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SHARE-VDE and BIBFRAME Linked Data in real life



Phase 1 and phase 2 introduction



SHARE Virtual Discovery Environment project

The main goal of this Research & Development library community driven project has been to experiment BIBFRAME with a critical mass of data (in heterogeneity and volumes).

- **Phase 1**: analysis, enrichment, reconciliation, conversion in RDF, publication of two sets of bibliographic data for each participant library were foreseen (1985 and 2015 imprint titles). This phase also contained the release of Marc records enriched with URIs and BIBFRAME 1.0 datasets for each participant library.
- A total of 2,249,387 bibliographical records and 3,601,327 authority records were converted into BIBFRAME 1.0 and published on the SHARE-VDE portal:

www.share-vde.org

Phase 1: from October 2016 to January 2017.



SHARE Virtual Discovery Environment project

- **Phase 2**: data enrichment and conversion refinements and customization, enhanced data supply workflow experimentation, second release of the portal.
- The library catalogue of each participant institution has been converted into BIBFRAME 2.0 and returned to each library (over 100 million records and consequent datasets are expected to be processed).
- A relationship database that registers the relationships between entities (person, work, instances, subjects, publisher, ...) is established in order to assure a more precise identification rate of each entity to reach a higher quality of results without human intervention.
- Refinements of data, e.g. for co-authors and editors, where there is a variety of ways in which they are identified in library records (Relator terms topic), is addressed.

Enrichment with URIs of the MARC records for each library's catalogue.

Phase 2: from March 2017 to February 2018.



Participants libraries (1)

Phase 1	Phase 2	(in Country/State order):
Х	Х	Stanford University
Х	Х	University California Berkeley
Х	Х	Yale University
Х	Х	Library of Congress
Х	Х	University of Chicago
Х	Х	University of Michigan Ann Arbor
Х	Х	Harvard University
Х		Massachusetts Institute of Technology
	Х	Duke University
Х		Cornell University
Х		Columbia University
Х	Х	University of Pennsylvania



Participants libraries (2)

Phase 1	Phase 2	(in Country/State order):
	Х	Pennsylvania State University
Х	Х	Texas A&M University
	Х	University of Alberta
Х		University of Toronto

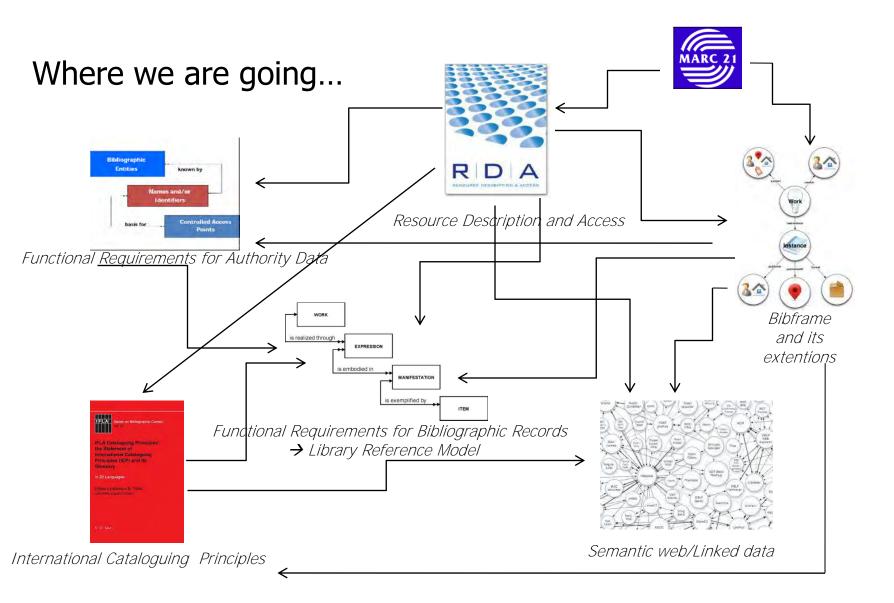
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Theoretical context



