Linked Data for Libraries (LD4L) and (Metadata) Production (LD4P)

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Vision: Enable libraries and their users to easily create, use, and benefit from LD specifically designed for libraries and scholars, and from broader sources of LD on the web.



LD4L Labs and LD4P

- Beginning April 1, 2016, the Mellon Foundation funded two new linked data grants for two years at \$1.5 million each
- LD4L Labs is a collaboration of Cornell, Harvard, Stanford, and Iowa focused on building new LD tools and services
- LD4P is a collaboration of Stanford and five partners piloting a range of projects on metadata production using linked data

LD4L Labs — Results so far

- Bibliotek-o: a model bibliographic ontology that extends and varies from BIBFRAME
- VitroLib: A prototype ontology-based instance editor for cataloging in BIBFRAME and extension ontologies
- Authority and identity lookup and reconciliation for URI-based authorities



Why bibliotek-o?

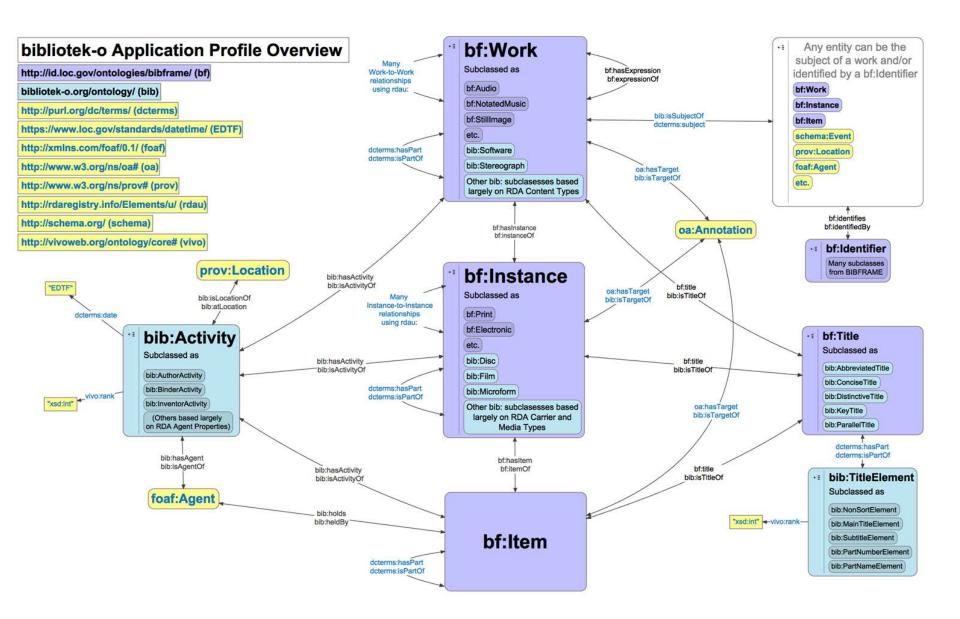
- Engage in BIBFRAME evaluation
- Provide an extension to BIBFRAME
- Demonstrate select alternative patterns
- Accommodate legacy data in real-world orientation
- Not a competitor to BIBFRAME, but a proposal for alternate modeling that could be folded into BIBFRAME as it evolves

Challenge: migrate existing, highly detailed and nuanced bibliographic metadata AND prepare for a future of original cataloging in RDF that captures data in meaningful and useful ways and that integrates with the broader web

What is bibliotek-o?

- Core concepts and models are BIBFRAME (e.g.: Work, Instance, Item, etc.)
- bibliotek-o ontology: which extends and supplements BIBFRAME, offering alternate models in some areas
- Defined fragments of existing ontologies, both within and outside the bibliographic domain
- An application profile specifying the recommended implementation of these ontologies in modeling data



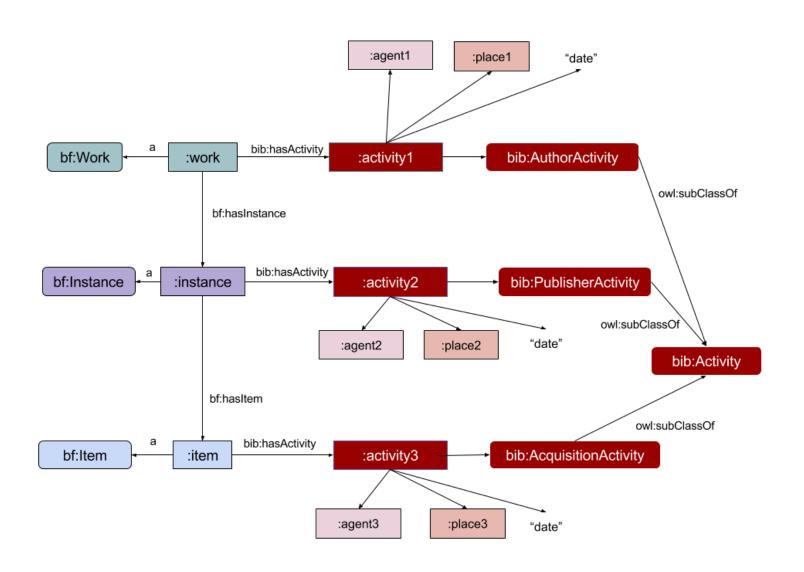


Principles for bibliotek-o

- Reuse and align with existing external vocabularies to promote data exchange and interoperability.
- Conversely, define terms broadly enough for reuse by external data sources.
- Use OWL axioms in moderation to provide expressivity without overly constraining the ontology and the data it can model.
- Prefer object properties, structured data, and controlled over unstructured literals.
- Adopt a single method of expressing a relationship or attribute in order to minimize query paths.



