



## Technical meeting 19th of January @ VUB

### **Welcome and short introduction of participants:**

Marc Goovaerts (UHasselt), Myriam Lemmens (KHLimburg), Peter Kruppa (KHLimburg), Jef De Pooter (KHK), Stefaan Renard (VUB), Wouter Heyse (VUB), Kris Didden (ITG), Fabrizio Tinti (UCL), Renaud Michotte (UCL), Veerle Kerstens (KULeuven), Marc Vanherck (KULeuven), Christophe Dupriez (BPC), Benoit Pauwels (ULB), Hicham El Kasmi (ULB), Dominiek Decleyre (UGent), Inge Van Nieuwerburgh (UGent), Patrick Hochstenbach (UGent), Karen Van Godtsenhoven (UGent)

### **DRIVER guidelines for participating repositories** (Karen Van Godtsenhoven, DRIVER, UGent)

> definitive guidelines will be posted on intranet DRIVER website, start of March. Functional Specifications of the XML (DIDL)-container, as well as metadata specs will be included.

### **Discussion and feedback:**

> Visibility:

What is meant by 'entire range of services'? It means that a link should be provided from the institution's homepage to the entire range of services, such as the AB; the repository; in short: the document and publication services.

This can be difficult to obtain, but mostly you can 'sell' the repository to the administration if it's well integrated in the institution's structure (link with AB). So, the link from the homepage could be to another jump-off page where one can choose between bibliography, repository, publications,... (e.g. <http://lib.ugent.be>: button 'publicaties', you then come onto the jump-off page which includes the whole range of document and publication services)

>Document versions:

There is a need for specific guidelines on the meaning of: 'Altered content requires new record'. Certainly, pre- and postprints require new records. A difference must be made as well between publisher's and author's versions. Fedora software includes these features (differentiation).

Karen will look for outcome VERSIONS project. See also:

<http://www.lse.ac.uk/library/versions/dissemination.html>

Outcome will be posted on intranet.

*Later addition through contact with VERSIONS Project Manager Frances Shipsey:*

"The guidelines will be forthcoming. In general we are likely to recommend that repositories adopt a FRBR-ised approach, so that altered versions can be presented in a separate record while allowing for all records relating to the same work to be linked to each other. This approach is already being recommended by the Eprints Application Profile Working Group. Details and URLs for FRBR and the application profile work are in the presentations. "

## **DAI in Belgium** (Wouter Heyse, VUB)

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**Discussion:** Within Belgium, no work has been done on a DAI yet. DARE (METIS system) and UKOLN are working on this, the set-up should clearly be international, not only Belgian. There's a need for an international registration authority (now in Canada: International Standard Party Identifier, early phase), since the research community is global and researchers swap institutions and countries very often.

Different IDs within one institution are often managed through an institution-specific system, but these could all be linked through an international proxy or, an international DAI could be provided by a central registration authority, which national agencies (research institutions, for example) then assign to individuals. Proprietary IDs (Elsevier) should not be accepted as universal.

*Later addition: After contact with DARE-SURF, it seems that it would be ok to provide a national DAI, since this can always be mapped to the international standard which is forthcoming. The DAI project specifically looks for input towards countries where a national DAI system already exists. In Belgium, the national body most appropriate for handing out DAIs would be the Royal Library, or individual scientific institutions coordinated by the Royal Library.*

Q by Marc Goovaerts: are any OS tools available for this?

PH: in GB authentication mechanism, using LDAP, Shibboleth- and protocols

summary of the reactions: need of an institutional id remains, but can / should be linked to a general / international proxy

## **Retrospective Input** (Wouter Heyse, VUB)

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This area remains problematic, there always seems to be a drawback because of the transition we're still in: either way, quality must be maintained and users should be able to put their documents online, too. Authority files and identification of users seems to be crucial here as well.

## **Institutional Repository: link with academic bibliography and integration within institution** (Nicolas Steenlant and Dominiek Decleyre, UGent)

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## **Open Discussion**

Karen mentions **OA petition** ([www.ec-petition.eu](http://www.ec-petition.eu)) and DRIVER-day in February. The petition should be signed by both political level and researchers.

Q by Christophe Dupriez (BPC): should I mention the DRIVER day on ABD-BDA website?

Karen: Rather not, it is targeted towards researchers and political persons, not librarians. They can only come if they bring two researchers along ☺

Karen mentions the DRIVER testbed and guidelines, people suggest that **a mailing list** would be useful, Karen will send out one. This can be used for DRIVER testbed-updates, but also for suggestions of any kind (links, studies, manuals,...) and for the planning of meetings (three-monthly?)

There is also a need for **copyright toolbox** and more awareness, both with researchers as well as librarians. Since copyright is a federal matter, a national guide on this matter (concerning Open Access) should be drafted up.

Christophe Dupriez points out two experts: Severine Dussolier (FUNDP) and Fabienne Brison (VUB)

The book by Severine:

<http://editions.larcier.com/livre/index.cfm/GCOI/28044100937170>

Karen will soon (02/02) attend an Open Access copyright workshop in Namur (FUNDP), given by Ms. Dussolier. She will put up any outcomes of that meeting on the intranet.

Participants are being thanked for the attendance and plans are made for continuing the coordination of a Belgian repository network (through a mailing list and a DRIVER intranet site).