RDA Toolkit - the facilities within the new version

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New RDA Toolkit facilities
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News

BETA!
Under development
Not authorized

New RDA Toolkit facilities
Welcome back, Gordon

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Resource: Using the Administration Site
2019/08/13 06:57:45 EST

Element: duration
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Element: beginning
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Resource Description & Access

Element: authorized
2019/08/15 09:10:51

Entity: Item

News
Work

Definition and Scope
A distinct intellectual or artistic creation, that is, the intellectual or artistic content.

Prerecording
The term work may refer to:

- an individual work
- a part of a work
- an aggregating work
- an augmented work
- an augmenting work
- a diachronic work
- an integrating work
- a metadata work
- a serial work
- a single work
- a static work
- a successive work
Recording

Minimum description of a work

A minimum description of a work must include at least one of the following elements:

- Work: appellation of work
  - Work: title of work
    - Work: preferred title of work
  - Work: access point for work
    - Work: authorized access point for work
  - Work: identifier for work

A minimum description of a work must also include at least one of the following elements:
- an \( \text{inter} \) element
- a \( \text{meta} \) element
- a \( \text{series} \) element
  - Work: expression of work
- a \( \text{sing} \) element
  - Work: manifestation of work
- a \( \text{static work} \)
- a \( \text{successive work} \)
Recording an unstructured description

Record an unstructured description as Work: title of work.

For general guidance on unstructured descriptions, see Recording methods. Recording an unstructured description.

Recording a structured description

Record a structured description as Work: access point for work.

For general guidance on structured descriptions, see Recording methods. Recording a structured description.

Recording an identifier

Record an identifier as Work: identifier for work.

For general guidance on identifiers, see Recording methods. Recording an identifier.

Recording an IRI

Record an IRI for the entity as a real-world object.

For general guidance on IRIs, see Recording methods: Recording an IRI.
Recording an unstructured description

Record an unstructured description as Work: title of work.

For general

Elements

- abridged as work
- abridgement of work
- absorbed by work
- absorbed in part by work
- absorption in part of work
- absorption of work
- abstract of work
- abstracted as work
- abstracted in work
- abstracts for work

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abridged as work

Definition and Scope
A work that shortens a related work without changing the general meaning or manner of presentation.

Prerecording

Recording
Record this element as a value of Work: appellation of work or as an IRI.

Recording an unstructured description
Record an unstructured description for a related work as a value of Work: title of work.

For general guidance on unstructured descriptions, see Recording methods. Recording an unstructured description.
abridged as work

**IRI**

http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/w/P10167

**Domain**

- Work

**Range**

- Work

**Alternate labels**

- is abridged as work

- Dublin Core Terms

- MARC 21 Bibliographic
access point for work

Definition and Scope

An appellation of work in natural language that is taken from a vocabulary encoding scheme or is constructed using a string encoding scheme.

Prerecording

An access point may be categorized as:

- Work: authorized access point for work
- Work: variant access point for work

An access point not chosen as an authorized access point may be recorded as a variant access point.
access point for work

Basis of access points for work

Definition
An access point for work is an entry point provided as an occurrence of a defined schema for a work.

Preceding elements
An access point for work may be preceded by:

• title of work
• access point for manifestation

An access point not chosen as an authorized access point may be recorded as a variant access point.

Option
Include a value that is based on Work: title of work.

Option
Include a value that is based on Manifestation: access point for manifestation for a manifestation that embodies a work.
access point for work

Basis of access points for work

Definition
An application of the Personal Name Authority scheme.

Preceding
An access point for work is a one- or multi-word variant access point.

Option

Condition
A value of a title includes separate words, phrases, or other components.

Option
Record a value that rotates one or more words, phrases, or other components of a title to the front, followed by some or all of the remainder of the title.
Basis of access points for work

OPTION

Include a value that is based on Work: title of work.

OPTION

Include a value that is based on Manifestation: access point for manifestation for a manifestation that embodies a work.

Bookmark  Note  URL  Citation number

User-supplied
Basis of access points for work

Create Link

URL
https://beta.rdatoolkit.org/en-US_al-a-f1ae

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OPTION

Include a value that is based on Manifestation: access point for manifestation for a manifestation that embodies a work.
Customization

Use URLs for options, recording methods, elements, etc. to create ‘my Toolkit’ for local applications

Facilities for customizing the RDA Toolkit include:
- User-supplied documentation
- Bookmarks, notes, documents
- Policy statements [under construction]
- Application profiles [under construction]
Practical tools

New RDA Toolkit is a comprehensive set of tools for creating well-formed interoperable metadata for library and cultural heritage collections

- Instructions for data values
- Elements and entities for data recording
- Choice of granularity (general vs specific)
- Choice of recording methods
- Modular customization
Thank you!

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