Practice made Practical. Reducing the OTHER of non-text

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Disciplines that share research with primarily non-textual outputs do not benefit from a scholarly communications landscape that is focussed on the discovery, access and inquiry of STEM textual articles and data. Bringing together experts into a community of practice, such as repositories that have built taxonomies to address non-text outputs, we propose building on the persistent identifier and metadata vocabularies that underpin global infrastructure.

Enabling richer, more descriptive work types, allowing better discoverability, and bringing a future where all research is equally valued.
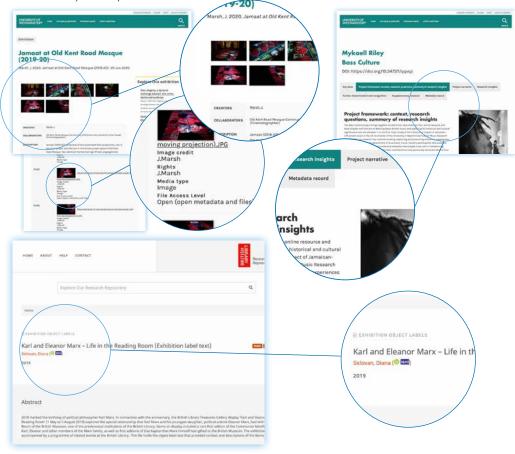
Non-text outputs

Practice Research

- cross disciplinary
- documents process
- PRAG-UK report recommends a project item type

- intersectional - crosses multiple communities and goes beyond universities - is relevant to galleries, libraries, museums and archives

- may have multilple pages, files, permissions, rights, contextual images, access levels, may be dynamic

as such needs a community of practice to agree on what the form is so that this can be mapped to the discoverability landscape

Discoverability Landscape:

Where does non-text / practice research fit? 'other' or select the 'best fit'

Persistent Identifiers

ORCID

Crossref — Other

RAiD Research Activity Identifier — Project item type recommended by Bulley-Salin

DataCite CONNECTING RESEARCH, IDENTIFYING KNOWLEDGE

ResourceTypes

- Audiovisual
- Collection
- Event
- Image
- InteractiveResource
- Model
- PhysicalObject
- Sound
- Other

Metadata standards

COAR Confederation of Open Access Repositories

resource types

- Design
- Image
- Interactive resource
- Other
- Sound
- Musical Notation

CRT CRediT - Contributer Roles Taxonomy

also used by **OpenAIRE**   **rioxx** — Other

Discoverability

CORE — Harvests PDF only, uses rioxx, OpenAIRE

Google Scholar — Indexes text only, PDFs less than 5MG, one file per article

Search Engine Optimisation (SEO) — mobile optimised design, semantic mark-up, include keywords in item URL, canonical links