

# **International Conference on Economics and Business Information**

**19 to 20 April 2016 in Berlin**

## **Workshop on Current Research Information Systems (CRIS) and Libraries**

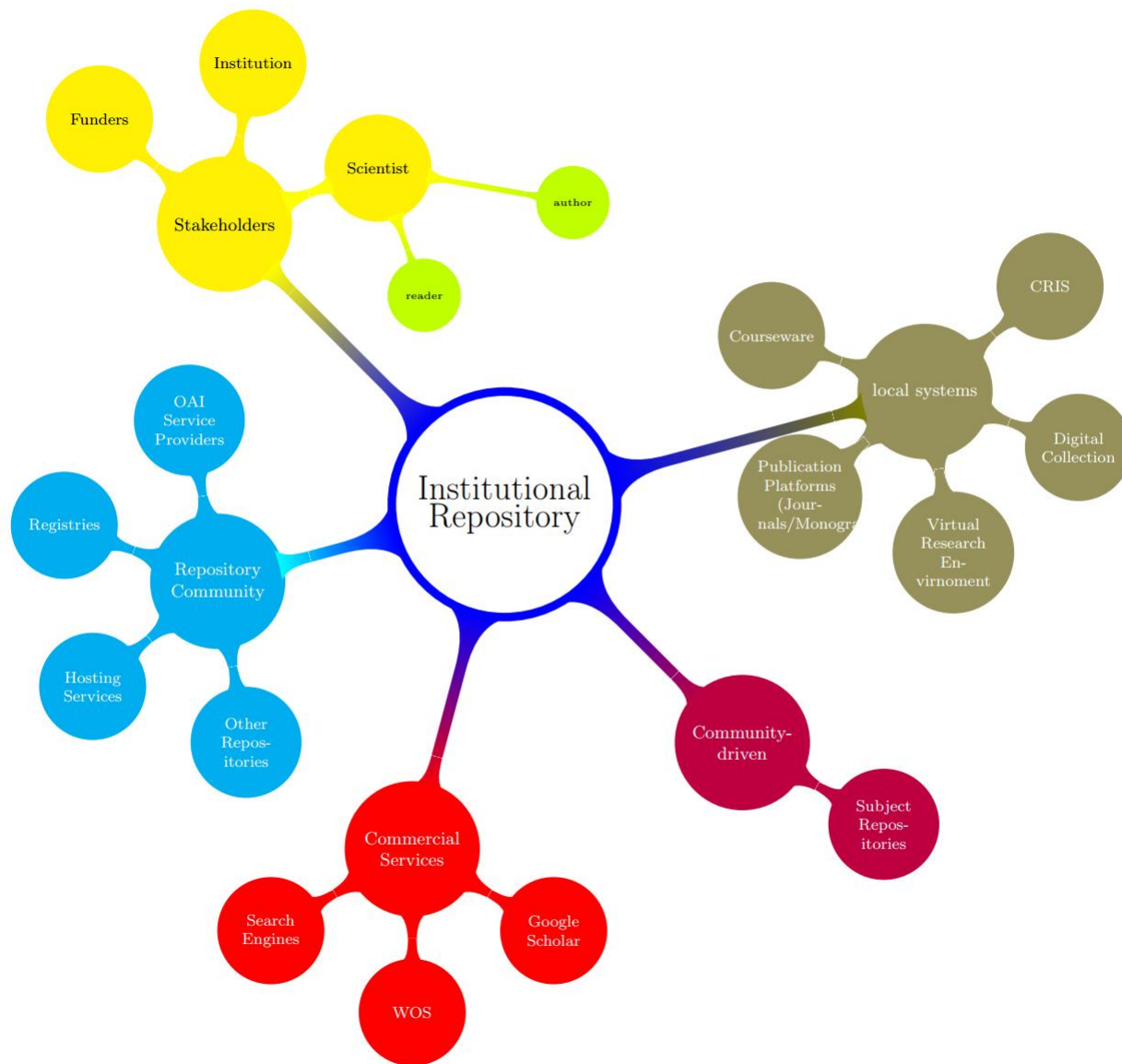
**Why Repositories and CRISs are complementary and  
should work together**