Example: Activities in bibliotek-o





SHACL application profiles

- Want ontology driven applications, but the ontology definitions alone are not enough
- Current use case Editor Form Specifications
 - Eventually we'll want to address general data validation
- Current Work (in progress)
 - Hip Hop
 (https://github.com/LD4P/HipHop/tree/develop/applicat ion-profiles)
 - Moving Image (https://github.com/LD4P/moving-image/tree/develop/application_profiles)
 - Soon we will organize general shapes in the bibliotek-o github repo (e.g. Titles, Measurement, Subjects, for shared across Domains/Applications)



bibliotek-o - Documentation

Home page: http://bibliotek-o.org/ontology

OWL file: http://bibliotek-o.org/ontology.owl

Human-readable documentation: http://bibliotek-o.org/ontology.html

Visualization: https://bibliotek-o.org/overview/overview.html

GitHub repository: https://github.com/ld4l-labs/bibliotek-o/tree/v1.0.1

FAQ, pattern recommendations & RDA discussion:

https://wiki.duraspace.org/x/H5TBB

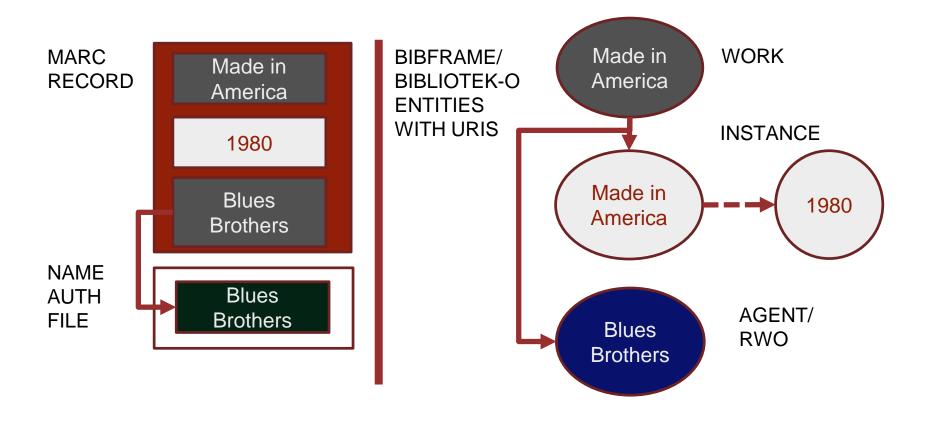


Cataloging

- Traditional practices: Authority File
 - E.g. Name Authority Files, Subject Headings,
 Genre Forms from LOC
 - String as unique identifier, e.g. "Mark Twain"
- Tasks and workflows
 - Identification, "Aboutness"
 - Disambiguation
 - Context and original authority record



MARC -> Linked Data





Creating a cataloging environment with effective authority linking

VitroLib

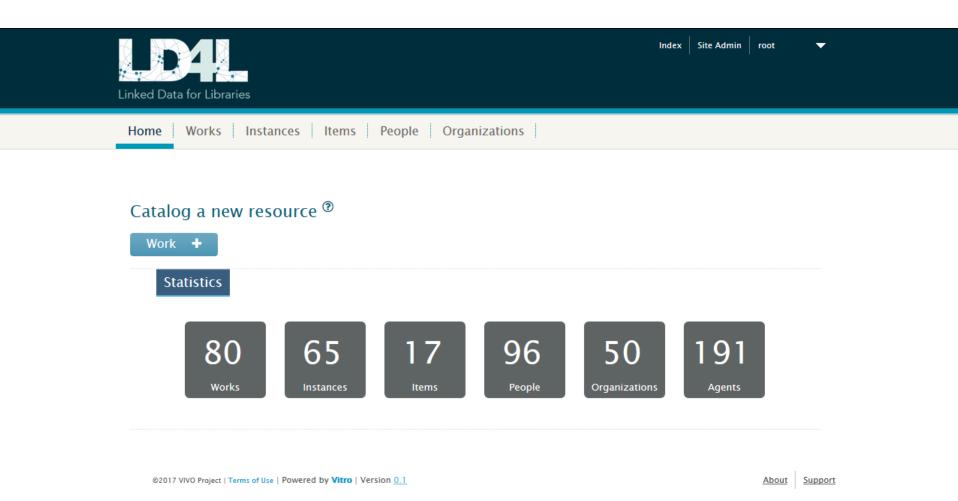
- Prototype cataloging editor
- Creates/uses linked data
- Enables lookup and use of authority URIs

Hyrax

- Samvera technology stack
- Incorporate authority URIs into institutional repository records



VitroLib Demonstration





New Work

Title *	
Made in America	
Type *	
Audio	
Language *	
English	
Author or Other Role *	
Perfomer	
blues brothers	
Blues Brothers Band	
Blues Brothers (Motion picture)	
Wood Brothers (Blues group)	
Soul Brothers (Blues group)	
Blues Brothers Horns (Musical group)	 -,
Blues Eldorados	- 1
Blues, Thomas	i
Blues Rockers	- 1
Blues Brothers	
Blues revue	-



