

Goals

- platform for historical research data
- norm data for historical entities
- toolbox for linking and managing data
- increased interoperability

Offer

Data

- Norm Data and linked Data: Persons, Places, Organizations, and Concepts

Tools

- Importer: import tool for the norm-database
- Metagrid: linking tool for personal data
- GeoLocator: linking tool for location data
- Thesaurus Manager: tool to create and manage typologies
- histLab: Environment for data experiments, integrating open source tools

Resources

- Ontological data model for Persons and Places
- histHub-places typology
- histHub-occupation typology

Norm Data

- authority files: curated, standardized, reliable
- persistent identifier
- norm data consisting of a defined set of mandatory attributions
- semantic data model
- ontology-based on CIDOC-CRM
- typology: hierarchical structure, SKOS-readable
- historically precise and versatile data



Hartmann IV. von Werdenberg-Sargans

- first mention 1350, death 1416
- Bishop of Chur 1388-1416, Earl
- spelling variants: Hartmann II. von Chur, Hartman von Sanegans, Hartman of Sangans, Hartman of Werdenberg of Sangans
- likelihood of confusion: Hartmann II. von Werdenberg-Sargans (First mention: 1271, Last mention: 1282)

problem: identification

Linking Tools

- tools for linking databases
- semi-automated generated links
- widget: easy to implement, customized
- data control remains with the owner
- toolbox: user-oriented
- browser-based solutions for open source tools
- high-performance linking tools



Max Petitpierre

- 1899-1994, Federal Council
- Where to search, what to find?
- increasing variety of databases: GND, HLS, Dodis, Helveticat, Elite suisses ...
- excessive vs. incomplete information
- redundancies
- data silos
- unstable links

problem: decentralized information

About

Profile

- histHub is...
- a cooperation project by:
 - Dodis** Histories des Lieux de la Suisse
Dictionnaire Historique de la Suisse
Dizionario storico della Svizzera
 - Schweizerisches Idiotikon** Schweizerisches Idiotikon
ortsnamen.ch
 - Rechtsquellenratung** Fondazione della ricerca del diritto
Fondazione per le fonti giuridiche
 - part of the funding program "P-5 scientific information", mandated by **swissuniversities**

- funded for 2016-2019 with 4.7 Mio. CHF, thereof 2.4 Mio CHF own contributions
- divided into three subprojects (net, norm, central services)
- combines 20+ programmers, software engineers, computer linguists, data experts, historians and linguists in four locations

Join us

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 - ... open for collaboration
 - ... open data
 - ... open source
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Up next

- **histHub-Day • 1st of February 2019**
Bern | Haus der Universität
 - Hands-on Session: experimenting with data and tools from histHub
 - Presentation: results of the build-up phase
 - Roundtable: challenges and perspectives of research infrastructures in the humanities
 - Apéro
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