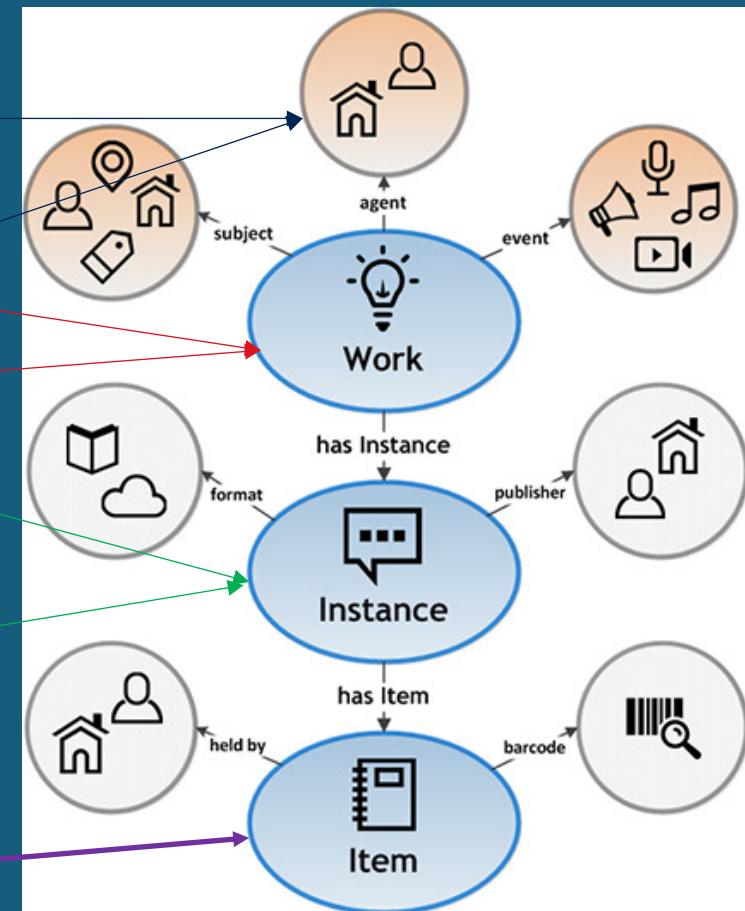
- Added FAST identifiers (then converted to URLs)
- Updated MARC encoding standards and data validation
- RDA content standards
- Added URLs to AAPs and alternates (1xx, 6xx, 7xx)
- Replaced/added relationship URI (\$4) to relator code
- Removed ISBD punctuation (trailing and between subfields)

Prep MARC to BIBFRAME

Entitification

Catalog record to BIBFRAME entity

Man from the farthest past, / by C.W. Bishop, Charles Greeley Abbott, and Aleš Hrdlička.			
Author:	Bishop, Carl Whiting.		
Title:	Man from the farthest past, / by C.W. Bishop, Charles Greeley Abbott, and Aleš Hrdlička.		
Publisher:	New York, Smithsonian Institution Series, inc., 1930.		
Description:	375 p. illus.		
Series:	Smith. Sci. Ser. -- vol. 7		
Subject:	Prehistoric peoples Primitive societies		
Added Author:	Abbot, C. G. (Charles Greeley), 1872-1973 Hrdlička, Aleš, 1869-1943		
Added Series:	Smith. Sci. Ser. ; vol. 7.		
Catalog Source No.:	(OCOLOC)ocm00476263		
Copy/Holding information			
Call No.	Collection	Barcode	Status
GN738 .B54	SI Tropical Research Institute	39088001335785	Checked In



bibframe.org

Entity relationship



Man from the farthest past, by Bishop, Charles Greeley Abbot Ales Hrdlicka

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Object Details

Author

Bishop, Carl Whiting

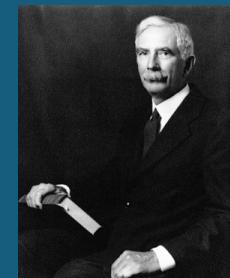
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si.edu/object/siris_sil_23492