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English	
Author or Other Role *	
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LC Subject Heading	
soul music	
Soul music-History and criticism	
Guitar music (Soul)	
Philadelphia soul (Music)	
SoulBuddhism	
Soul worship	
Soul mates	
Soul music	
SoulJudaism	
Soul musicians	
SoulHinduism	
Soul in literature	
SoulChristianity	
SoulJainism	



Selected Subject:

Soul music (Verify this match or change selection)

Title	
Made in America	
Statement of Respons	sibility
Blues Brothers	
Туре	
Audio disc	V
Aperture card Archival controlled Audio belt Audio cartridge Audio cassette Audio cylinder	
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	Atlantic Consultants	
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	Atlantic mystery	
	Atlantic Workshop	
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req	Atlantic Institute	
	Atlantic jazz	
	Atlantic Manor	
©201	Atlantic Underwriters	
2231	Atlantic romance	

About Support



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or <u>Cancel</u>

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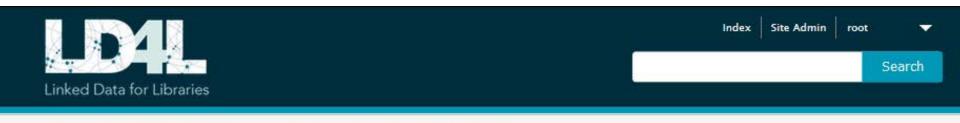
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Resource URI: http://vitrolib.cornell.edu/individual/n2726

Made in America 📝 🛍 Audio (work) 🔗



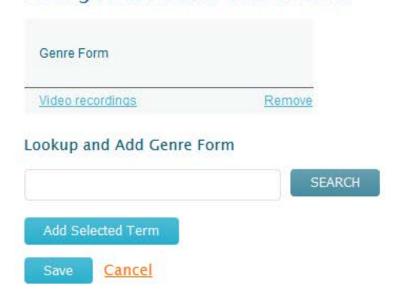




Instances Items People Organizations

Manage Associated Genre Forms

Home Works







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Manage Associated Genre Forms



Lookup and Add Genre Form

animation

Add Selected Term

Save <u>Cancel</u>



Manage Associated Genre Forms

Genre Form	
Video recordings	Remove

Lookup and Add Genre Form

animation	SEARCH	
Genre Form	Notes	Additional Info
Clay animation television	No definition provided.	Broader:
<u>programs</u>		 Animated television programs
Alternate Labels:		
Claymation television programs		
Sculptmation television programs		
Silhouette animation films	No definition provided.	Broader:
Alternate Labels:		Animated films
Semi-object animation films		
Sand animation films		
Flat-figure animation films		



Stop-motion animation films	No definition provided.	Narrower:
Alternate Labels:		Clay animation films
Object animation films		
Frame-by-frame animation films		
Stop-action animation films		
Stop-motion animated films		
Clay animation films	No definition provided.	Broader:
Alternate Labels:		Stop-motion animation films
Claymation films		
Sculptmation films		
Computer animation television	No definition provided.	Broader:
programs		Animated television programs
Alternate Labels:		
CG television programs		
(Computer animation)		
Computer animated television		
programs		
CGI television programs		
(Computer animation)		
Live-action/animation films	This heading is used as a genre/form heading	Broader:
Alternate Labels:	for films that feature interaction between	Animated films
Animated/live-action films, Hybrid	live-action and animated elements.	



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ASK A LIBRARIAN

LIBRARY CATALOGS

DIGITAL COLLECTIONS

DIGITAL COLLECTION

Search Loc.gov

GC

The Library of Congress > Linked Data Service

Clay animation television programs

From Library of Congress Genre/Form Terms

Details

Visualization

Clay animation television programs

URI(s)

http://id.loc.gov/authorities/genreForms/gf2011026141

Instance Of

- > MADS/RDF GenreForm
- MADS/RDF Authority

Scheme Membership(s)

> Library of Congress Genre/Form Terms

Collection Membership(s)

> http://id.loc.gov/authorities/genreForms/collection LCGFT General

Form

> Clay animation television programs

Variants

- > MacClaymation television programs
- > Management Sculptmation television programs

Use For

> sh2008025507

Broader Terms

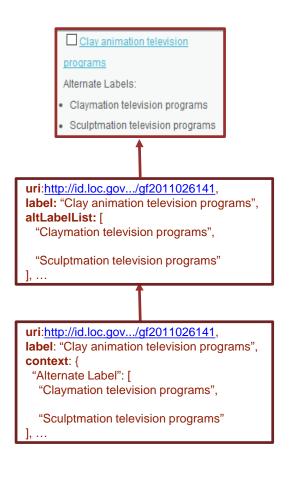
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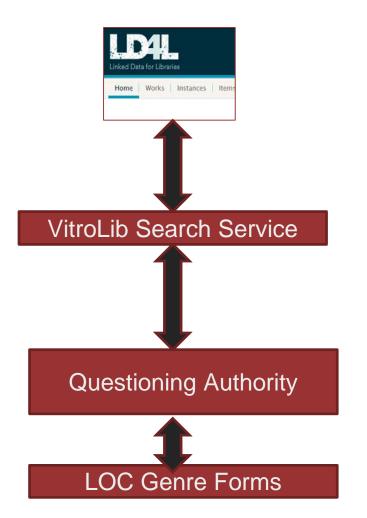
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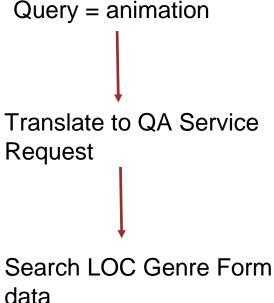
> found: Moving image genre-form guide online, January 14, 2008 (Clay animation: type of animation which generally uses plasticine or clay, such as the "Claymation"



What just happened?







