Dublin Core™ Metadata Initiative

The Integrated Workfolw of Entity Management and Service for Digital Humanities

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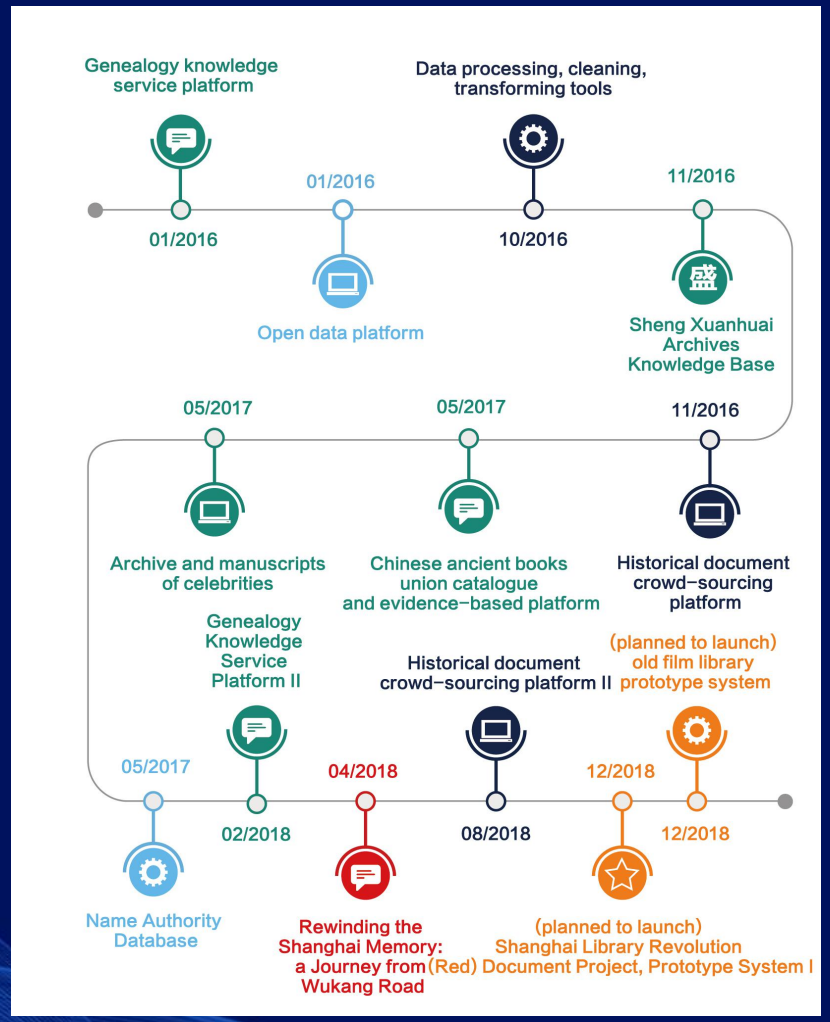
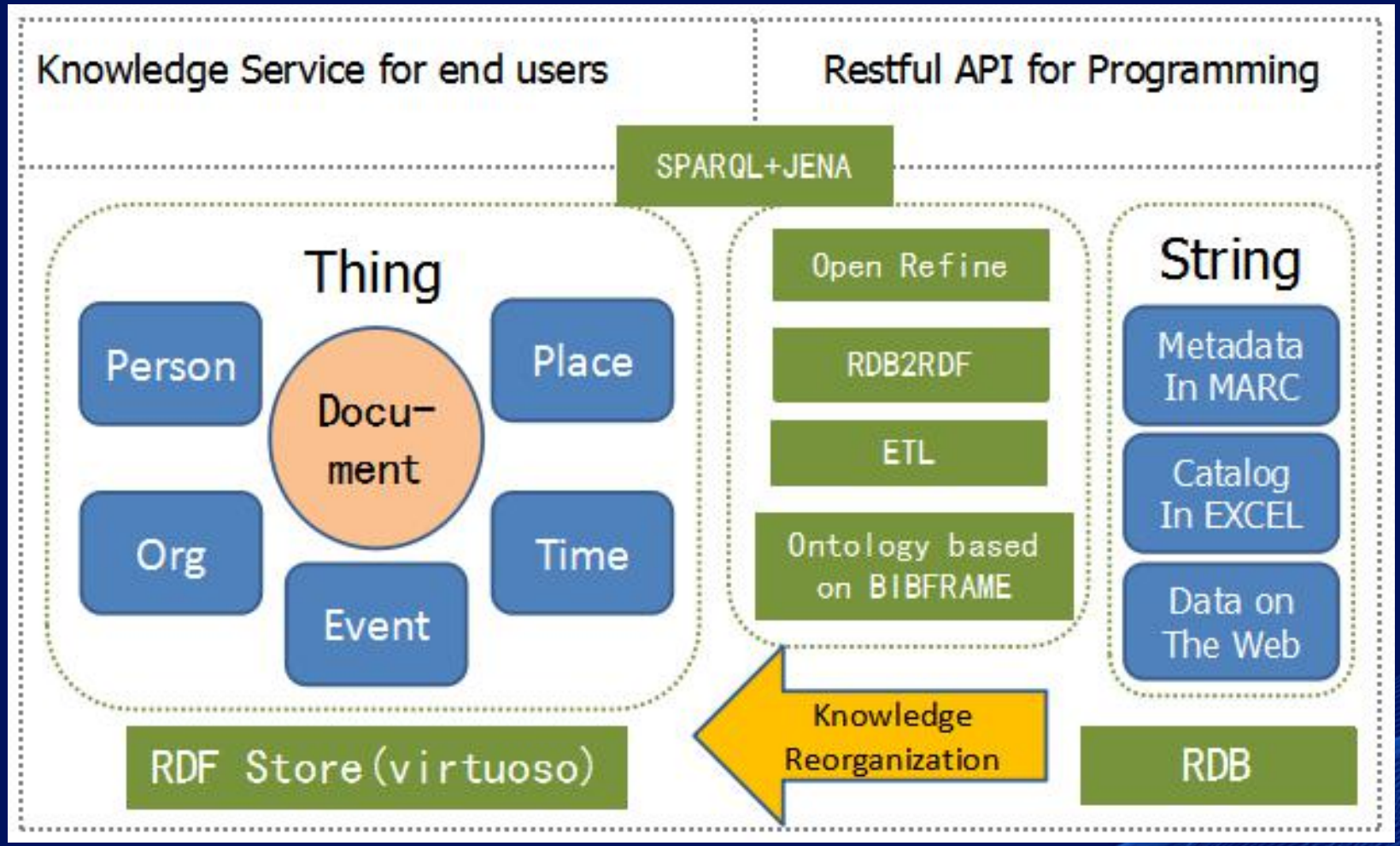
Background

Current Situation and Problems

From Digital Library systems to semantic knowledgebases





Process

- Transform all metadata records of different resources in different formats into RDF triples. Take authors and contributors, publishers and organizations, events and places as entities but not as strings.
- Give every entity cool URI as global identifier and locator. And then link them together after Name Entity Recognization(NER) and entity disambiguation.
- Enrich more semantic data about the entities by extracting structured data from the content of digital resource objects or open datasets on the Web like wiki data.
- Provide authority control and knowledge linking service among resources of different kinds of collections in a web-scale. Provide digital Humanities services for researchers, and open data APIs for the third party developers.