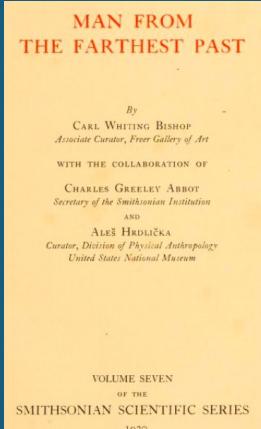
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Description:	6 preliminary leaves, iii, 375 pages color frontispiece, illustrations (including map) 100 plates (some color) on 65 leaves 25 cm
Series:	Smith. Sci. Seri. ; -- v. 7
Notes:	On cover: Patrons edition One of the plates accompanied by guard sheet with descriptive letterpress
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Genre:	History
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	Smithsonian scientific series ; v. 7



Charles Greeley Abbot
viaf.org/viaf/77062086

id.loc.gov/authorities/names/n50039868

[Is] author [of]
id.loc.gov/vocabulary/relators/aut



VOLUME SEVEN
OF THE
SMITHSONIAN SCIENTIFIC SERIES
1930

MAN FROM
THE FARTHEST PAST

By
CARL WHITING BISHOP
Associate Curator, Freer Gallery of Art

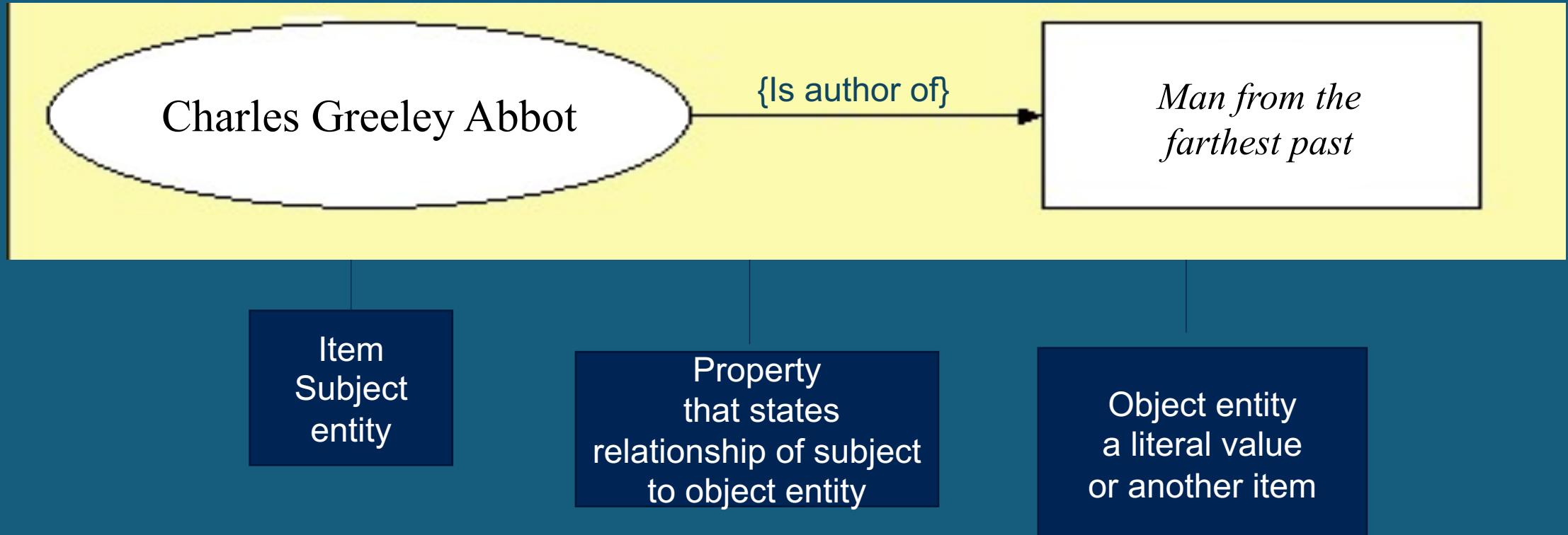
WITH THE COLLABORATION OF

CHARLES GREELEY ABBOT
Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution