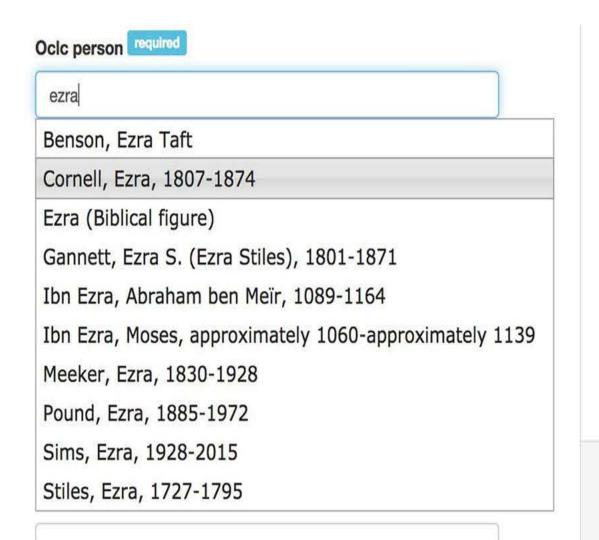


Demonstration: Hyrax, Questioning Authority Gem, QA Cache Server, LD Authorities (LoC, OCLC FAST, GeoNames, AGROVOC, NALT, and DBpedia)



Autocomplete Saving String and URI

Authority: OCLC FAST Subauthority: PersonName



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- Institution Restrict access to only users and/or groups from Institution
- Embargo

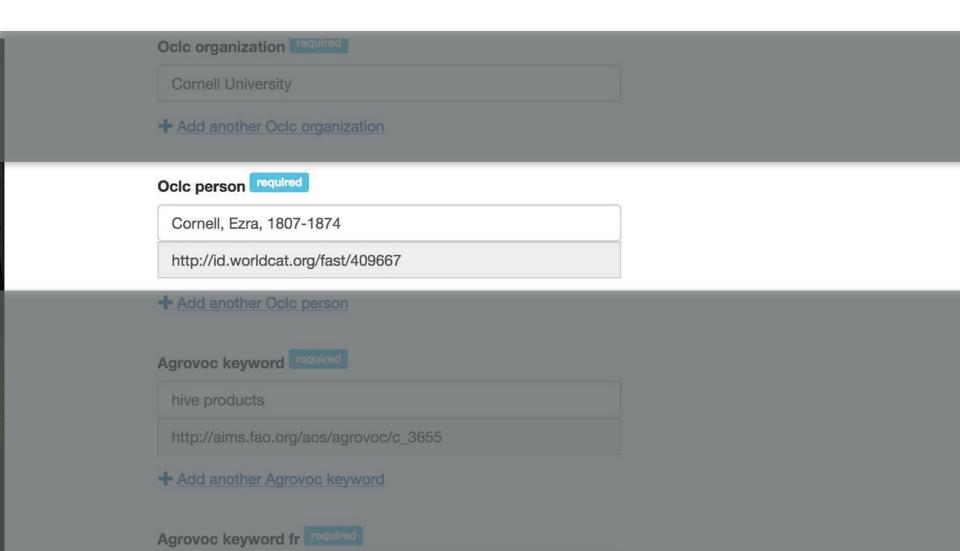
Lease

- Private Only users and/or groups that have been given specific access in the "Share With" section.
- ☐ I have read and agree to the Deposit Agreement



