

Resource Summary Report

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Scholarly Ontologies Project

RRID:SCR_000057

Type: Tool

Proper Citation

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Resource Information

URL: <http://projects.kmi.open.ac.uk/scholonto/index.html>

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Description: THIS RESOURCE IS NO LONGER IN SERVICE. Documented on February 25, 2022. Project (2001-2004) to build and deploy a prototype infrastructure for making scholarly claims about the significance of research documents. "Claims" are made by making connections between ideas. Any claim is open to counterarguments. The connections are grounded in a discourse/argumentation ontology, which makes possible innovative services for navigating, visualizing and analyzing the network as it grows. They have evolved a suite of prototype tools for modelling conceptual networks of ideas and arguments, publishing them for reuse and argumentation, and navigating, searching and filtering this repository as it grows. Some of these are freely available to play with, but **WARNING!** they are no longer able to support them. The system they have built is called ClaiMaker. Others include ClaimSpotter, ClaiMapper, ClaimFinder, ClaimBlogger and ClaiMaker Microsoft Word plug-in. Additionally, the ScholOnto RDF Schema is available, <http://projects.kmi.open.ac.uk/scholonto/resources/Scholonto2.rdfs> User Communities: They envisage such a tool as having potential not only in scholarly publishing, but for corporate knowledge analysis, and in education. Complementary work: ScholOnto's focus on net-centric representations of research is complemented by work on augmenting more conventional textual documents, with threaded commentary and debate. An open source web publishing tool is available called D3E (Digital Document Discourse Environment). Many applications are illustrated on the site, including the award-winning Journal of Interactive Media in Education. We are no longer able to support tools, so are not able to assist if you have problems or lose data.

Abbreviations: ScholOnto

Synonyms: ScholOnto Project, Scholarly Ontologies

Resource Type: controlled vocabulary, data or information resource, ontology, portal, topical portal

Keywords: semantics, scholarly publishing, discourse, claim, collective sensemaking, software, metadata standard, prototype

Funding: EPSRC GR/N35885/01

Availability: THIS RESOURCE IS NO LONGER IN SERVICE

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Scholarly Ontologies Project.

No alerts have been found for Scholarly Ontologies Project.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We have not found any literature mentions for this resource.