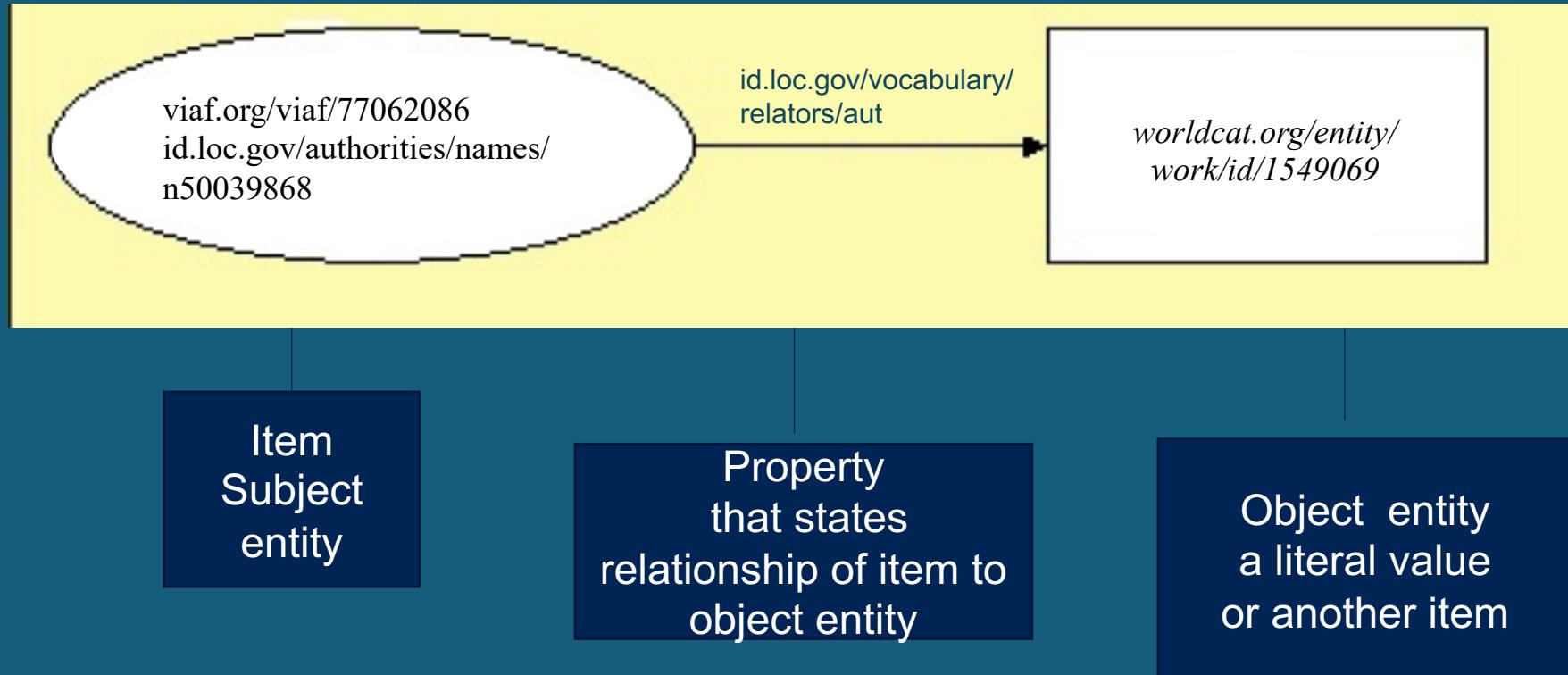
AND

ALEŠ HRDLIČKA
Curator, Division of Physical Anthropology
United States National Museum

A RDF entity statement



Same entity statement with URIs



Where do URIs go in MARC?

Bibliographic record:

\$0 Authority record control number or standard number

\$0 <http://id.loc.gov/authorities/names/n90710805>

\$1 Real World Object (RWO)

\$1 <http://www.wikidata.org/entity/Q36322>

\$4 Relationship

\$4 <http://id.loc.gov/entities/relationships/composer>

\$4 <http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50522>

\$u URL (*Uniform Resource Locator*)

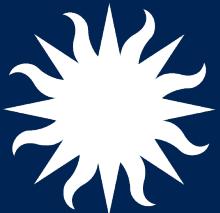
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Latest endeavor: Share VDE Initiative

- Funded by CIS IRM Poll fund
- Sample set of 125 records (06/30)
 - Bib and item records
- Prepare specs to extract Horizon
 - authority, bibs and items
- Enhanced MARC bib and authority data
- Transformed MARC bib data in BIBFRAME RDF/xml

wiki.share-vde.org

Question?