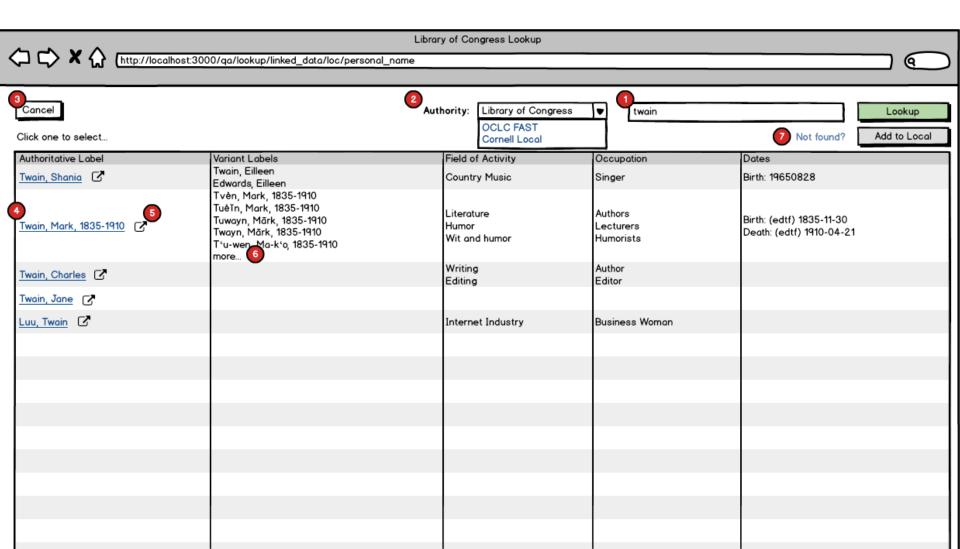
Selected String and URI

Saves both string and URI



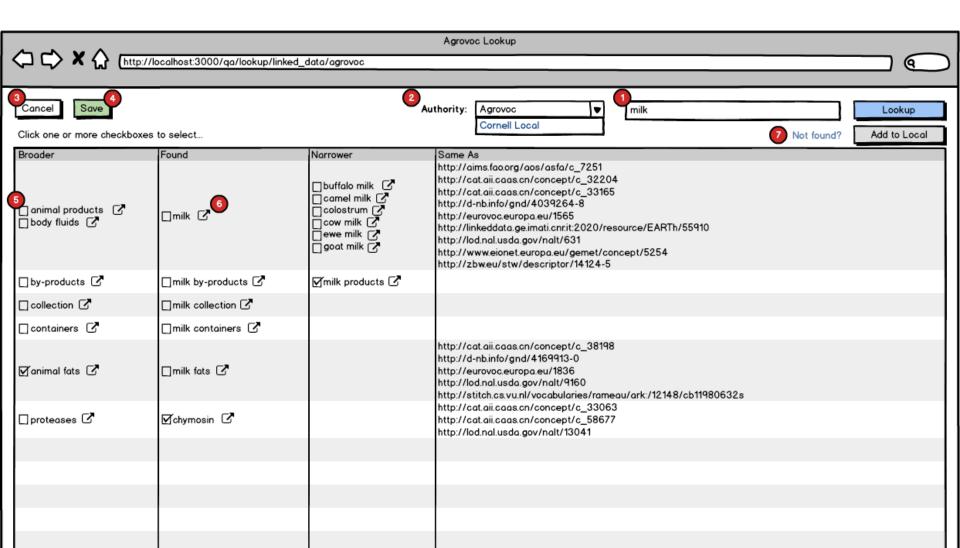


Selecting a Term using Lookup with Context





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Getting more from the same authority?

Agrovoc Keyword

hive products http://aims.fao.org/aos/agrovoc/c_3655

narrower: propolis http://aims.fao.org/aos/agrovoc/c_15919 narrower: royal jelly http://aims.fao.org/aos/agrovoc/c_26817 narrower: honey http://aims.fao.org/aos/agrovoc/c_3652

narrower: beeswax http://aims.fao.org/aos/agrovoc/c_866

narrower: honeycomb extracts 🗗 http://aims.fao.org/aos/agrovoc

/c_29026

broader: animal products http://aims.fao.org/aos/agrovoc/c_438

sameas: Chttp://d-nb.info/gnd/4006529-7

sameas: Chttp://cat.aii.caas.cn/concept/c_12939



Getting more from other authorities?

Oclc person

Cornell, Ezra, 1807-1874

(source: Thttp://dbpedia.org/resource/Ezra_Cornell)

Birth: 1807-01-11

Death: 1874-12-09

Ezra Cornell (January 11, 1807 – December 9, 1874) was an American businessman, politician, philanthropist and educational administrator. He was the founder of Western Union and a co-founder of Cornell University. He also served as President of the New York Agriculture Society and as a New York state Senator.

Oclc person uri

ttp://id.worldcat.org/fast/409667

Links to Code & More

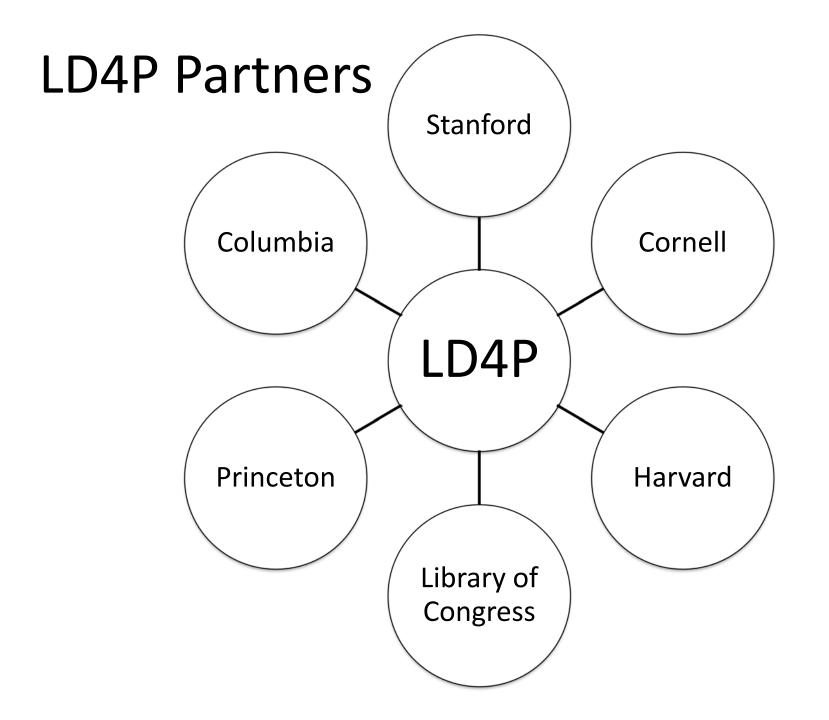
- QA Server Code for a small app that provides the Questioning Authority normalization layer (https://github.com/ld4l-labs/qa_server)
- <u>Linked Data Authorities</u> Configurations that can be used with QA Server (https://github.com/ld4l-labs/linked data authorities)
- LD4L Services UI access to Cache Server (http://services.ld4l.org/ld4l_services/)
- <u>VitroLib</u> Code for the VitroLib cataloging tool (<u>https://github.com/ld4l-labs/vitrolib</u>)

