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## **Workgroupe session 1st of December, NHM London**

possible the ideal !!!13:30-17:00

Try to get Connie and Michael via conference call

**We state in each chapter the minimum if possible the ideal standard!**

### **2 Purpose (Hierschläger LANDOE)**

### **3 Background (Birthälmer MfN)**

### **4 Pre-scanning setup (Smith NHM just merges together – Input must come from YOU!!)**

#### ***4.1 Mapping of already existing Metadata to GRIB (Malicky LANDOE)***

#### ***4.2 Collection analysis (Valdecasas, Ramos CSIC)***

**Minutes:** Information from Antonio and Marian on what they intend to do: Power Point presentation

3 points of view : technical,..

How people shall analyse choose what to digitise; how CSIC is doing it

Laszlo: should not leave out other topics (let's say grey literature)

Set priorities on which themes should be digitised

Section with topics – first digitise these – are the most important themes and then you can go on to these themes

We need a general part for the collection analysis

Demands

Criteria how to choose analysis the right book:

Digitise whole volumes

Responsible for bringing the content of the chapter in the right order: **CISC, Henning Knudsen UCPH, Connie Rinaldo (MCZ) contribution**

General recommendations : with criteria:

Technical Connie Rinaldo (MCZ)

Use cases: CSIC, UCPH (Henning Knudesen), Connie Rinaldo (MCZ)

Global level, national level, institutional level

#### **4.2.1 IPR issues and how to tackle them (Smith,Nancy, NHM)**

**Minutes:**

There is already a BPG on IPR from BHL

#### **4.3 Check GRIB/Scan List (Gilissen NAT)**

#### **4.4 Choosing Book/Journal (Gilissen, NAT)**

#### **4.5 Calculate the total costs of the whole process (Rinaldo MCZ, Malicky LANDOE, Gilissen NAT)**

#### **4.6 Metadata (NHMW, AIT, Malicky LANDOE and Peregovits HNHM)**

**Minutes:**

Definitions for the terms, primarily contact Gerda!!!!!!

Clear reasoning why we need metadata

Is there a difference in the Metadata for born digitals?

Laszlo: There are lovely tools to manage pdf metadata which spare a lot of time.

**Metadata**

Definition – data about data. What does it mean in the real world. Have most of you met before. Yes, but most user are even do not know about it (e.g., digital photos, wordprocessor files)

Why metadata, do we really need them.

What kind of metadata are there (Technical, administrative, IPR, content)?

Where metadata are stored (external – in various files, internal – built into the files themselves)

Metadata standards (content: DC, qDC, IPTC, bibliographic; technical (XML, XMP))

Metadata export and import

Metadata flow in multiple directions

Is there a difference in metadata creation for the born digital materials?

External tools for metadata management; pdf tools slicer, bookmarking tools

**Granularity (BHL context)**

minimal level – bibliographic description + IPR  
optimal – minimal + keywords, abstract  
ideal – optimal + taxon and geographic metadata

#### **Volume level**

Book and journal volume/issue level (title pages + article pages + other pages)

#### **Article level**

Article + related pages (e.g., separate illustrations)

Page Level

### **4.6.1 Recording Metadata in database for the own library usage (NHMW, AIT, Malicky LANDOE and Peregovits HNHM)**

### **4.6.2 Metadata Requirements – Metadata Bucket (NHMW, AIT, Malicky LANDOE and Peregovits HNHM)**

#### **4.6.2.1 Granularity (NHMW, AIT, Malicky LANDOE and Peregovits HNHM)**

##### **Minutes:**

Adress??

#### **4.6.2.2 Intellectual Property Rights/Metadata (Smith NHM)**

##### **Minutes:**

If Jane has questions, she is going to ask Tom Gilissen or Melita BIRTHÄLMER  
Management should take care of these things.

#### **4.6.2.3 Volume level (NHMW, AIT, Malicky LANDOE and Peregovits HNHM)**

##### **Minutes:**

Title, item page – BHL is using these terms

Give a definition about the used terms

**Conference call-with Laszlo Michael und AIT Bernd Gerda** about which terms should be used. –Title item page, volume article page ?

#### **4.6.2.4 Article level (NHMW, AIT, Malicky LANDOE and Peregovits HNHM)**



#### **4.6.2.5 Page level (NHMW, AIT, Malicky LANDOE and Peregovits HNHM)**

#### **4.6.2.6 Creator (NHMW, AIT, Malicky LANDOE and Peregovits HNHM)**

#### **4.7 Recording authors, biographical information (Gusenleitner LANDOE)**

#### **4.8 Put Metadata on homepage (Gusenleitner LANDOE)**

**Minutes:**

write example on it

Laszlo Peregovits writes example on how you provide Metadata on homepage

Tom Gilissen provides example for this chapter

#### **4.9 Funding of the scanning (Malicky LANDOE)**

**Minutes:**

Suggestion from Laszlo how he gets funding from scanning!