End Users

Developers

Crowd Sourcing | Search | HTTP URI Link | Restful API | Sparql Endpoint

Wukang Road Tour | Red Tour | Old Movie Tour

Shanghai Memory mobile Web Apps

URI Link

Old Photos | Old Movies | Red Revolution Books

Modern Books, Magazines & Newspapers

Manuscripts & Archives | Genealogy | Acient Books

Special collection knowledgebases

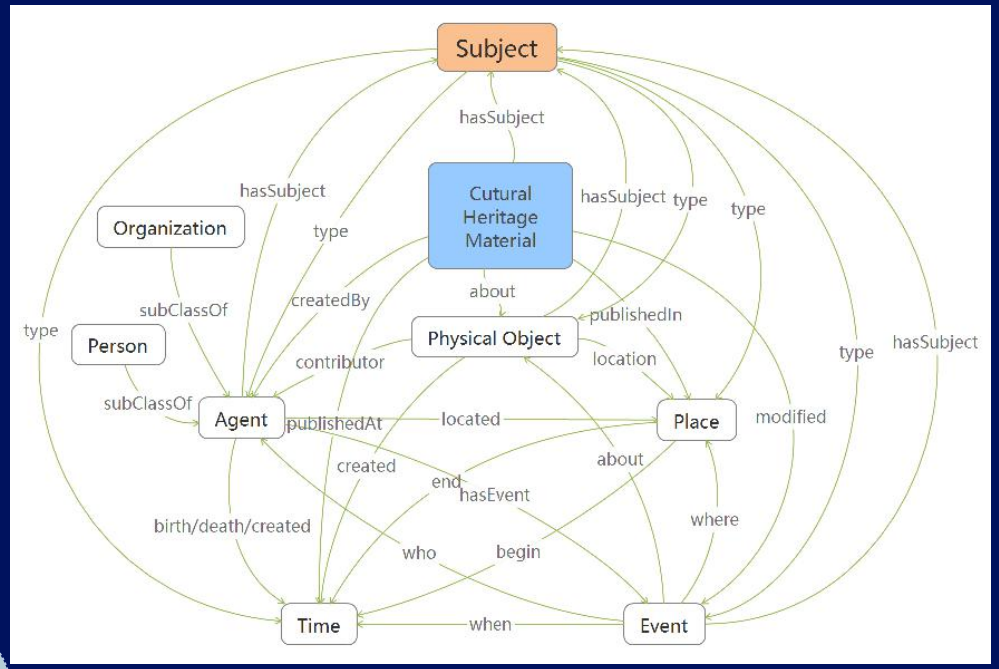
Rest APIs

SH Architecture Knowledgebase | SH Geo Names Dataset

GLAM Organization Dataset | Immovable cultural relics Dataset

Name Authority Database | His & Cul Event Knowledgebase

CN Chronology | **Basic knowledgebases** | CN Geo Names



Linked entities and data of different knowledgebases with URIs semanticly by the One Ontology Abstract Model.

Difficulties and Problems

- Data Cleaning and NER.
  - Have to correct the Inconsistency of metadata records in digital library systems and deal with the entity disambiguation manually.

- Decentralized process of entities extraction, creation, modification, publishing, and management.

Solutions

- **Integrated Workflow**
  - Bridge the gaps among the process of entities management(including extraction, creation, modification, publishing, interlinking) and Service(federal search, visualizaiton).
- **New Technology application**
  - Machine Learning to make the OCR and NER work more efficiently.
- **One platform**
  - support the **Integrated Workflow and new technology application.**
  - support the services(across knowledgebases and visulizations for SNS and spacial-temporal analysis) based on entities and the relations among entites.

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Semantic Content Architecture

The Semantic Content Architecture of Entity Management

Ontology Abstract Model of All Entities

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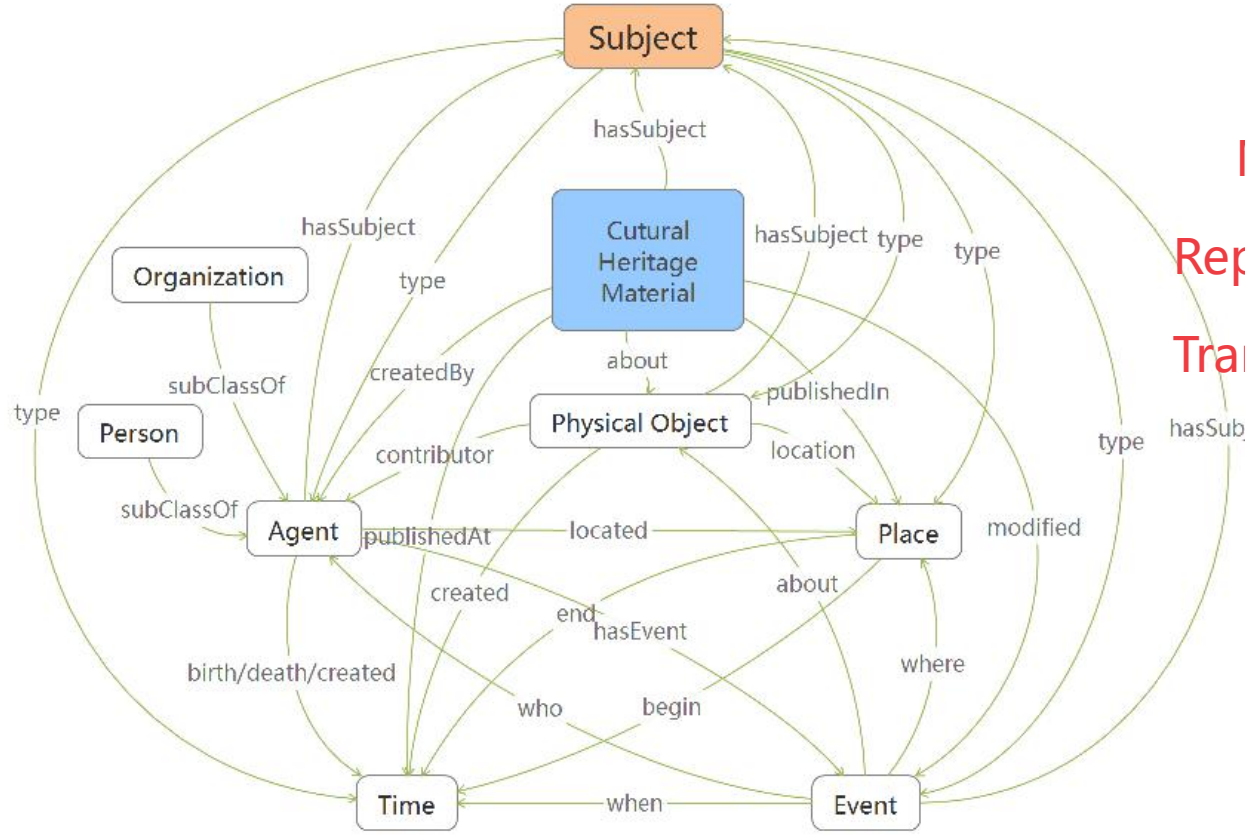

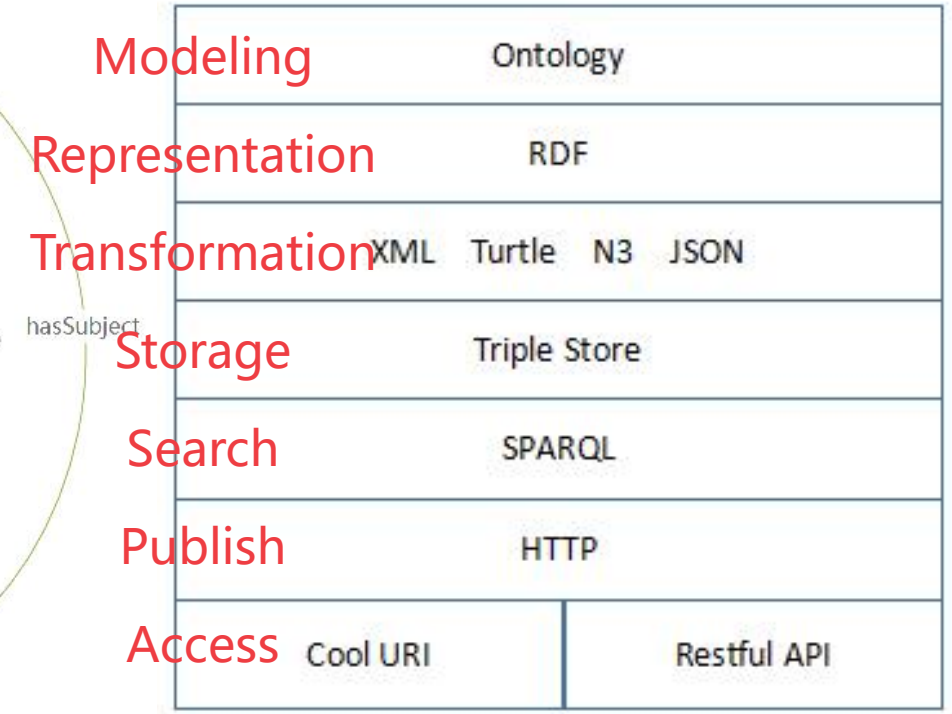

one unified ontology for knowledge modeling, RDF sepecification for consistent knowledge representation