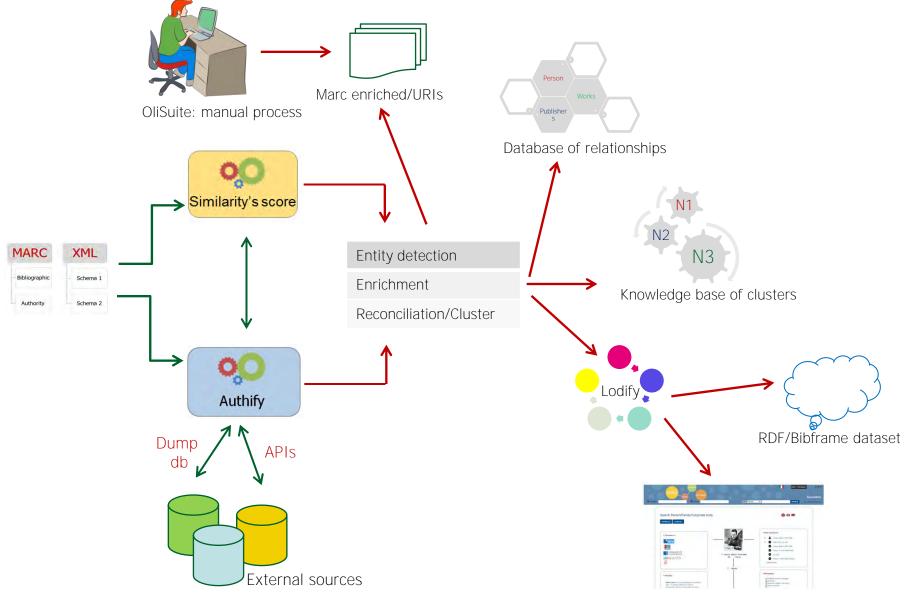
The theoretical context of the project





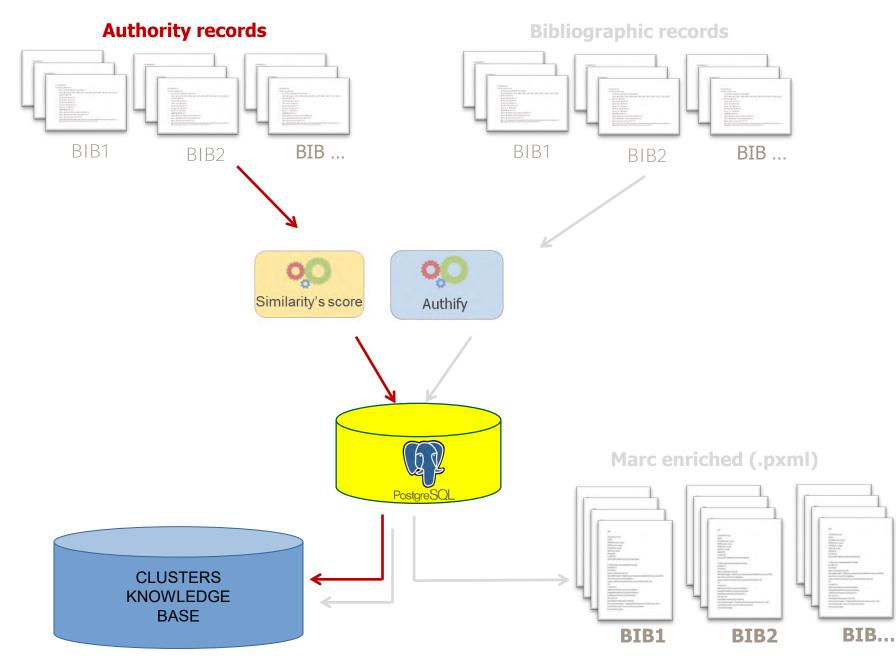
SHARE-VDE process overview

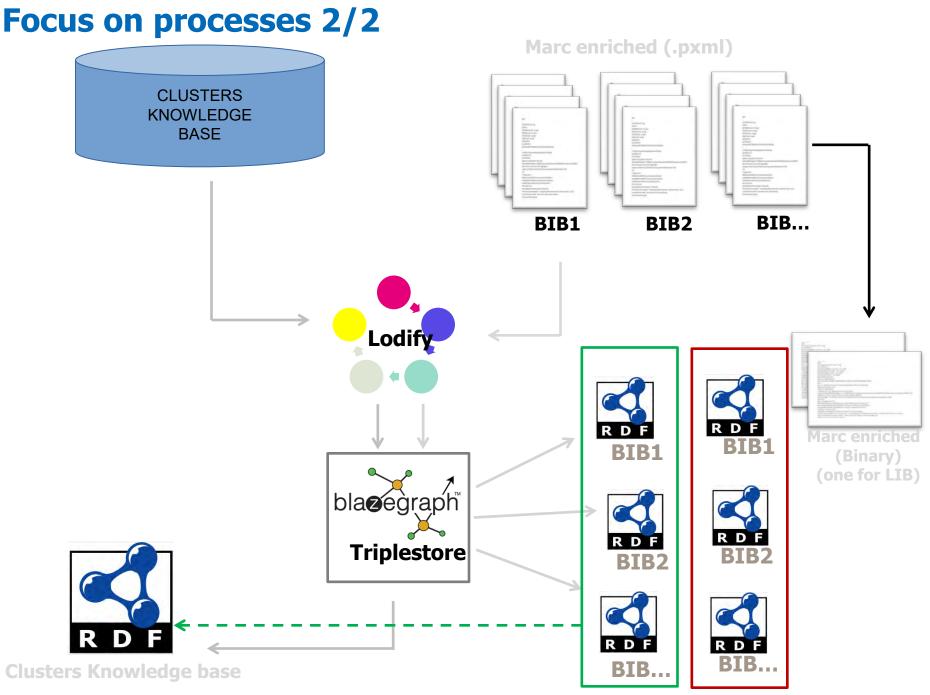
The SHARE-VDE processes



SHARE-VDE Portal

Focus on processes 1/2



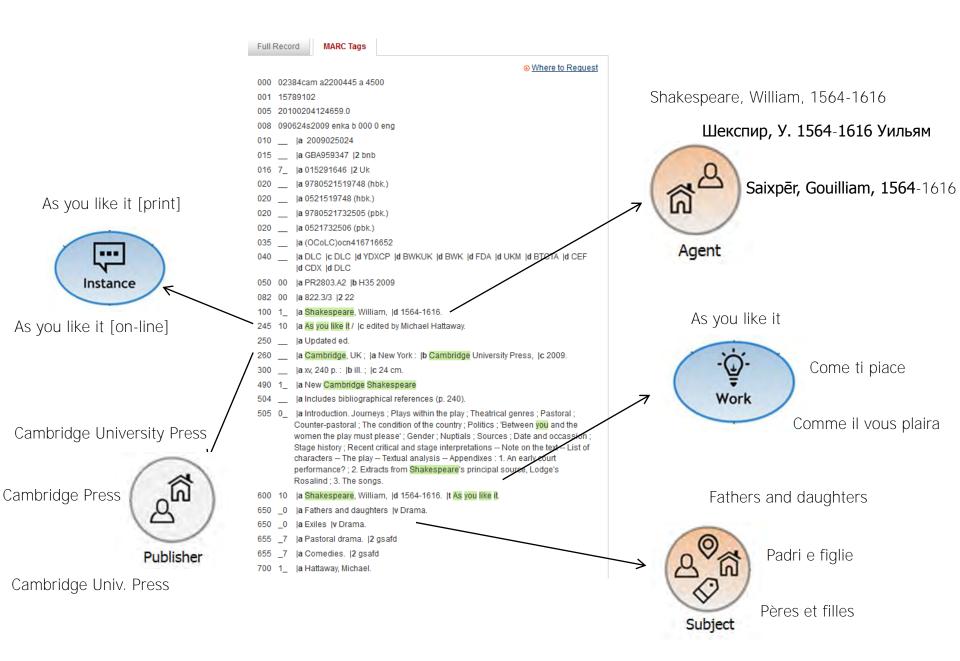