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Wiki Projects

Wiki: What is it?

- Wiki – a collaborative platform for writing and publishing via a user agent, e.g., browser
- Wikipedia – a collaboratively edited, multilingual, free Internet encyclopedia supported by the non-profit Wikimedia Foundation
- ***Wikidata – a global database (repository), hosting structured data in triples:***
"this" "is" "that" (subject item (Q#))—property (P#)—object item (Q#))
- ***Wikibase – a software that drives Wikidata, which supports structured data***
- ***Data modeling – analyze data requirements to support logic, structure, discoverability, context, etc.***

Linked data resources in Libraries' PRISM



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Wikimedia and Linked Data

The [Descriptive Data Management](#) and the [Resource Description](#) departments of SLA provide expertise to the Smithsonian Community on Linked Open data, Wikimedia Commons, Wikipedia, Wikidata and Wikimedia Projects Training.

Contact

[Wikimedia and Linked Data inquiries](#)

Wikimedia Project Services

SLA has staff members who provide the following services:

- Training for groups and individuals in editing [Wikipedia](#) and other [Wikimedia Foundation](#) projects (such as [Wikidata](#) and [Wikimedia Commons](#)) for Smithsonian staff, interns, fellows, volunteers and affiliates
- Presentations on creating and improving Wiki content in your unit's area of subject expertise
- Assisting in your unit's educational and public outreach efforts through [Wikimedia Foundation](#) projects
- Acting as a liaison with Wikipedians locally and worldwide who are working on [GLAM \[Galleries, Libraries, Archives & Museums\]](#) projects and are eager to be of help by designing tools or serving on short or long-term volunteer assignments in collaboration with your unit.

Linked Open Data Services

Structured data that links to another data point

- Person data
- Research data
- Description data
- Data modeling
- Bibframe
- How linked data impacts web results and visibility
- Consultation for data models and designs
- Data may include person data, collection data, metadata
- Controlled vocabulary or thesauri consultations for cultural heritage collections
- Consultations for Wikimedia projects, e.g. Wikipedia, [Wikimedia Commons](#) (audio, video, images), etc.

Wikimedia and Linked Data FAQs

- » History
- » Smithsonian and Wiki Foundation Projects
- » Terms and Background about Wikimedia and Linked Open Data
- » What are linked data and linked open data?
- » What are semantic queries?
- » What is a SPARQL endpoint?
- » What is DBpedia? What is its relationship to Wikipedia and Wikidata?
- » What is Wikibase?
- » What is Wikidata?
- » What is Wikimedia Commons?
- » What will be the expected outcome?

Smithsonian linked data and Wikimedia projects



Open source wiki software



Free online multilingual encyclopedia



Structured data repository



Media repository for image, sound, and video files



Online library of freely available source texts, including translations in any language



To collect world's knowledge in a structured manner to benefit all who seek knowledge

data repository that is open, free, collaborative, and multilingual, which collects structured data to support Wikipedia, Wikimedia Commons, and many other Wiki projects

item	property	value
Marie Curie	field of work	chemistry
Q7186	P101	Q2329

Uses for Wikidata

- Identifiers clearing house
- A repository connecting facts about people, places, things, and concepts
- A host for data reuse in other projects

wikidata.org/wiki/WD:1

WIKIDATA IN BRIEF

Claim: Item – Property – Value

Item Q number
Property P number

item	property	value
Marie Curie	field of work	chemistry
Q7186	P101	Q2329

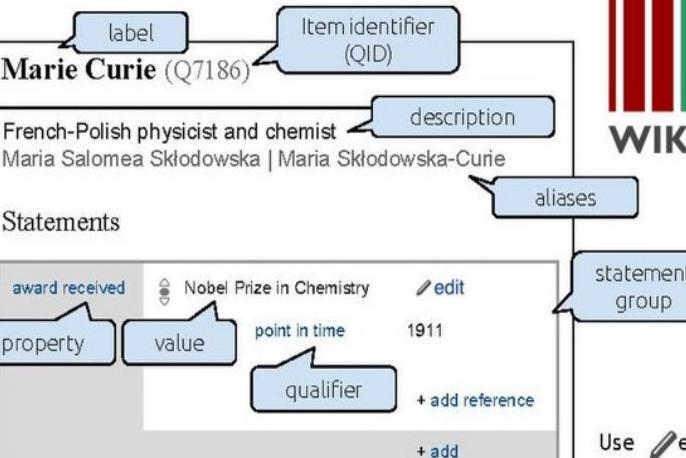
Wikidata item basics

[Label](#), [description](#), [aliases](#) – human friendly language-specific strings