LD4P

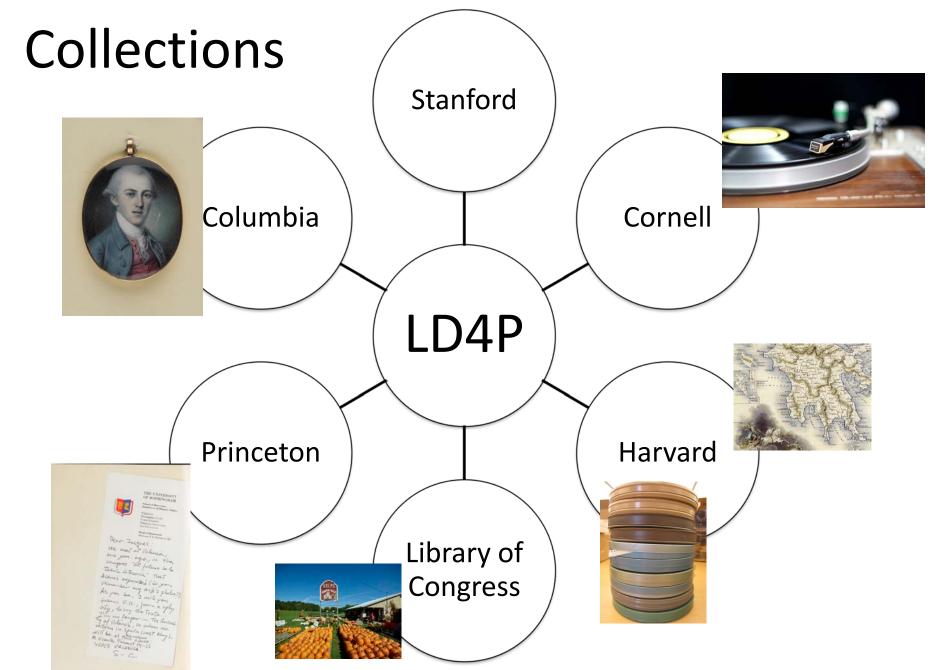
- LD4P = Linked Data for (Metadata) Production
- Question: How do we move from converting description to linked data to producing linked data?
 - What descriptive standards are needed?
 - What tools are needed?
 - How must cataloging workflows change?
 - How does it all work together?

LD4P Objectives

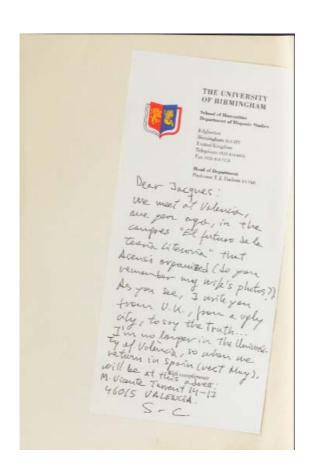
- Enable libraries to work in an open, networked environment in the construction of their metadata
- Season & extend the BIBFRAME ontology
- Spur tool development
- Engage with other strategic linked-data projects
- Engender community engagement among libraries, standards groups, software devs, commercial players