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## CRIS-IR interoperability

- The common intersection: Publications
- The main challenges:
  - The metadata format question (CERIF – DC/MODS/MARC)
  - Related Services and Their Embedding



## UNIBI IR – CRIS Activities

- Publication Management System  
(IR with Project Extensions)
- Member of the global IR and CRIS network  
(DINI, COAR, KE)
- IR(/CRIS) Service Provider  
(BASE)
- National/European Projects  
(DRIVER/OpenAire/INTACT/  
ORCID-DE)



CRIS	IR
Internally/Externally-Orientated	Externally-orientated
Research Office	Library
Research Information Mgt.	Open Access
Metadata	Fulltext
Automatic Harvesting	Self/Archive/Mediate Deposit
CERIF	DC METS MODS
Proprietary Software	Open Source

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CONVERIS - Anmeldung | EuroCRIS | Research Information | CE... | Toad Data Modeler - HTML report | OpenAIRE schirrwagen

www.eurocris.org/Uploads/Web pages/CERIF-1.6/documentation/MImage.html

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OpenAIRE Guidelines: For CRIS

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# Why some institutions prefer to run CRISs

- Very comprehensive research information collection
- Oriented towards research reporting and evaluation (REF in the UK a big driver for CRISs)
- CRISs allow to deal with research funding at internal level -- very valued feature by Research Office managers
- CRISs will automatically harvest most institutional publications from external databases (it's about references not necessarily full-text)
- CRISs can now work as repositories: CRIS-as-IR use case
- CRISs will link to admin systems like HR or Finance
- CRISs (often) use CERIF as metadata standard -- very comprehensive and will ensure interoperability with funder systems

## Comments – CRIS features

Pure is useful because it's one of the few systems that pulls data in from elsewhere

# Why other institutions will keep using their repositories

- Emphasis on showcasing and offering Open Access to the institutional research output
- CRISs are very expensive and difficult to implement
- Repositories can rather effectively (and easily) be managed from the Library
- Repositories' publication-centered metadata model may be enhanced to collect additional info: IR-as-CRIS use case
- There are now funder mandates requiring Open Access for the next national research assessment



- **CRIS-as-IR**

CRIS replaces repository and by becoming OAI-PMH-compliant it's able to perform its role (at a basic level now, but evolving)

- **IR-as-CRIS**

IR data model and architecture is extended to cover additional aspects (projects, grants, funder programmes, awards, reporting information)

- **CRIS-IR-Interop**

Coupled systems exchanging information

# CRIS Systems with Repository Functionality

- PURE (Elsevier)
- Converis (Thomson-Reuters)
- Symplectic
- DSpace IRIS (Open Source)
- Proprietary Solutions / Extended Repository Software



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[QUB Research Portal](#) (Queen's University Research Portal)

**Organisation:** [Queen's University, Belfast](#), United Kingdom

**Description:** This is the Institutional Repository of Queen's University Belfast which provides access to the research output of the institution. The interface is available in English.

**OAI-PMH:** <http://pure.qub.ac.uk/ws/oai>

**Software:** PURE

**Size:** 46112 items (2014-05-12)

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## euroCRIS

Current Research Information Systems

The International Organisation for Research Information

CERIF



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## St Andrews Research Repository

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### Welcome to the St Andrews Research Repository

This is a digital repository of research output from the University of St Andrews. Since 2006 the University has required theses to be submitted to the repository. The full text of research papers can be submitted to the Repository via PURE. PURE and the repository integrate services to provide an easy submission process for the full text of research publications. The [St Andrews Research Portal](#) provides links to the full text of research publications which are stored in this Repository.