## **5 Digitisation workflow (Gilissen NAT)**

**Minutes:**

Dennis Zielke (UBER should give Tom Gilissen the questionnaire he is doing.)

### **5.1 Preliminary actions (Gilissen NAT)**

#### **5.1.1 Preparing the documents (Gilissen NAT)**

### **5.1.2 Preparing the scanning order (Gilissen NAT)**

### **5.1.3 Checklist (Gilissen NAT)**

## **5.2 *Imaging requirements (Gilissen NAT)***

### **5.2.1 Basic principles (Gilissen NAT)**

### **5.2.2 Resolution recommended, Bit depth (Gilissen NAT)**

### **5.2.3 Format recommended (Gilissen NAT)**

### **5.2.4 Post-processing (Gilissen NAT)**

## **5.3 *Scanning (Gilissen NAT)***

## **5.4 *OCR (Gilissen NAT)***

**Minutes:**

AIT, does metadata and OCR

## **5.5 *Article level access (Gusenleitner LANDOE, Peregovits HNHM)***

**Minutes:**

Laszlo gives a tool how to dismantle down to article level

## **5.6 *Quality control (Malicky LANDOE)***

**Minutes:**

Jane sends something again, has already sent something to me? Do not know?

## **6 Preparation of data for BHL-Europe (Malicky LANDOE)**

**6.1 Set up technical interface/provider software interface (Malicky LANDOE)**

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**6.3 Preingest (Malicky LANDOE)**

**6.4 Ingest (Malicky LANDOE)**

**6.5 Post or Re-Ingest (Malicky LANDOE)**

**7 Collection management & Curation (Smith NHM)**

**Minutes:**

all things are uploaded to the servers of NHM, due diligence, take down policy, the minimal requirement and the metadata shall be provided,

Update shall be bidirectional, have to provide institutional the content, to ministry or whatever, dataflow should be bidirectional

OAI harvester

Connie whether BHLE is open access or not

You get the BHL metadata fields

Enrich you own metadata so you get it bidirectional

Jane needs help from AIT Bernd Sproger, Gerda Koch, Nancy, BHL classic

Jane merges together, gets help from Bernd and Connie

## 8 General Information

### Minutes:

just heading for the subchapters, nothing is written here

### **8.1 Keep the information up to date (Smith NHM, Rinaldo MCZ)**

### Minutes:

What happens when our funding ends,...

### **8.2 Workflow examples (Gilissen NAT; Welter-Schultes UGOE; Smith NHM;...)**

### **8.3 Workflow and Tools (Zielke UBER)**

### Minutes:

If you use tools, send an E-mail to Michaela Hierschläger and she sends it to Dennis; for what are you using this, some information for the survey Dennis is doing

Goobi survey by Dennis Zielke

Goobi can be used for many digitisation processes

Pictures of internet archive Connie sends something

### **8.4 General archivation – permanent storage (ATOS)**

### Minutes:

What is important

ATOS – needs some input

What do you want to have in there?

Are there specific questions from you that you would like to have answered

Depends on your own situation

TopTips

Jane reads this guide through in regards to language proofreading

## Appendix (Hierschläger LANDOE)

### Abbreviations (Hierschläger LANDOE)

<https://bhl.wikispaces.com/BHL+Europe+glossar>  
 imp+athena\_digitisation\_standards-landscape.pdf

**BPG:** Best Practice Guide (shortcut for “approved best practice guidelines and standards”)

**DFG:** Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (German Research Foundation)

**EZOOL:** Early Zoological Literature Online

**GBV:** Gemeinsamer Bibliotheksverbund (Common Library Network, a public non-profit institution by seven northern German federal states Bremen, Hamburg, Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Niedersachsen, Sachsen-Anhalt, Schleswig-Holstein, Thüringen and the Stiftung Preußischer Kulturbesitz) <http://www.gbv.de> →VZG

**GVK:** Gemeinsamer Verbundkatalog (GBV Union Catalogue at <http://gso.gbv.de>, a multimedial bibliographic database, comprises the library holdings of 7 northern German federal states, →GBV)

**KVK:** <http://www.ubka.uni-karlsruhe.de/kvk.html> (Karlsruhe Virtual Catalogue, offers a uniform user interface for simultaneous research in many union catalogues)

**OPAC:** Online Public Access Catalogue

**RARA:** rare works stacks of the SUB Göttingen

**SBPK Berlin:** Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin - Preussischer Kulturbesitz

**SUB Göttingen:** Niedersächsische Staats- und Universitätsbibliothek Göttingen

**EOL:** Encyclopedia of Life, A project to create an online reference source and database for every one of the 1.8 million species that are named and known on this planet. <http://www.eol.org/>

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