



OpenAIRE Guidelines

Task group

# OpenAIRE Tech. Workshop

on Interoperability





# Repositories Institutional & Thematic

## History of an evolution of Guidelines Series

- **DRIVER Guidelines v2 ( 2008 )**
  - Normalizing the use of DC elements and OAI-PMH transfer protocol
  - OAI-Set "driver" -> records about Open Access publications
  - introduction of vocabularies (using info:eu-repo/semantics namespace)
- **OpenAIRE Guidelines v1 ( 2010 )**
  - OAI set "ec\_fundedresources"
  - extension of the vocabularies (access rights, embargo period)
  - Identifier scheme for project information (limited to ec funded resources)
- **OpenAIRE Guidelines v2 ( 2012 )**
  - support of OAI aggregators
  - Identifier scheme that can be applied on (any) funder/funding scheme/grant-id



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## Does the community use the Guidelines ?

- Indication: by analysing values in dc:type (kindly provided by F.Summann, UNIBI)
  - Top 100 values from 3000 OAI-repositories covering ~50 Mio records

Publication type	No. of records	No. of repositories
info:eu-repo/semantics/article	1283612	204
info:eu-repo/semantics/conferenceItem	415420	11
info:eu-repo/semantics/bookPart	265001	51
info:eu-repo/semantics/publishedVersion	218792	159
info:eu-repo/semantics/report	162787	46
info:eu-repo/semantics/bachelorThesis	161877	35
info:eu-repo/semantics/doctoralThesis	149863	90
info:eu-repo/semantics/book	137358	66



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New Requirements -> New Guidelines

- What changes in the eco-system ?
  - Merge of DRIVER and OpenAIRE Information Spaces
  - Extend of scope of data sources (research data, CRIS)
  - Funding schemes beyond EC-FP7
- what would OpenAIREplus like to collect?
  - -> all Open Access Content with or without funding/project information
  - -> any other content with funding/project information



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## Impact on repositories

- What does it mean for already participating repositories ?
  - keep Status Quo !
  - Be either compliant with the DRIVER Guidelines and or the OpenAIRE v1/v2 guidelines
- And for newly joining repositories ?
  - introduction of a new OAI-Set "openaire" (replacing "~~driver~~", "~~ec\_fundedresources~~")
  - -> indicate Open Access status in dc:rights using vocabulary
  - -> indicate funding information in dc:relation



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## Challenges

- Vocabularies – choice and maintenance
- Encodings of IDs
  - Grant, funder IDs
  - Author IDs



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## Arguments for the Guidelines

- helps to identify Open Access content in repositories
- exposes related information from repositories
- allows 3rd parties to build sophisticated services using the metadata
- Keeps it simple, relies on normalized flat format (DC),
- make link to data and research information systems
  - in the metadata
  - by referencing the guidelines for research data repositories and CRIS



# Data Archives

## OpenAIRE Guidelines for Data Archive Managers

- ✓ Based on the DataCite Metadata Schema v2.2
  - ✓ Example: Creator (Year): Title. Publisher. DOI.
- ✓ OpenAIRE Guidelines:
  - ✓ Datasets related to peer-reviewed articles
  - ✓ + Date, Description, Funding, Access rights, Related datasets and publication



# Data Archives

## Access rights

<rights>**info:eu-repo/semantics/openAccess**</rights>

<rights><http://creativecommons.org/licenses/zero/1.0></rights>

## Funding information

<contributor contributorType="**Funder**">

<contributorName>**European Commission**</contributorName>

<nameldentifier nameldentifierType="**info**">

**info:eu-repo/grantAgreement/EC/FP7/282896**

</nameldentifier>

</contributor>



# Data Archives

## Related datasets and publications

<relatedIdentifier relatedIdentifierType="DOI"  
relationType="IsReferencedBy">**10.1234/foo.bar**</relatedIdentifier>



# CRIS

## euroCRIS CERIF-XML

- ✓ OpenAIRE internal data model is CERIF compatible.
- ✓ CERIF-XML – standard for data exchange
- ✓ How can CRIS and OpenAIRE exchange data?
- ✓ Application profiles, guidelines?