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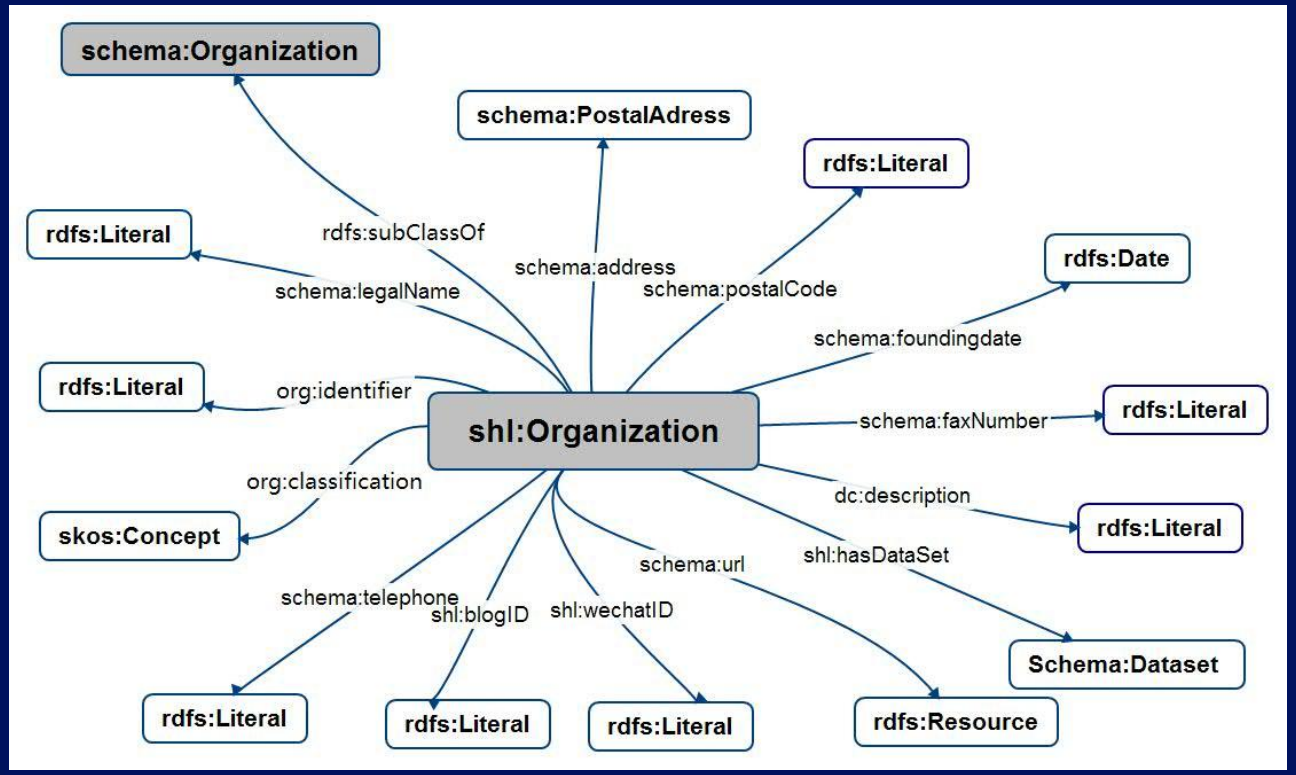
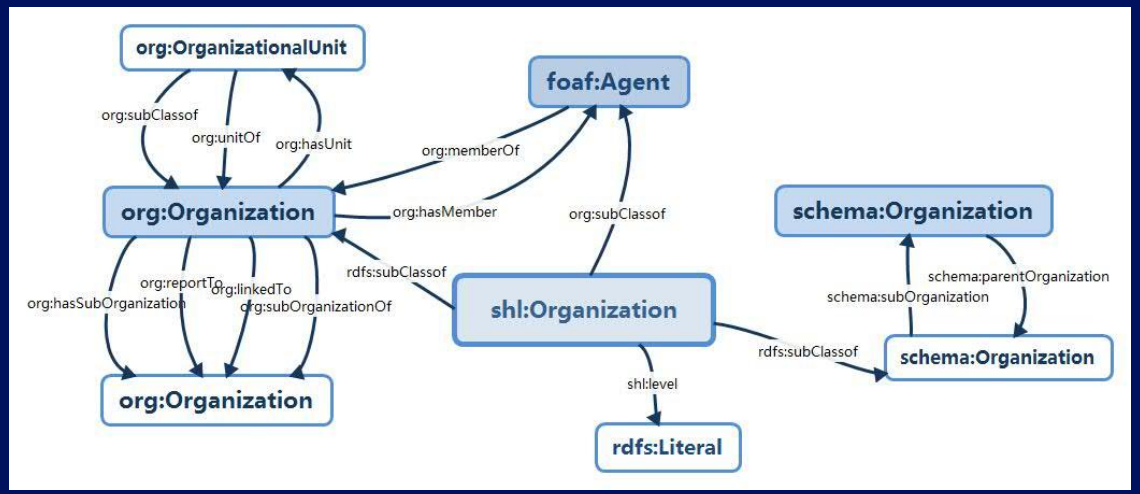
Ontology Application Profile of Organization





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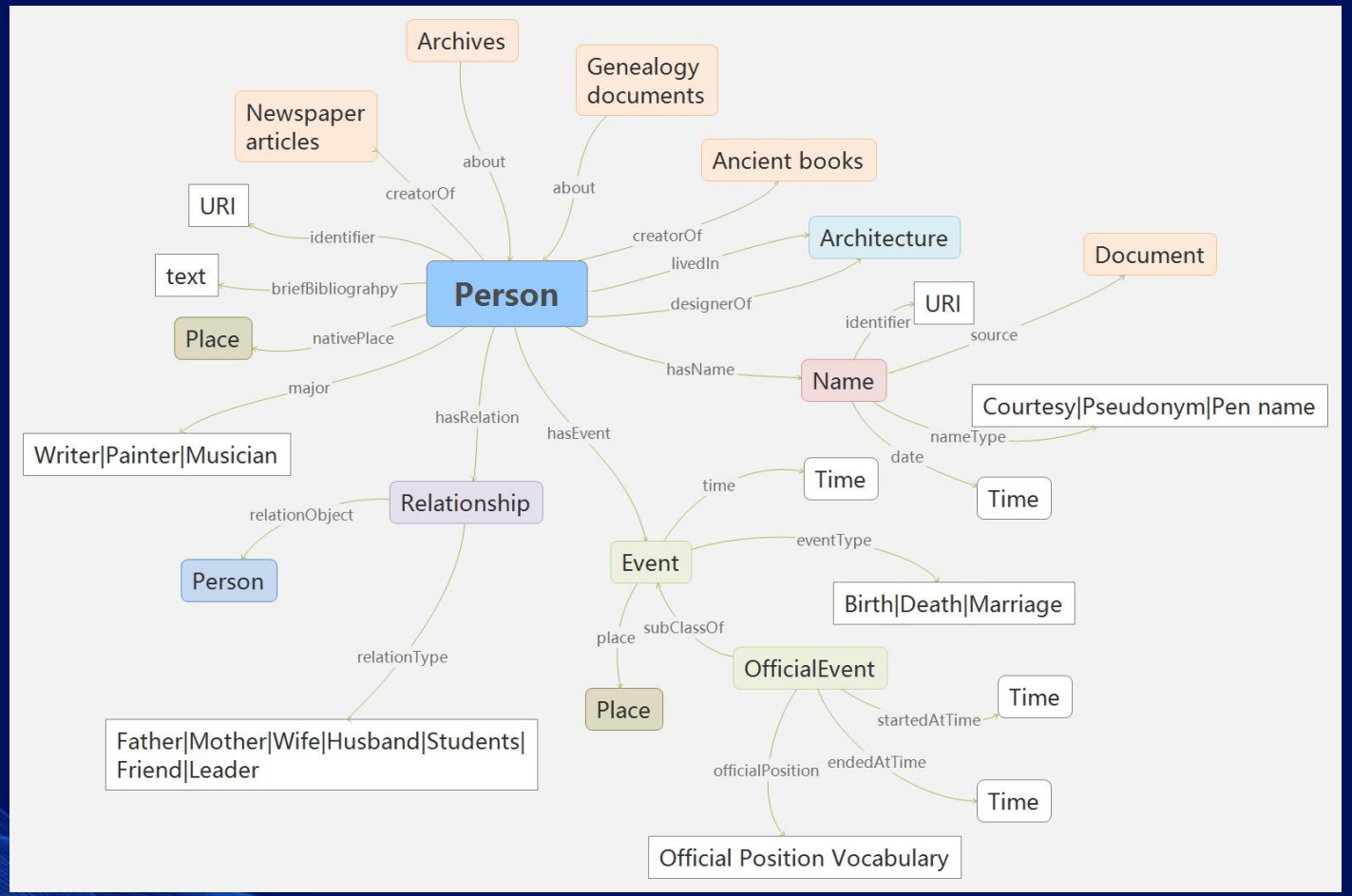