SHARE-VDE URIs External (VIAF) URIs

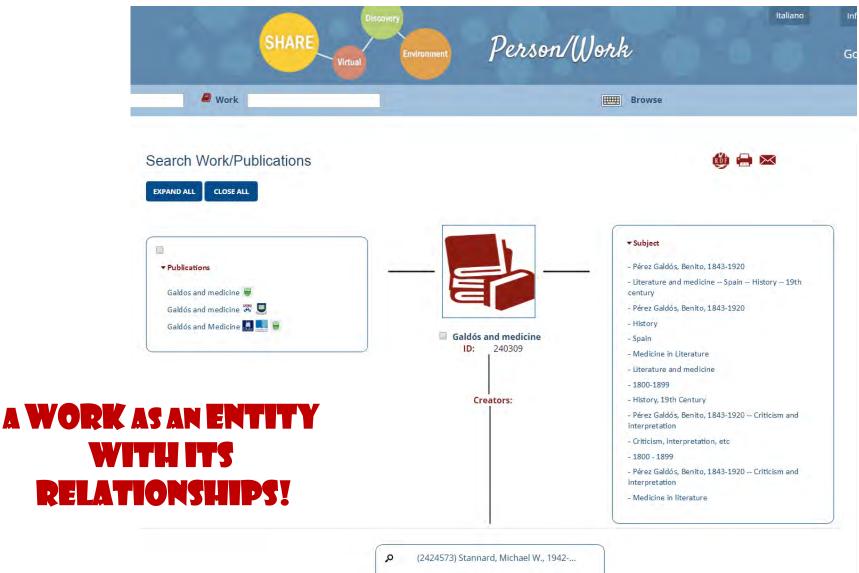
Entity identification



The new revolution: from record to entity



Different entities from the same MARC record



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Different entities from the same MARC record