[Statements](#) – includes identifiers, sitelinks at bottom of an item

[Qualifiers](#) – adds details to claims (i.e. dates, distinctions, etc)

[Copyright](#) - all content in Wikidata is Creative Commons CC0 (public domain)



Critical concepts

[Help:Basic membership properties](#)

Instance (P31) vs subclass (P279)

[Help:Sources](#)

Adding references, use "stated in" or "reference URL"

Displaying items

[Reasonator](#) and [SOID](#) – rich visual display of Wikidata items

[Wikidata Graph Builder](#) – show connectedness of items based on properties

Querying

[Query.wikidata.org](#) – SPARQL interface. Explore example queries and display options. CTRL-Space auto-expands item and property names to Q/P numbers.

[VizQuery](#) – simple query using rules without requiring coding



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andrew.lih@gmail.com

Digital version:
bit.ly/wikidata-onepage



Simple editing tools

[Distributed Game](#) – contribute through Yes/No/Skip micro-decisions

[Mix-n-Match](#) – connect external identifiers to Wikidata items

Bulk editing

[Quickstatements](#) – use tab-delimited claims to edit

[PetScan](#) – powerful toolbox for Wikipedia categories and Wikidata

[OpenRefine](#) – open source tool for cleaning messy data, reconciliation

[Data donation](#) - how and why to contribute, and guidelines for institutions

Other tools

[TABernacle](#) – inspect and edit Wikidata interactively in table format

[Google Spreadsheet Wikipedia Tools](#) – query Wikipedia and Wikidata from spreadsheet cells

[External tools](#) – comprehensive list of all Wikidata tools

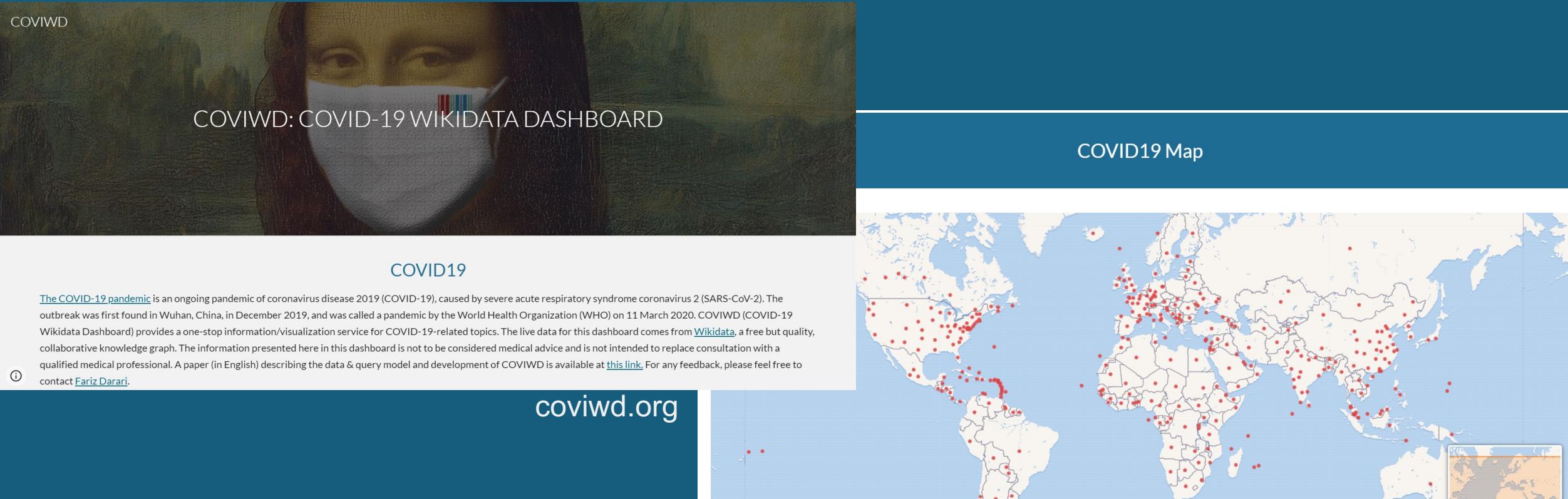
[WikiBase](#) – open source software extension to MediaWiki that runs Wikidata. Available as a Docker container to create a custom structured data repository

Community and news

[Wikidata:Project chat](#) – discussion forum

[Wikidata>Status updates](#) – weekly summary newsletter

COVID-19 Wikidata Dashboard





Libraries' Wiki efforts

How did we get started?