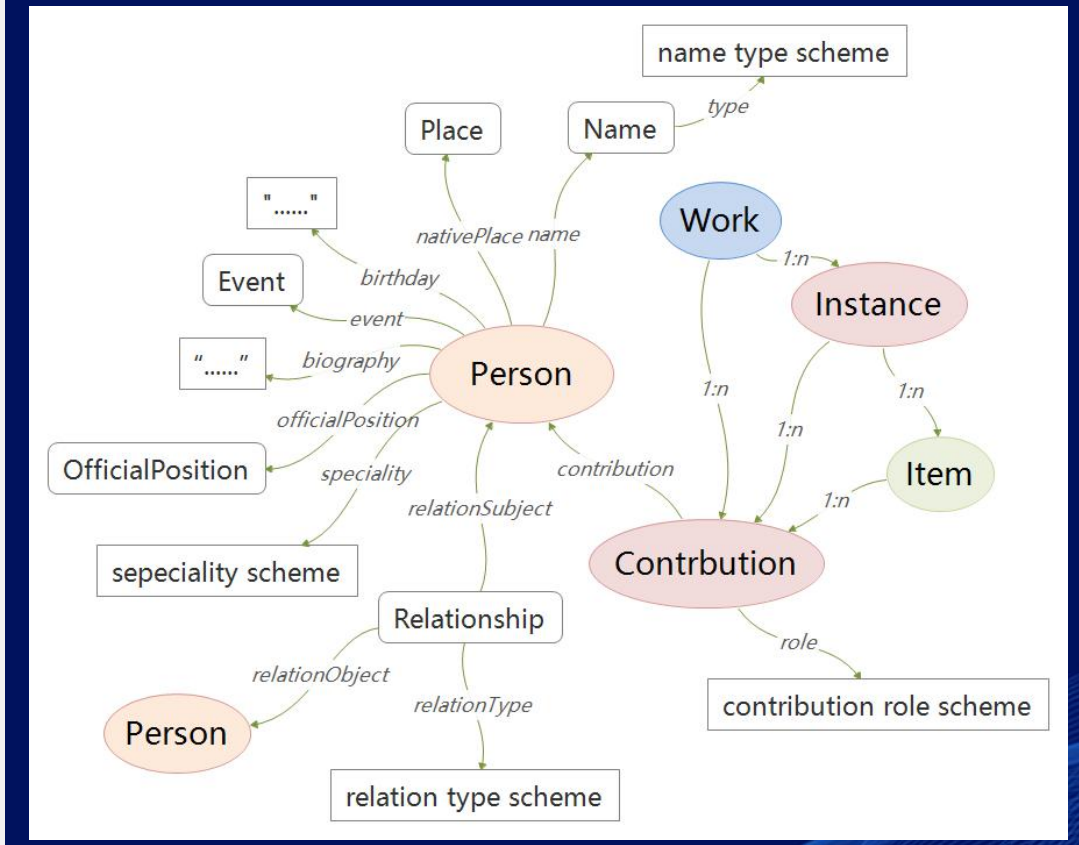

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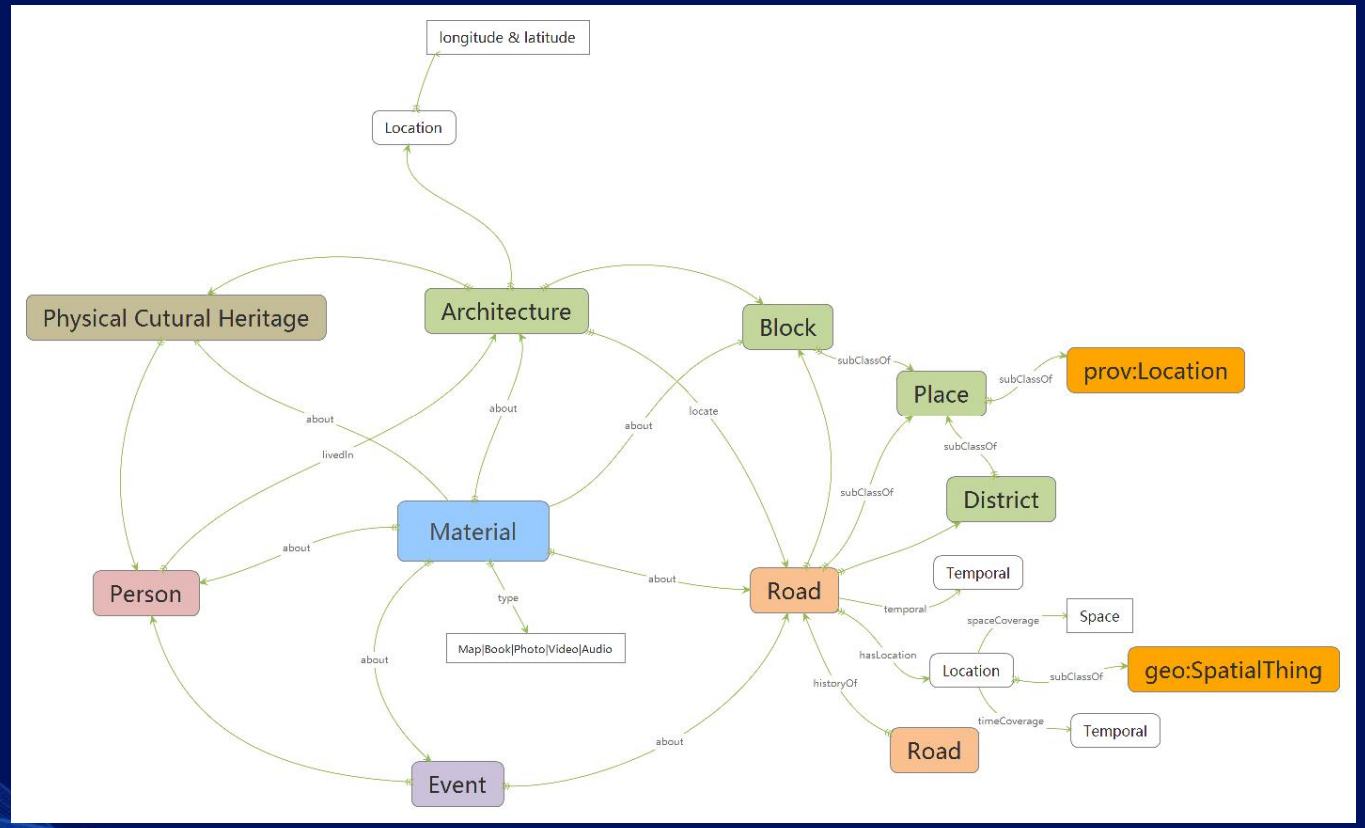