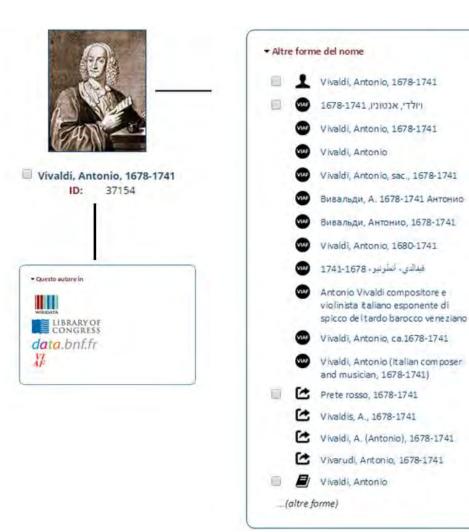
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Entities in *cluster* : an example of collaboration and sharing



The result of a reconciliation of the entity *Antonio Vivaldi* in the Share VDE project, with data from different sources and projects:

- the authorized form from a local authority file
- the variant forms originating from the references on the local authority records
- the variant forms originating from the VIAF
- the forms of the name used in the bibliographic records.

The cluster is completed and enriched with identifiers for the same entity, Antonio Vivaldi, from sources such as:

- Wikidata
- Library of Congress Name Authority File
- Data.bnf.fr
- VIAF

An example of Work/Instances reconciliation

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Example of same Instances present in different libraries



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Reconciliation & Enrichment Automatic procedures



How reconciliation is obtained

Data reconciliation and enrichment is obtained by:

- automated processes
- manual processes

It is important to underline how the relationship between the reconciliation and validation of the results can differ profoundly between the automated and manual processes:

- automated processes: a high-level of reconciliation and clustering; a low-level of results validation;
- manual processes: a low-level of reconciliation and clustering; a high-level of results validation.



Authify – Cluster search services

- Authify is a RESTFul module that offers several search and detection services, configurable also for those sources where the public Web API have limitations and it's necessary to download the whole dataset.
- The Authify cluster search services provides, as the name suggest, a full-text search service among names and works clusters. The search Web API uses, behind the scenes, an "invisible queries" approach in order to (try to) find a match, as much precise as possible, within the managed clusters.
- The invisible queries approach allows to make everything transparent to the caller: on top of a single search request, the system executes a chain of different search strategies with different priority, and the first match that produces a result will populate the response that will be returned.
- For debugging purposes, the response will also include the matching strategy that produced the results.



Authify – Relator term detection

Another service which has been added to Authify is the so called "**Relator term** detection".

- Starting from a MARC record (whatever is the specific dialect) the system analyses all (configured) tags that contain a name and, for each of them, tries to figure out (using the statements of responsibility of the input record) what is the corresponding role within the work represented by the given record.
- Behind a simple token matching analysis, there is a more complicated logic that tries (using, among other things, the search services described in the previous point) to find the role of each found name using its variant forms or using a set of tokens that could identify such role (e.g. edited by, by, illustrated by).
- A catch-all role is used when no valuable information can be desumed from the analysis.



Reconciliation & Enrichment Manual procedures



PCC directives

PCC identifies and addresses policy issues on the use of identifiers in MARC:

developing guidelines to include identifiers in MARC bibliographic and authority records

the use of multiple identifiers for the same entity

determining the entities for which identifiers should be provided in an initial implementation

identifying automated methods for populating and maintaining new and existing records with identifiers

The importance of identification and detection in the Semantic Web

Key elements of the cataloguing workflow:

- entity identification
- reconciliation

To enrich a MARC record with URIs Casalini Libri uses the "URI Management System" (included in the OLISuite cataloguing module within WeCat developed by @Cult) that allows also the management of multiple identifiers for each access point or heading.

This simplifies the reconciliation of varying forms of the same entity with the development of detection procedures for entity identification and the conversion to BIBFRAME.

URI Management System in OLISuite

This component is integrated in Casalini Libri's original cataloguing workflow in order to have the option of supplying MARC enriched records and the equivalent BIBFRAME datasets.

