

Enriching Exhibition Stories with Quire

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Welcome

Today

- Introduction to Quire, Linked Art, and our project.
- What can Quire produce? Into the Labyrinth exemplar.
- How to use Quire and Linked Art.
- How to install Quire and the Linked Art extension.
- Questions and next steps.

Wednesday preparation using provided instructions; in-person help available.

Thursday (4-5pm)

- Hands on: creating your own digital exhibition using Quire and Linked Art.

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<https://linked.art/community/projects/ees2/>

An introduction in three parts

1. Quire
2. Linked Art
3. Quire + Linked Art (our project)

1. Quire

Quire is an open source software project developed by Getty for authoring rich exhibition-centric digital outputs which are easy to write, build, deploy and maintain, including by smaller institutions and individuals.

- Quire projects are written as text (Markdown), images, and metadata (YAML)
- The Quire tool turns these into simple standalone websites, PDFs, and/or ebooks



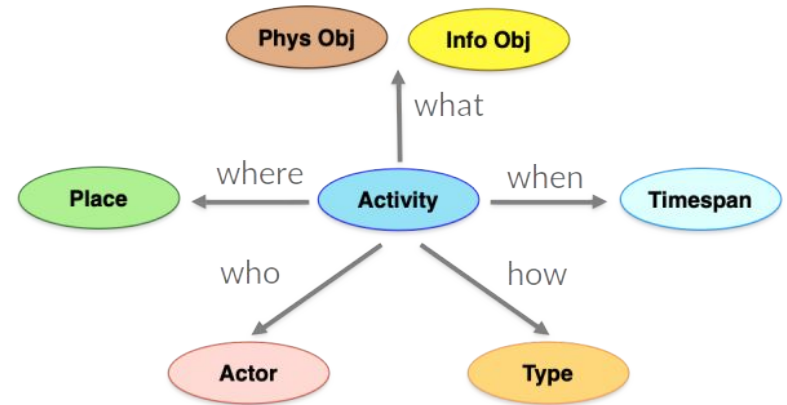
<https://quire.getty.edu/>

Quire Community Showcase: <https://quire.getty.edu/community/community-showcase/>

2. Linked Art

Linked Art is a usable, standards-based way to describe cultural heritage, providing museums with a shared data model:

- an activity-centric metadata profile based on the CIDOC CRM
- informed by lessons from past Linked Open Data initiatives
- an API with recurrent principles, providing as JSON-LD
- easily understood by developers - Linked Open Usable Data



<https://linked.art/>

3. Quire + Linked Art

Enriching Exhibition Stories adds capabilities to Quire so that it will work with Linked Art and through it enable new forms of *digital stories*.

This week we will show you a preview of our extended version of the Quire software, and help you learn how to use it.

Please install and use the preview version of Quire (instructions circulated by Tyler)!

<https://linked.art/community/projects/ees2/>

What can Quire produce? Into the Labyrinth exemplar

How to use Quire and Linked Art (video)

Installation

- Installation instructions have been circulated via email, are available on Canvas, and were given out as hard copies at registration
- If you are unable to get Quire installed, **do not worry**
 - You will be in groups on Thursday
 - Help with installation will be offered on Wednesday lunchtime (1.30-2.30pm in seminar room 8)

Links

Demo

- <https://tinyurl.com/dhoxss-demo>

Installation instructions

- <https://tinyurl.com/dhoxss-installation>

Documentation

- <https://tinyurl.com/dhoxss-documentation>

Extension files (la_quire_extension.zip)

- <https://tinyurl.com/dhoxss-extension-files>

Project template (quire_template.zip)

- <https://tinyurl.com/dhoxss-template>

Exercise sheet

- <https://tinyurl.com/dhoxss-exercises>

Before Thursday's session...

1. Finish installing Quire and the extension

- Tyler will be in Seminar Room 9 after today's session and during lunch on Wednesday (1.30-2.30pm) in Seminar Room 8 to help with installation issues

2. Find three objects on the Yale LUX platform

- LUX home page: <https://lux.collections.yale.edu/>
- You will use your three chosen objects when working through the exercise sheet

3. If you will be using a recommended text or code editor, have it installed

- Getty recommends [Visual Studio Code](#), [Brackets](#), or [Sublime Text](#) for Quire
- **Recommended editor is not required**
- You can use your default text editor if you want. Your choice of editor will not significantly impact your experience doing the exercises

Thank you



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