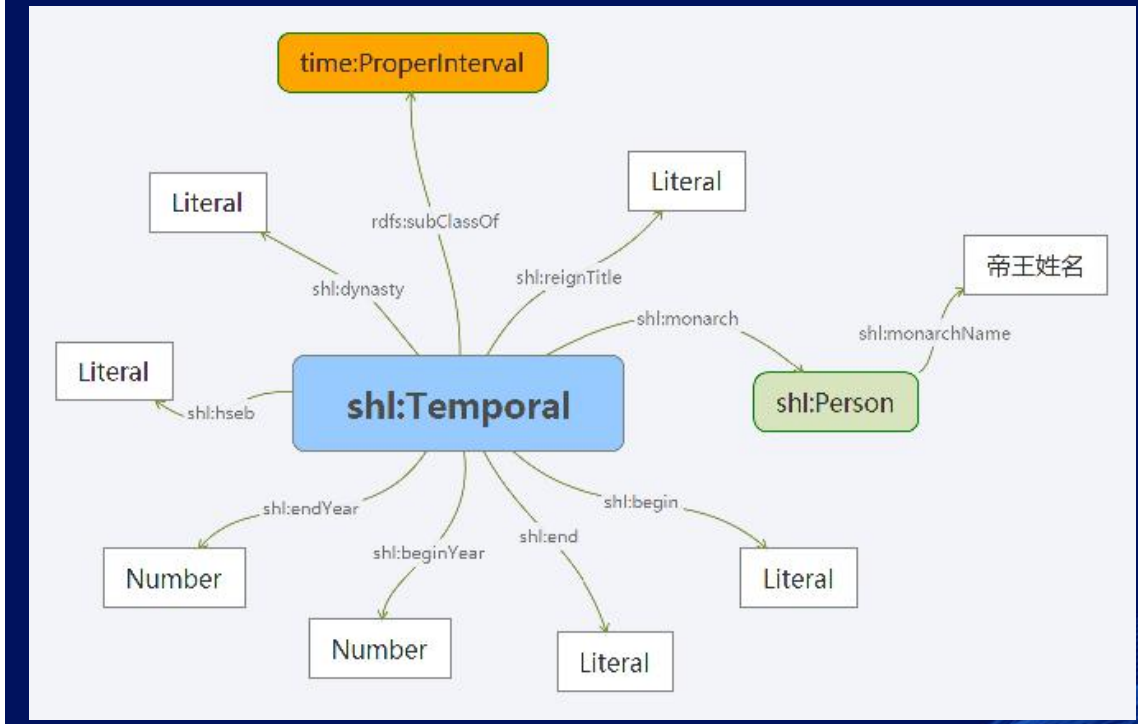

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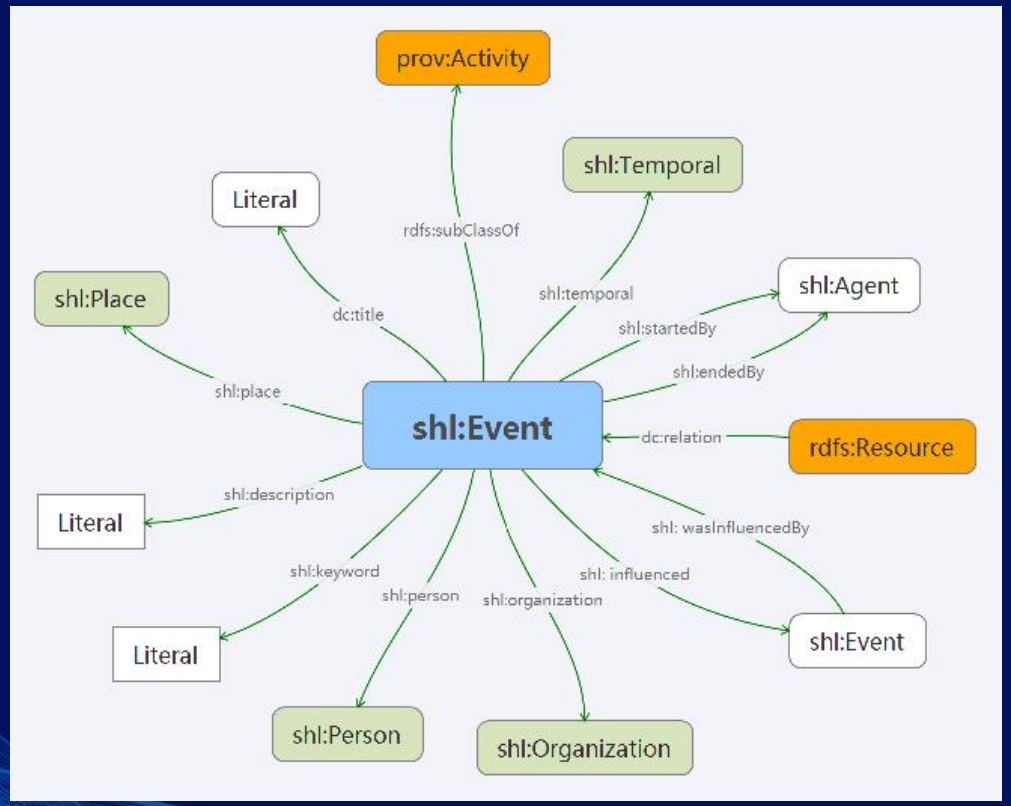