- Authority control needs
- Data starting point
 - Artists files—Libraries and museums
 - Languages and scripts for non-Latin collections
 - Researchers and published outputs



Libraries Wikidata Projects

Wikidata:WikiProject PCC Wikidata Pilot/Smithsonian Libraries

[Project page](#) [Discussion](#) [Star](#)

[Edit](#) [Edit source](#) [History](#)

< Wikidata:WikiProject PCC Wikidata Pilot

Welcome

Participants

Projects

Properties

Resources

wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:WikiProject_PCC_Wikidata_Pilot/Smithsonian_Libraries

- African ethnic groups
- Artists Files
- Chinese ancestors portraits (Qing Dynasty)
- Dibner scientists portraits
- Smithsonian Research Online (SRO)

*These projects all centered around dealing with **names** (people, organizational units), but also faced challenges with **multilingual scripts**, **ethics** concerns, and making **inferences***

This is what we did

Wikidata Properties

- Understanding data model in the Wikidata ecosystem
- Application & constraints
- Smithsonian internal and Wikidata community policies
- Standards, best practices and patterns
- Ethical questions
- Political issues
- Impacts from SPARQL queries

Wikidata tools and APIs

- Scholia
- Listeria
- Crotos
- Art depiction explorer
- OpenRefine
- Mix'n'Match
- Entity explosion (browser add-on)
- Wikipedia/Wikidata Google spreadsheet (browser add-on)
- Smithsonian Institution
scholia.toolforge.org/topic/Q131626
- Kari Bruwelheide
scholia.toolforge.org/author/Q16727713
- Chinese emperors
listeria.toolforge.org/dynamic.html#list=278
- Crotos home page
zone47.com/crotos/
- Alice Pike Barney, in Wedding Gown
art.wikidata.link/item/Q20488341
- OpenRefine (Libraries networked version)
sil-viweb-wikibase.si.edu:3333
- Mix'n'Match
mix-n-match.toolforge.org/#/

Smithsonian Wikidata Team presentations

- Libraries Discovery Services Forum
June 23
bit.ly/DISC2021Forum0623
- 2021 LD4 Conference
July 21
sched.co/joA8



a decentralized perspective for Wikidata

software that WMDE has written to make Wikidata a powerful, flexible and customizable, available in multiple languages data repository, supports data serializations, e.g., JSON, N3, etc.

Wikibases in Europe



#SEMIC2020
15 October 2020
→ 1ST DIGITAL
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bibliotheek

FNE
(Fichier
national
d'entités)
NOEMI
(Nouvelles
Oeuvres,
Expressions,
Manifestations
et Items)

{BnF

French National Library

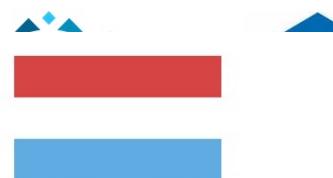
Bibliothèque nationale de France (BnF) and the
Bibliographic Agency for Higher Education in France
are building a new service for libraries and other
GLAM institutions based on Wikibase.

[youtube.com/embed/J5mCem-hEMg](https://www.youtube.com/embed/J5mCem-hEMg)



German National Library

The Deutsche Nationalbibliothek (DNB) is adopting Wikibase for its Integrated Authority File (GND). The GND is used throughout German speaking countries and contains 8 million records on persons, corporate bodies, geographical names and more.



Luxembourg Ministry Of Culture

A competency network of 8 GLAM institutions are pursuing Wikibase for sharing authority information. They use the CIDOC-CRM ontology as a federation tool for data modelling and RDA-FR as normative rulebook for content.

