

Managing OA Multimedia Multitype Digital Documents in the OpenDLib Digital Library Management System

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What is a digital library?



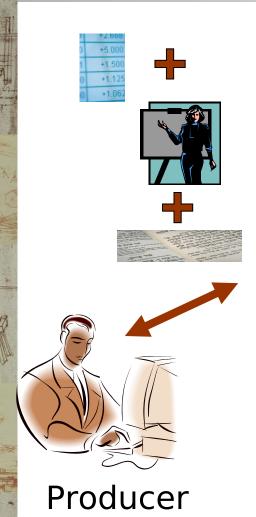
"A digital library is an institution that performs perfor

Nicholas Belkin Eight DELOS Workshop Stockholm, 1998

The functions of a library powered by OpenDLib

- Selecting, collecting, preserving, organizing, representing, providing controlled access to, ensuring knowledge of, and disseminating information objects
- Mediating and supporting interaction between information users and information objects

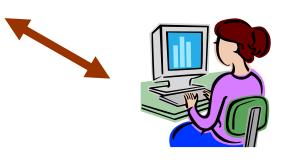
OpenDLib as a communication means



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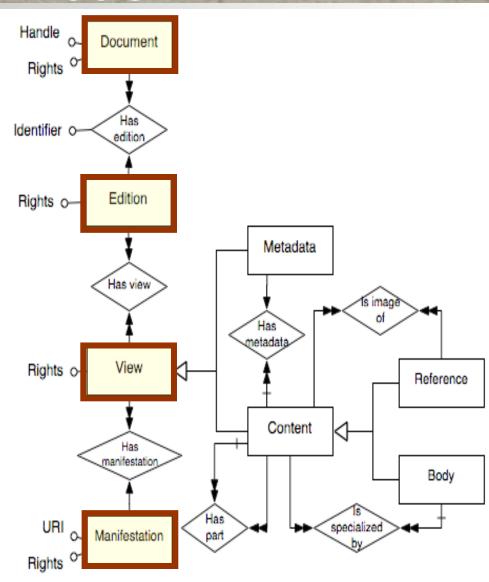




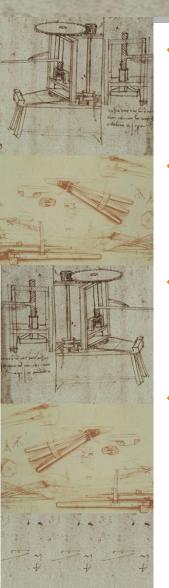
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DoMDL as logical document model

DoMDL represents structured, multi-editions and multimedia documents that can be composed and disseminated in multiple manifestation formats



DoMDL in one shot



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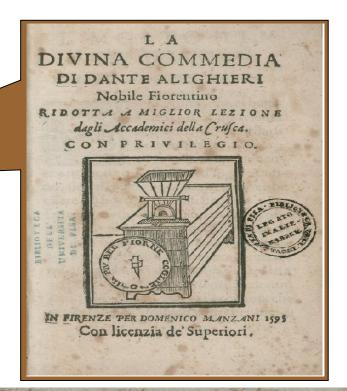
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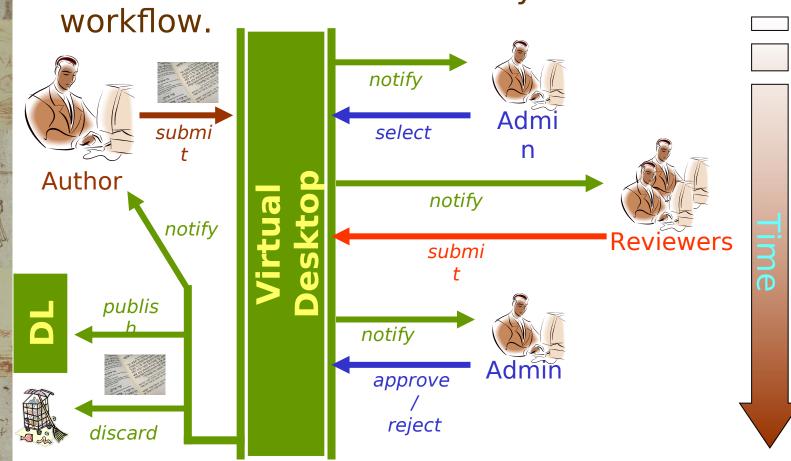
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OpenDLib services for selfpublishing

Allow authors, reviewers, and administrators to access a virtual desktop where all the communications are aided by a customized



Submit Service



Allows authors to easily deposit documents and provide them with descriptive, structural and administrative metadata.

- Create, update and submit new documents
- Create, update and submit new editions of already published documents
- Make revision of documents already published
- Withdraw documents from the repository

Review Service



Allows to access documents and easily produce on line reviews.

- Access the document on-line
- Create, update, and submit evaluation
- Access to parts of the evaluation expressed by other reviewers
- Access to relevant cited bibliography

Administration Service



Allows the DL Administrator to have a general view of the status of all the documents submitted for publications by different authorities, and to manage them accordingly.

- Access the document on-line
- Edit the metadata
- Assign to a reviewer
- Compose a number of documents to publish a proceedings or a journal
- Approve/Reject

Final Remarks



The OpenDLib system exploits the DoMDL model by decoupling the storage layer from the application layer.

- A document is really composed by several files
- Multiple metadata formats can be associated with the same document
- A manifestation can be stored inside or outside the DL system
- A set of rules to download, deliver, transcode or display define the rights on the document views
- The author can benefit from an integrated desktop to self-publish his document
- The end-user can transparently access complex documents that are automatically assembled by the system

More Info



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