Contact the ETheses team: [Digital-Repository@st-andrews.ac.uk](mailto:Digital-Repository@st-andrews.ac.uk), or the Open Access and Research Publications Support team: [openaccess@st-andrews.ac.uk](mailto:openaccess@st-andrews.ac.uk) for further information, or see our web pages about [related services](#).

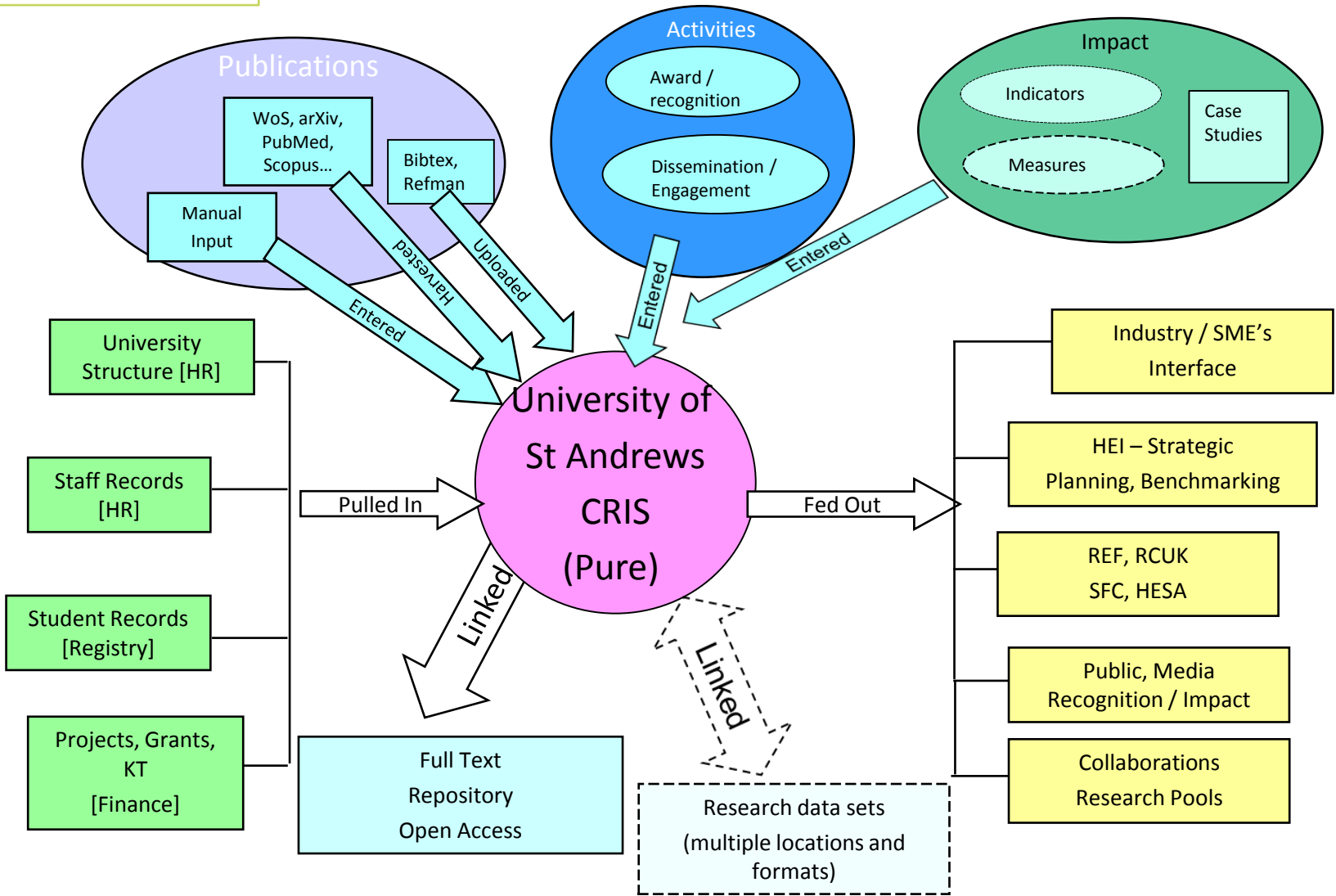
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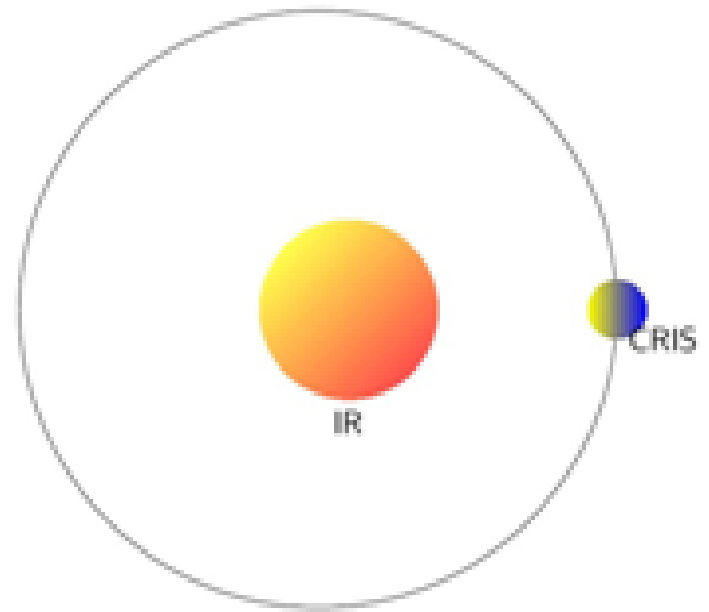
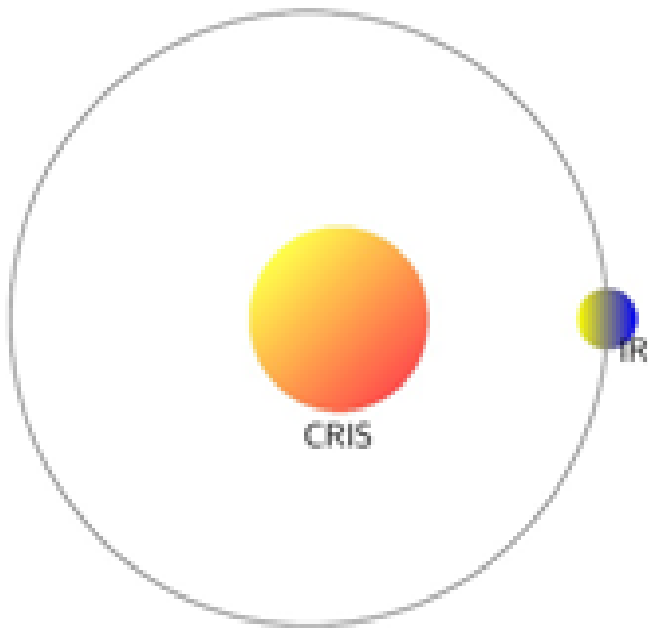
# The key challenges (from the IR perspective):

- Relationship CERIF – bibliographic metadata formats
- Integration of Services (via Interoperability)

The conclusion:

**Communication to exchange experiences and to foster the activities**

“Not quite a dichotomy –  
interoperability the key feature”



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# Thank You for Your Attention!

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# Three basic use cases: IR-as-CRIS

## Enlighten: Research and APC funding workflows at the University of Glasgow

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programmes), thus becoming able to play a reporting purposes

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## euroCRIS DSpace-CRIS repository: a mixed CRIS/IR functionality

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# Vorhandene CRIS-Installationen in Europa

- UK – 57
  - (Pure , Pure-DSpace, Pure-Eprints,
  - Converis-DSpace, Symplectic-DSpace, etc)
- Dänemark – 45
  - (Pure)
- Deutschland – 4
  - (Pure, Converis)
- Italien – 60 and more
  - (Dspace IRIS)
  - Belgium, Sweden, Netherlands