



## Digital Workshop on common metadata interfaces for repositories

6 May 2020  
15:00 to 18:30 CEST

Date:  
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Location:  
Virtual Event

The FAIR principles make a clear distinction between data and their metadata. Metadata has a crucial role in providing information about data so that potential data users will be able to decide whether the data match their needs. In a globally distributed data scenario, the possibility to interact with different repositories commonly improves interoperability and, therefore, results in efficiency gains for all stakeholders.

In a virtual, half-day workshop organised by the team behind the recently published report D2.3 which defines the [key features of FAIR repositories](#), standard interfaces for metadata interaction between repositories will be defined, using work on FAIR Data Point as the basis for discussion.

Closely linked to a preceding workshop entitled [Minimum Metadata Schema for semantic artefacts](#) to be held on 29 April, the workshop will be of interest to experts on vocabulary services, semantic tools and interoperability. Delegates are warmly invited to register for both events.

### Preliminary Agenda

- **14:45 Opening of the zoom room (for connection testing)**
- 15:00 - 15:05 Welcome and start of the meeting
- 15:05 - 15:35 Semantic metadata for repositories, why?
- 15:35 - 16:05 Semantic metadata for repositories, how?
- **16:05 - 16:15 break for the loo ;-)**
- 16:15 - 16:50 Introduction of (up to) 6 repositories (each 7 min - no questions)
- 16:50 - 17:00 Questions to the repositories.
- **17:00 - 17:10 break for the loo ;-)**
- 17:10 - 17:50 Working session (in parallel rooms):
- Find answers/ideas to the following questions: T.b.c
- **17:50 - 18:00 break for the loo ;-)** (Moderators for rooms will prepare their conclusions)
- 18:00 - 18:30 presentation of results 5 min each & following steps
- **18:30 End of the workshop**



## Registration for the workshop is mandatory and needs approval by the FAIRsFAIR team. **REGISTRATION CLOSED**

Access to this meeting is only possible through registration for the event. In case of any difficulties joining the meeting please contact [Gerard.coen@dans.knaw.nl](mailto:Gerard.coen@dans.knaw.nl)

**Don't miss the FAIRsFAIR half-day Workshop on minimum metadata schema for semantic artefacts on 29th April. [Learn more](#)**