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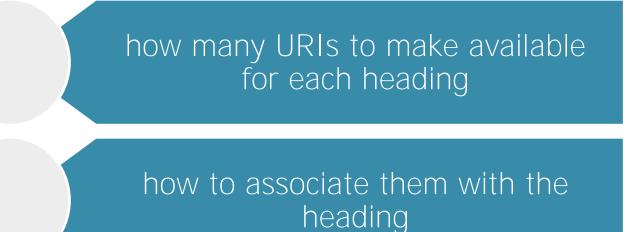
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Access points and URIs

Saving the different URIs in a database table, allow them to be used in various ways, selected during the data export/conversion:



how to show them in relation to data use and formats

Different library profiles that were previously defined in the ERP Adempiere are considered.

URIs/tag mapping

URIs/tag mapping for Library A

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URI history => URI Registry

The reorganisation of a cluster can modify its original content, so we need to save the relevant cluster updates in a URI Registry.

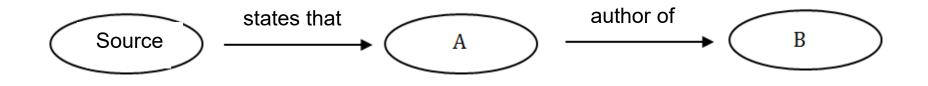
The URI Registry could keep information such as (but not limited to):

- the resources added to the cluster, but also modified or removed from it
- the date of the update
- the particular operation performed
- the status of an URI (for instance valid or invalid)
- the URI Aliases



Guarantee of authority and quality in the new LOD environment

The source or *provenance*, which, in turn, must be constructed with reference to specific ontologies, providing the classes, properties and restrictions needed for identifying it, becomes the *fourth element* added to every triple (assertion) to certify its validity, transforming the triple into a quadruple.



Stating the *provenance* of a piece of information is an essential element for increasing the trust that can be placed in data, and facilitating its use and sharing by end users or by the institutions choosing to cooperate in this way.

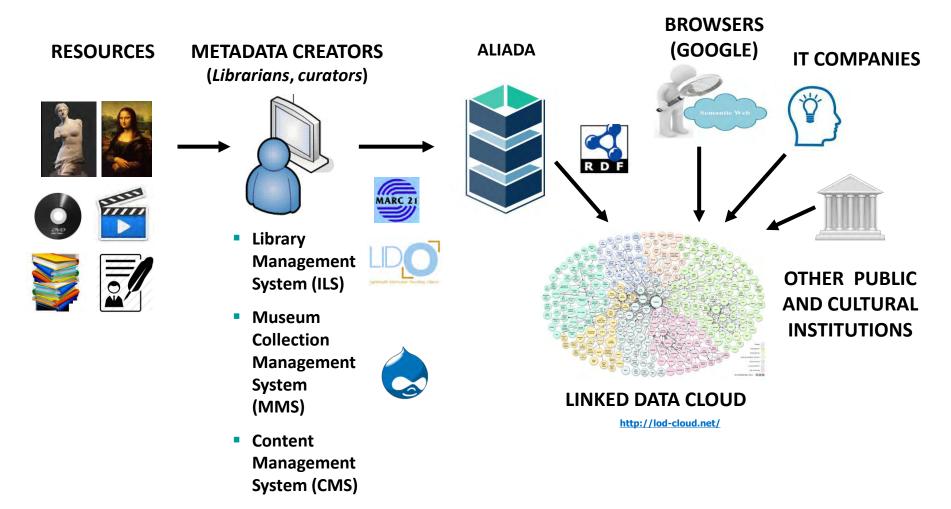


Conversion in RDF/BIBFRAME



Lodify: the evolution of Aliada for BIBFRAME conversion

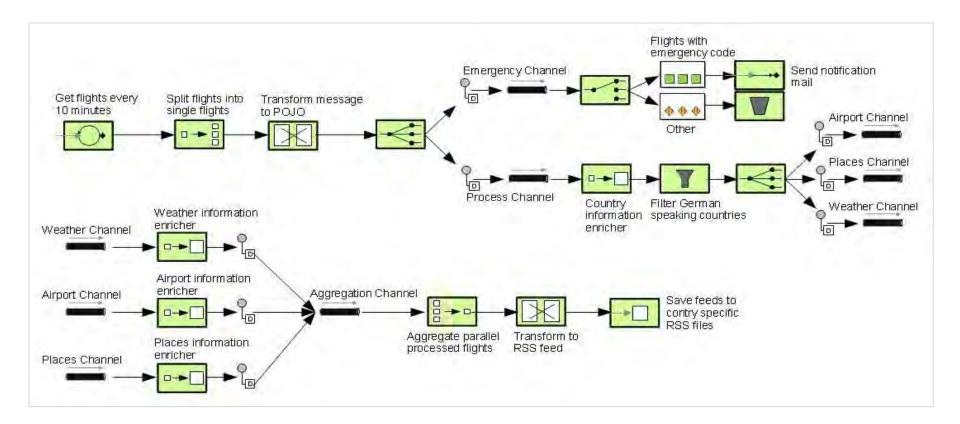
The conversion process from any format to RDF