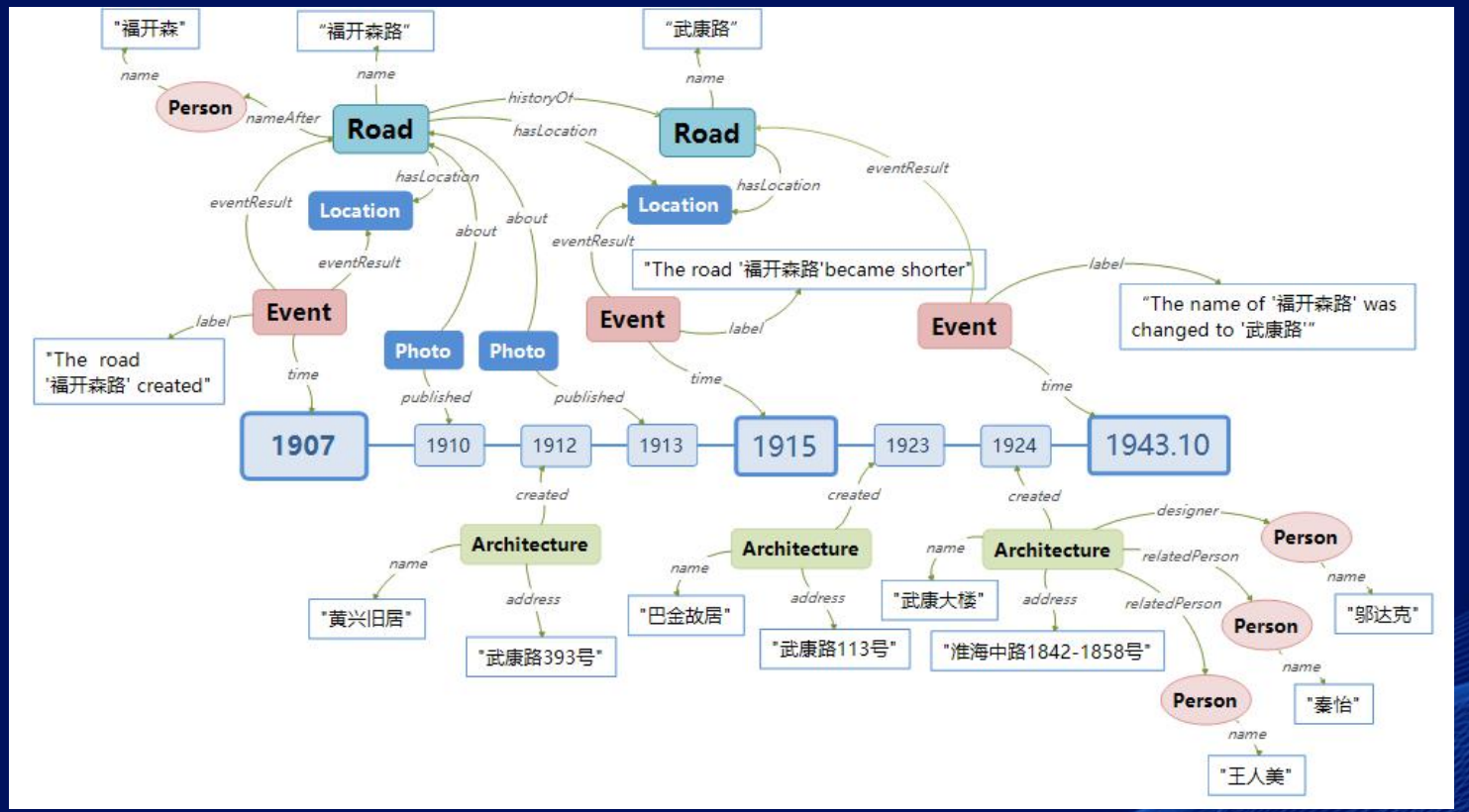

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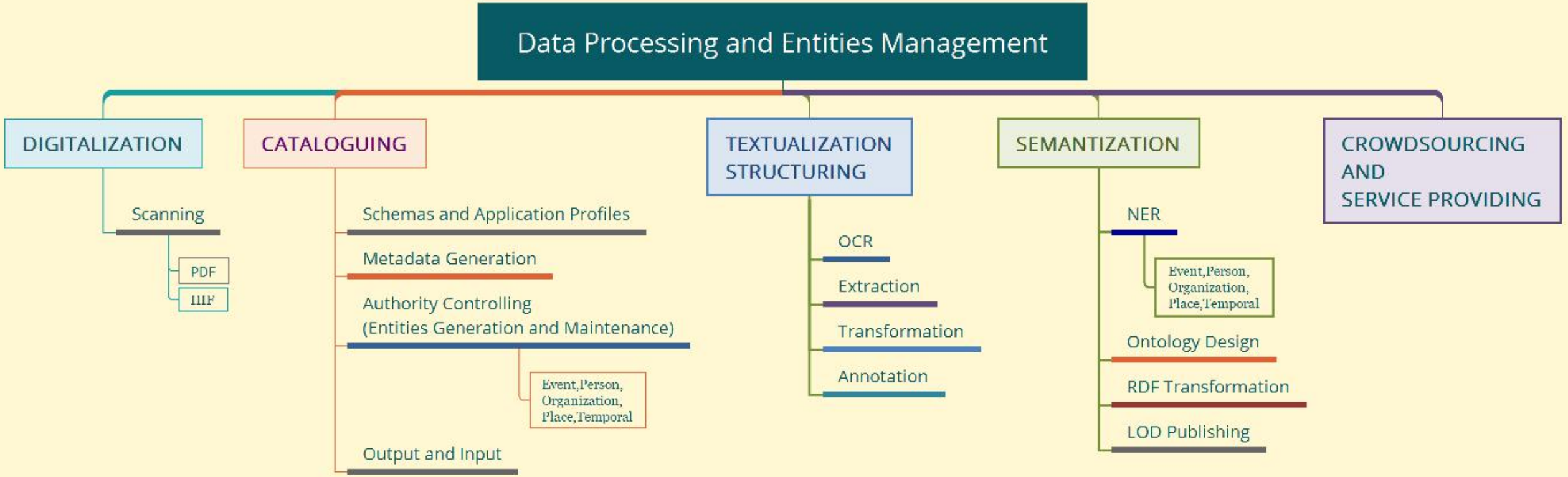
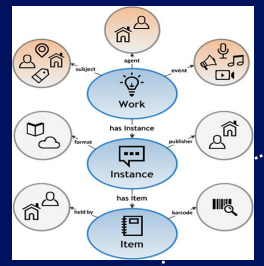
Integrated Workflow

Integrated workflow to bridge the gaps among the different stages during the data processing

Integrated Workflow for Data Processing and Entity Management



Genealogy Union Cataloging System as an Example



Work

Instance

Item

Service Platform

Complete Cat

Abstract only

Holdings

Authority Control (Entities Maintenance)

Entities Kowledgebases

Check duplicate

create-edit-verify Workflow

Statistics

Cataloguing System

folio
future of libraries is open
Holdings Manage System

Data synchronization

Import

Export

Authority Control (Entities Maintenance) during cataloging

https://jplb.library.sh.cn

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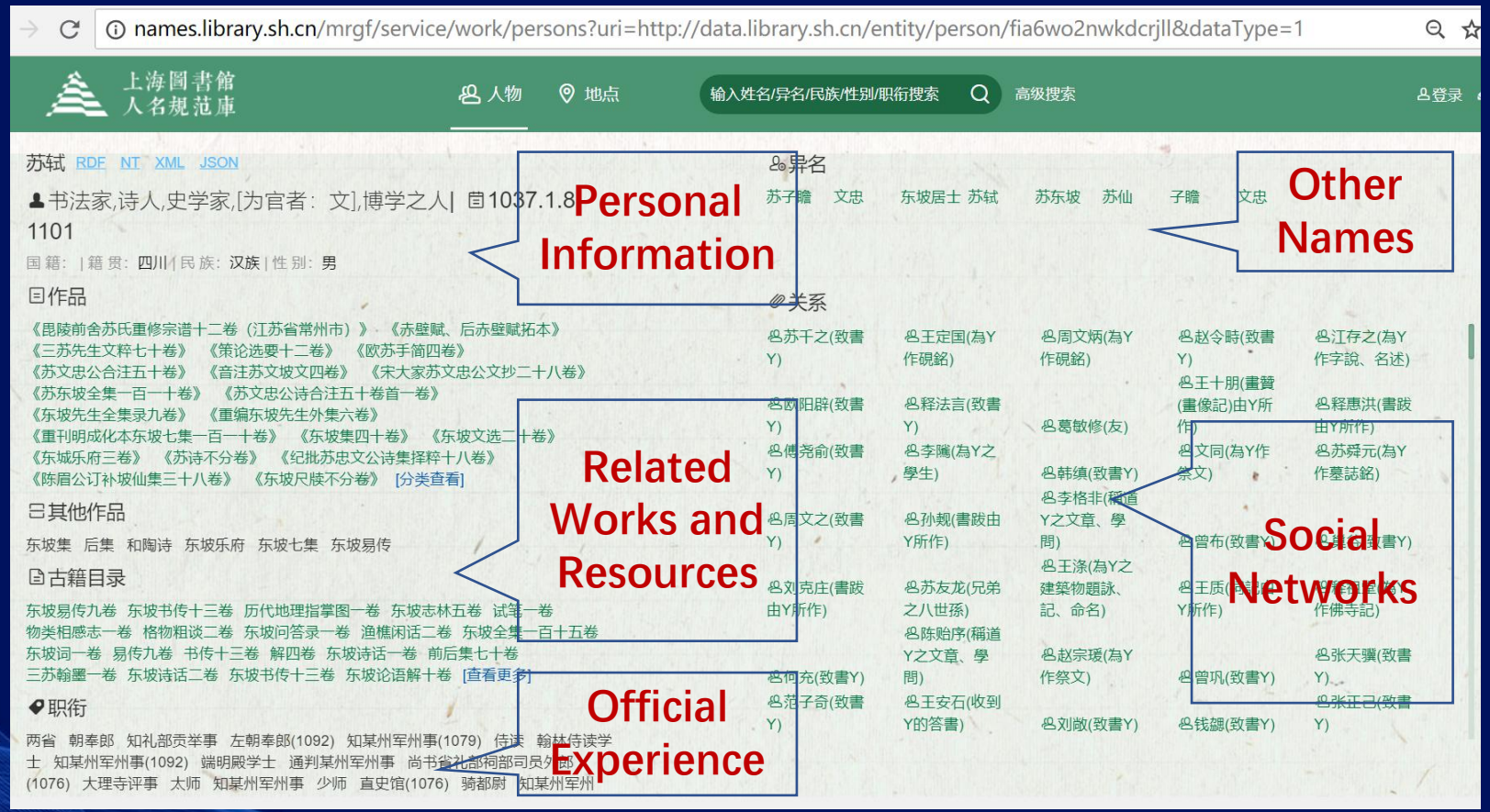
Services Support