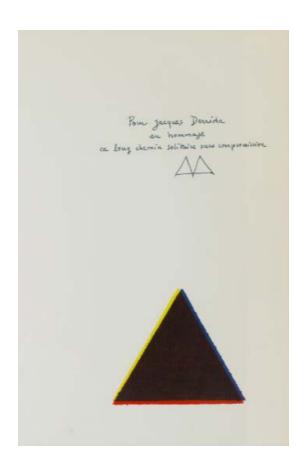


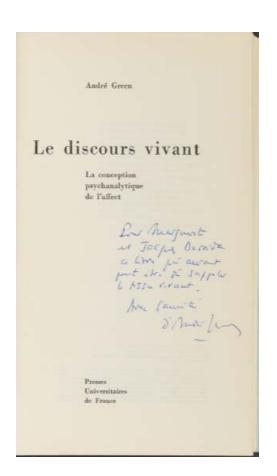


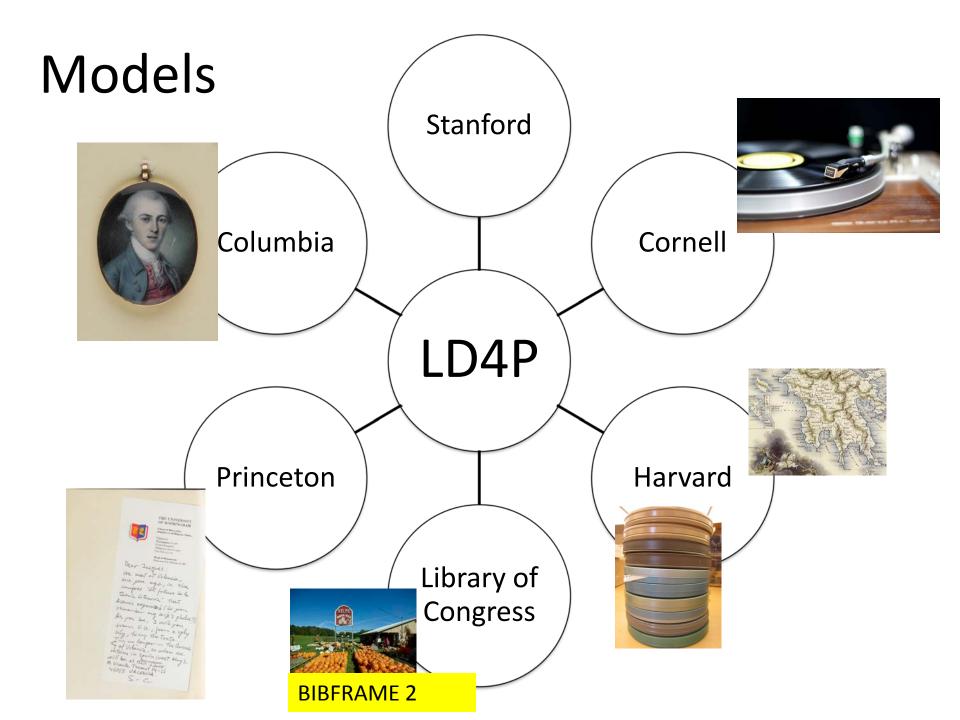


Princeton: Jacques Derrida's personal library

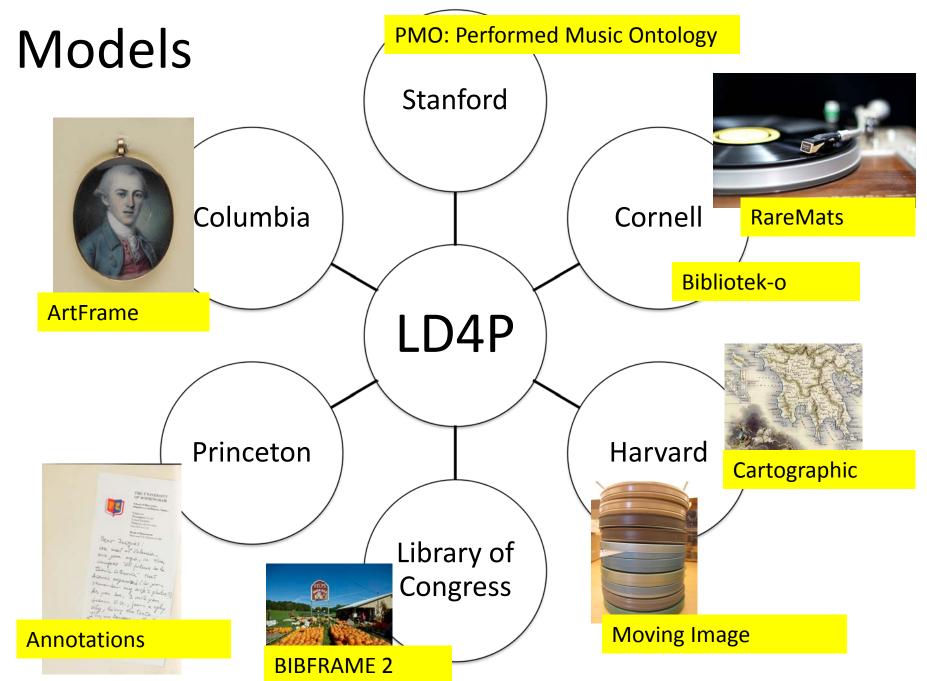




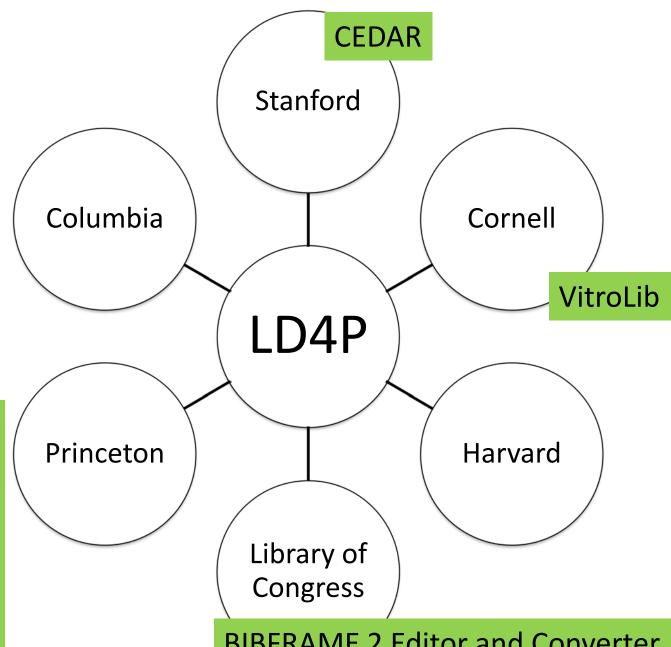








Tools



Plus...

Aliada

Kafka-Spark

Karma

Fedora 4

RML Editor

SHARE-VDE

Triple stores

(various)