Wikibase & OCLC



OCLC DevConnect Webinar Series, May 20, 2020

Building an OpenRefine Reconciliation Service Endpoint for a Wikibase project

Services	
VIAF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fast Reconciliation Service	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pictograph (en)	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONTENTdm linked data pilot Reconciliation service	<input type="checkbox"/>

Shared Entity Management Infrastructure

Wikibase in art and archives



Linked Jazz

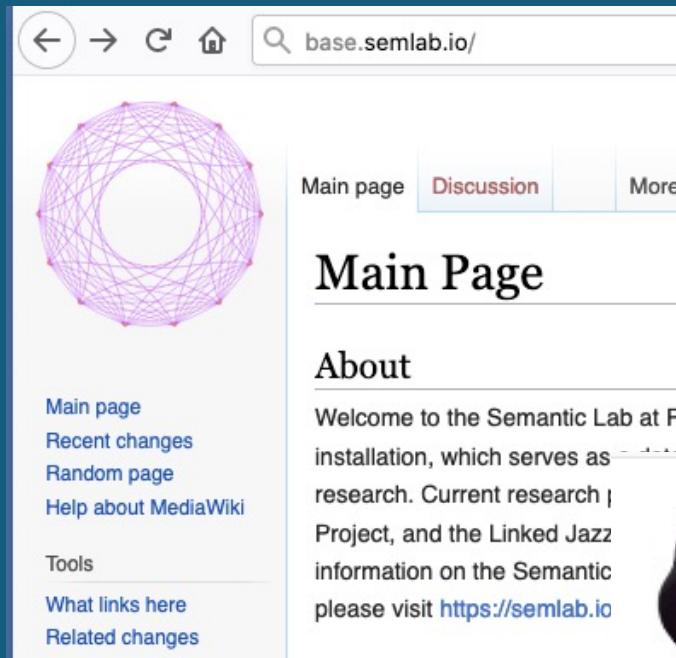
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RHIZOME

Rhizome

Rhizome is a leading digital arts organization based in New York. They maintain the ArtBase, an archive of more than 2,000 born-digital works of art from the 1990s to the present day.



DAAP

Wikidata and Wikibase for Film Archives

Wikibase: an SI-centric Wikidata

- What are the entity descriptions that will matter ?
- How much should be said about them?

Where do we start?

Where do we stop?

Should there be different treatments for opinions and interpretation?

What form should the description take?

Who will do the work?

oclc.org/research/presentations/2019/111319-godby-NISO-what-are-entities-that-matter.html

Wikibase: augmented and enriched with Wikidata

- Independent of, with a federation option to, Wikidata
- Technology stack, potential viable for developing linked data store
- Ability to develop specialized data model
- Local control over data (determining which claims to remain private),
but at the cost of inter-relatability?
- Documentation: best practices
- System customization, e.g., Wikidata:Schemas in place of <property—constraint>
wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:WikiProject_Schemas

Web services connected to Wikidata

- Library of Congress
- iNaturalist
- IMDB
- GeoName
- Spotify
- etc.
- Abbot, Charles Greeley
id.loc.gov/authorities/names/n50039868
- Yellow-legged Gull
inaturalist.org/taxa/59202
- James Norton
imdb.com/name/nm3584268
- Tokyo Prefecture
geonames.org/1850144
- Girls' Generation (Korean girl pop music group)
open.spotify.com/artist/0Sadg1vgvaPqGTOjxu0N6c

External data embedded in library catalog

- Cornell new catalog
 - “*Two*” (scroll to click link, <Highlight the DISCOGS data>)
newcatalog.library.cornell.edu/catalog/8058246
 - “*Comparison of ...*” (scroll to click icon <i> links for <Subjects>)
d.lib.msu.edu/etd/3746/
 - “*Mark Twain*” (scroll to view <Information from the Web>
search.library.wisc.edu/catalog/9911042395202121
- Mich State catalog
- U-W Madison catalog

Installing Wikibase: a reality check

- What is the question: with or without Docker
- APIs: unbundled without Docker
- UI customization for user preferences

Smithsonian Wikibase Pilot

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Welcome to the Smithsonian's Wikibase Pilot!

This instance is for getting us comfortable in the Wikibase environment, and to start modeling out how to implement a Wikibase for Smithsonian data.

Consult the [User's Guide](#) for information on using the wiki software.

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Question?
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