SNS and spacial-temporal analysis

Name Authority Database as a Data Linking Hub



SPARQL Endpoint

Restful API

JSON-LD

HTTP URI

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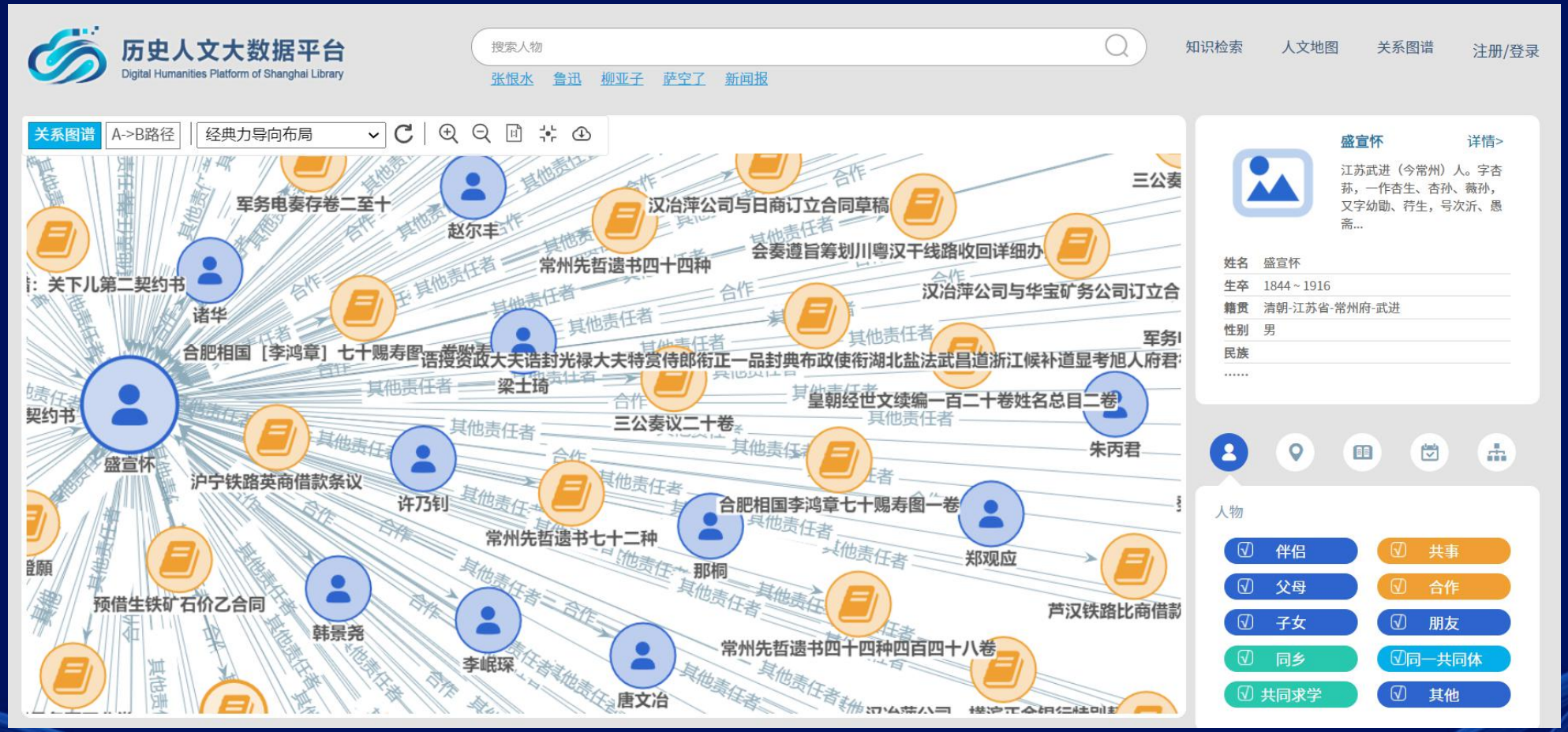
SNS Social Network analysis



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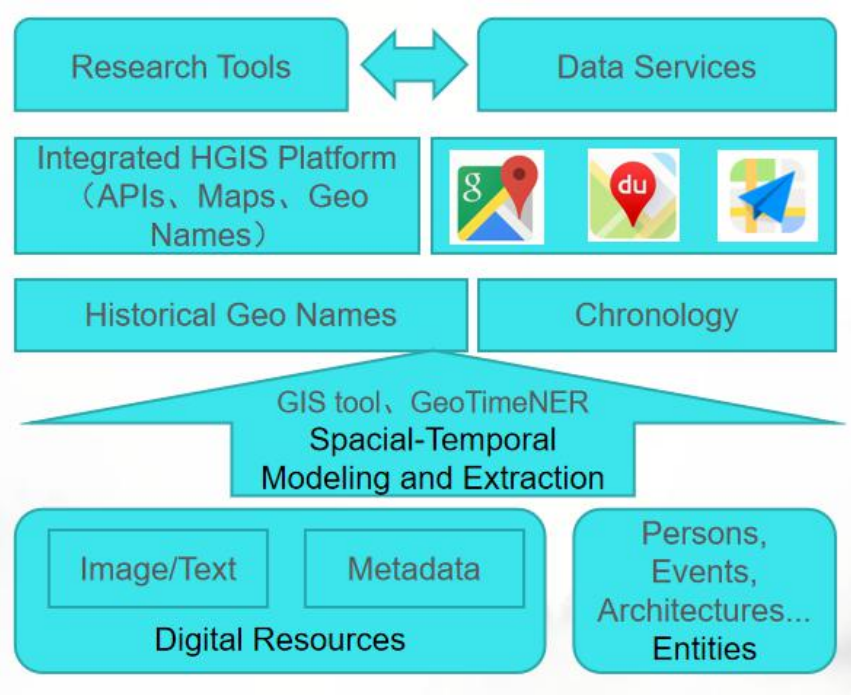
HGIS Spatial-temporal analysis



Spatial-temporal Data Infrastructure

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Event Knowledgebase
About the cultural history of Shanghai