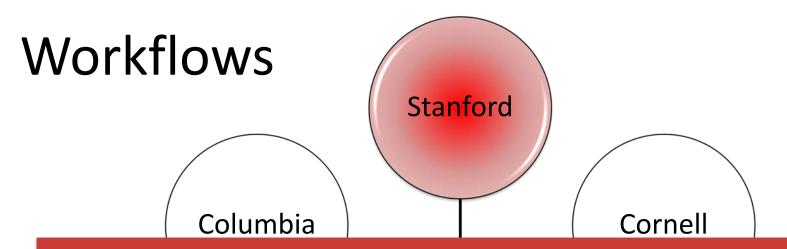
BIBFRAME 2 Editor and Converter

Tool Registry

	A	В		С	D
1	This is a shared, open sheet of tools for working with Linked Open Data in GLAM - Galleries, Libraries, Archives, Museums, and				
2	Put whatever tools you find helpful for the above. Link to this open spreadsheet (feel free to share out wherever): http://bit.ly/GL.				
3	These will be collated/tidied up/moved to https://wiki.duraspace.org/display/LD4P/Registry+of+Tools - Open to anyone to add (fi				
4	Tool	Type (Whatever makes sense to you as a tool type)	*	Function	Language
5	ALIADA	Converter, publisher, linker	*	Convert MARC to customizable RDF, save to store and link with other datasets	Java
6	Annif		~		English
7	Arc2 PHP Sparql and Triplestore		*	SPARQL endpoint and triplestore	PHP
8	bib-rdf-pipeline	Conversion	*	Framework for converting MARC via BIBFRAME to Schema.org, with reconciliation, work clustering etc.	Mixed (Makefile, marc2bibframe2, Python, she scripts, Unix tools, Jena, SPARQL)
9	Blazegraph	Triplestore	~	Storage/query	Java
10	CEDAR	Editor	~	Produce/edit RDF based on ontology-driven forms	Java, JS
11	Controlled Vocabulary Manager	Vocabulary Manager	~		Ruby/Rails
12	CTSASearch		~		
13	data.world	Publishing	*	Collaborative platform for finding and sharing data that uses the Semantic Web as its framework	
14	Fuseki	Triplestore	~	Storage/query	Java
15	KARMA	Multi-format Converter	*	Enables users to quickly and easily integrate data from a variety of data sources including databases, spreadsheets, delimited text files, XML, JSON, KML and Web APIs.	Java

http://bit.ly/GLAMLODToolsRegistry

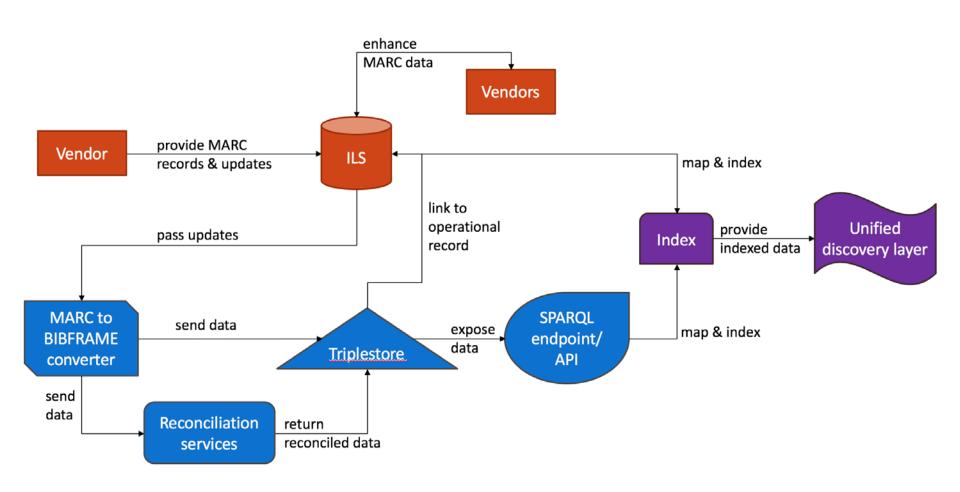




- 4 "Tracer Bullets" for descriptive workflows
 - 1. Acquired (MARC) data
 - 2. Original (MARC) cataloging
 - 3. Singleton items in digital repository
 - 4. Bulk digital collections

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Tracer Bullet 1



LD4 Community Meeting

2nd international meeting, 24-25 Apr 2017

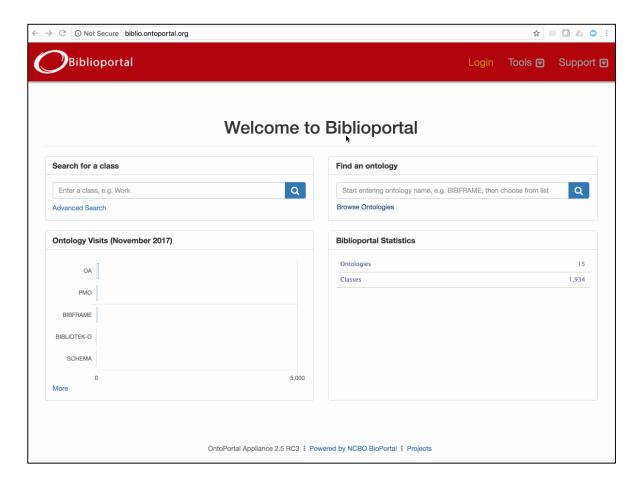
- Ontologies: We live in a multi-ontology world; give up on building the perfect or universal ontology.
- Workflows: 1.) MARC and RDF will co-exist for a loooong time, and 2.) It is not yet clear how we will use each other's data
- Tools: We need more tools, smaller tools, and more dev.
- **Community:** We have critical interest (and mass?) in LOD, but not yet the organizing structures, interoperability or opportunities for concrete contributions.



Biblioportal

For ontology...

- Discovery
- Visualization
- Maintenance
- Mappings
- Assessment
- Re-use



http://biblio.ontoportal.org/

What Have We Learned?

- Ontology work is time consuming
 - The process as important as the product
- More work is needed on tools
- Creating URIs is easy; linking data is harder
- Growing activity in this space
 - European adoption
 - Local authority stores

Looking Ahead

- More automation & integration
- Broad training in a cloud-based sandbox
- Focus on discovery
- Community development

More Info:

http://ld4l.org

http://ld4p.org

http://meeting.ld4p.org