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Lodify - The asynchronous pipeline

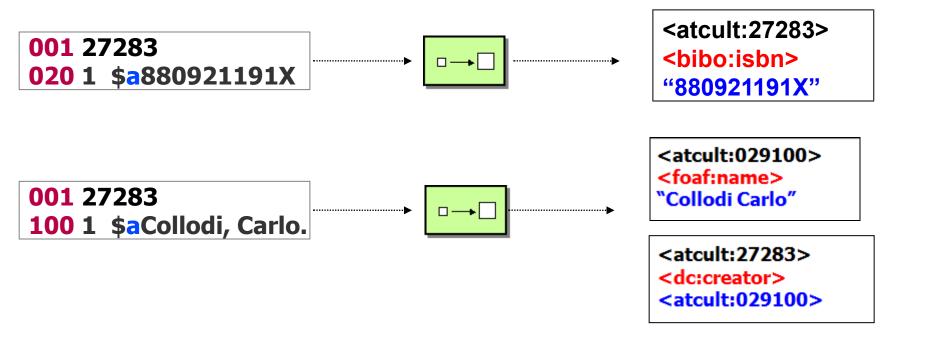
Lodify building block, realized through Apache Camel. The process is split into atomic pieces (processors), each of these responsible for a small part of the overall task. Each processor can act as a splitter or aggregator and can achieve content manipulation on the incoming message.



Lodify - Conversion templates

Lodify converts each incoming record by means of Conversion templates. Each template associates:

- a MARC record belonging to the incoming data-stream
- with a set of (conversion) rules associated with one or more ontologies.



BF LC vocabulary extensions: the state-of-art

Class List AppliesTo DemographicGroup Relation CreatorCharacteristic EncodingLevel Relationship

Property List

applicableInstitution	name10MatchKey	title00MarcKey
appliesTo	name11MarcKey	title00MatchKey
creatorCharacteristic	name11MatchKey	title10MarcKey
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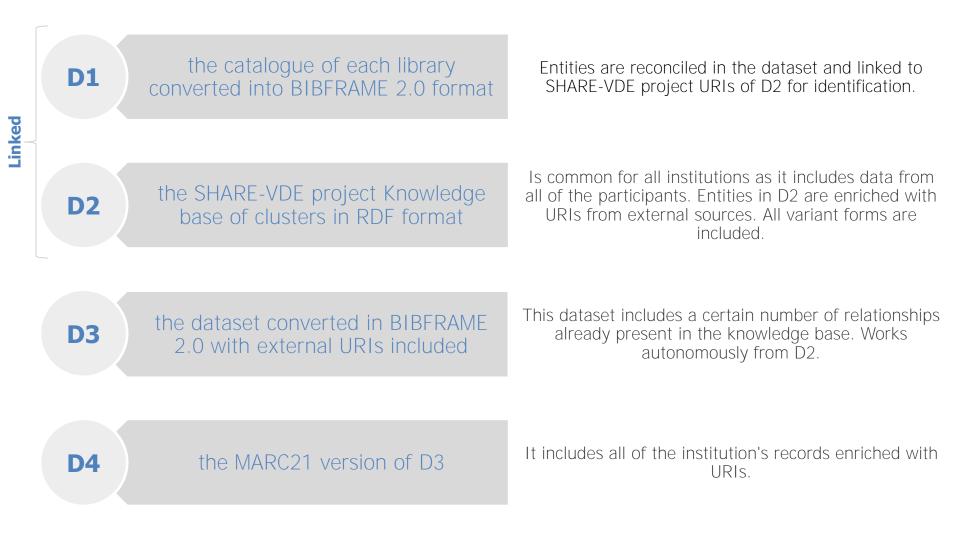
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SHARE-VDE phase 2 deliverables



Phase 2 deliverables overview





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Thank you!

Any questions or feedback are greatly appreciated.

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