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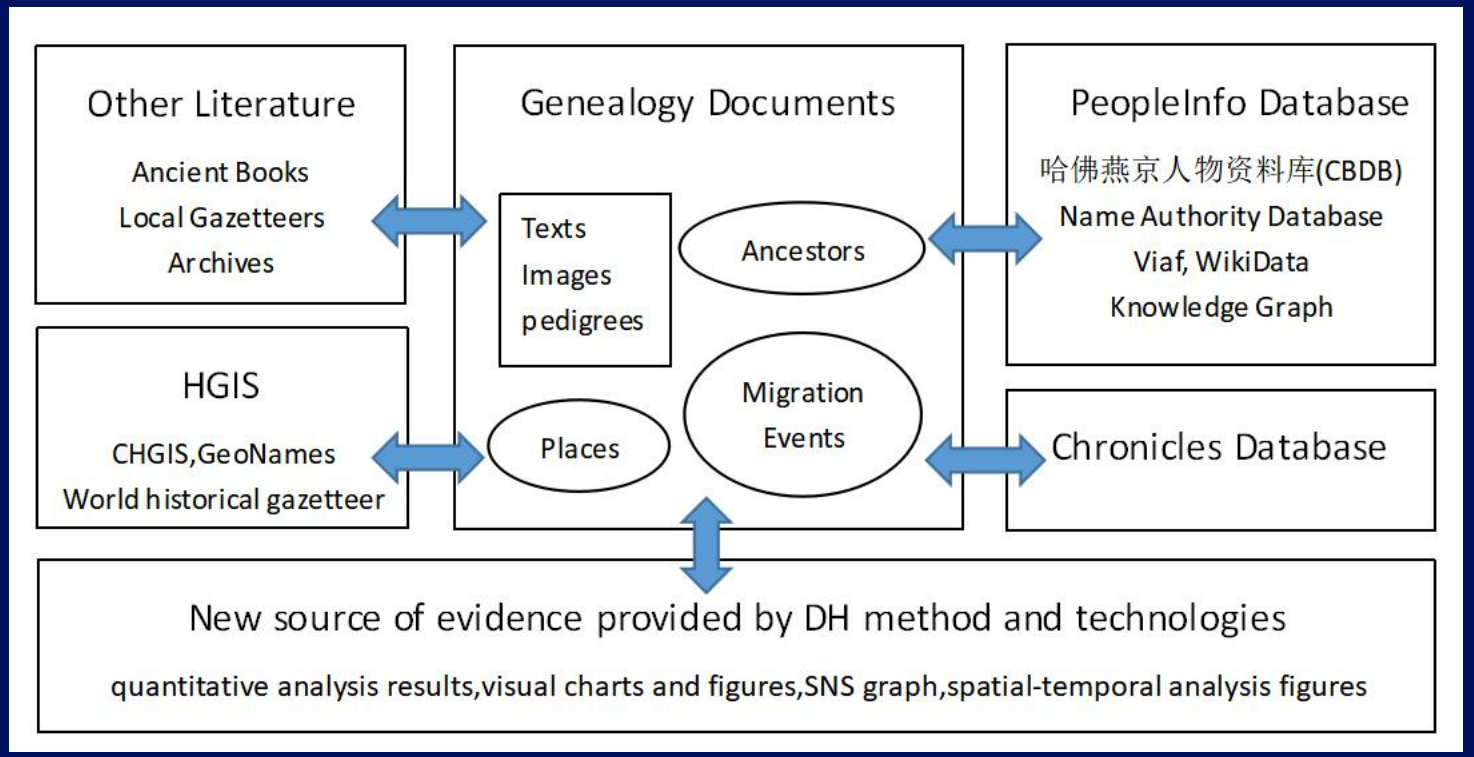
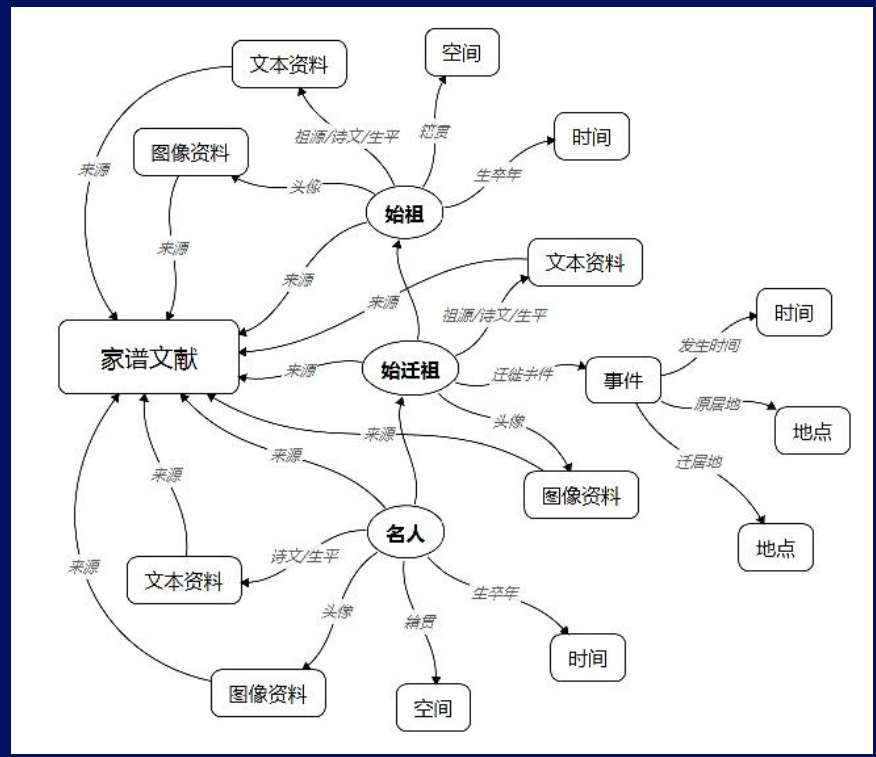
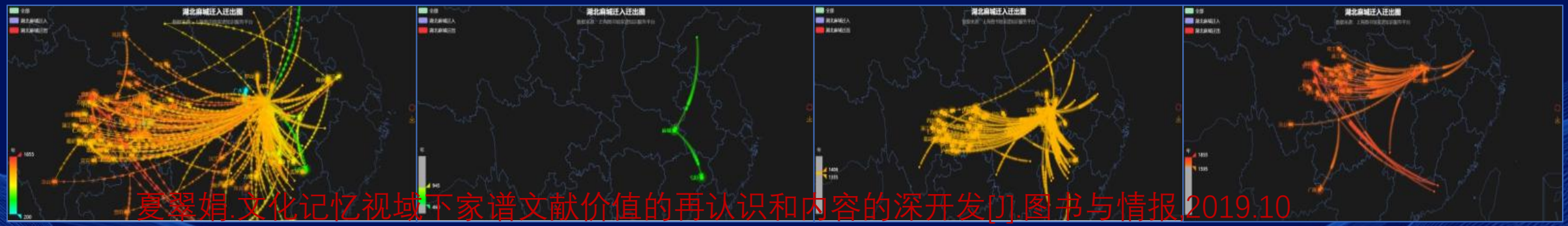
Genealogy Documents as Evidence for Migration History Study







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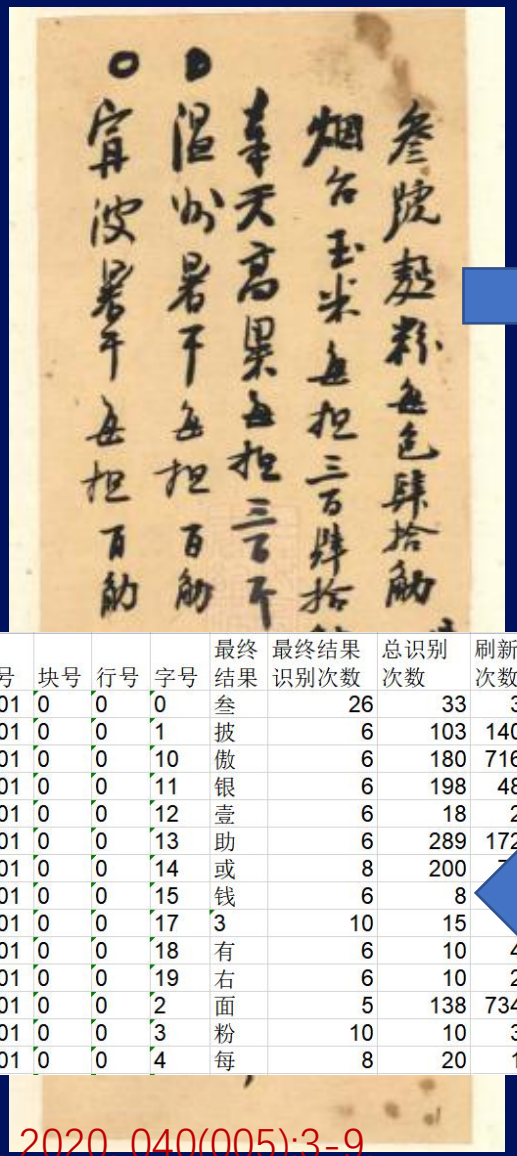

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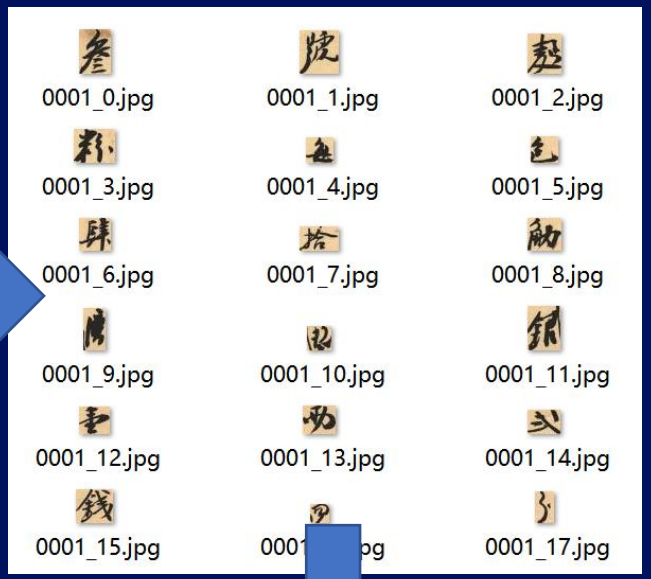

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