



# Federated Active Linguistic data CuratiON FALCON

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### Leverage the power of Linked Data for the **Long Tail of the Localisation Industry**

- L10n is a Big Data Industry
- Large-scale, Monetised Reuse of Translation Memories and Term Bases
- SMT and Text Analytics now also leverage these resources
- Large clients and LSPs curate and add-value to such resources as assets
- We aim to extend these benefits to SMEs





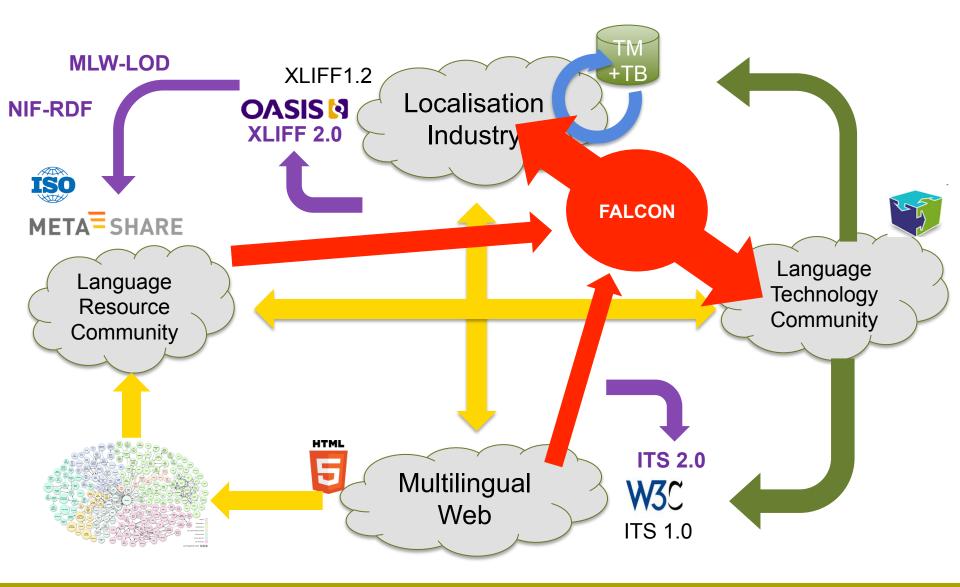








#### Where does FALCON sit?

















## **FALCON Consortium**



- Trinity College Dublin (IE)
  - LOD Mapping and Link Quality
  - Federated Access Control
  - L10n Interoperability
- XTM International (UK)
  - CAT/L10n management vendor and interoperability
- Interverbum Technology (SE)
  - Terminology Management
- **Dublin City University (IE)** 
  - SMT and text analytics
- SKAWA Innovation (HU)
  - Web site translation (EasyLing), crowdsourcing















# FALCON Approach

- Provide an Open Schema and SaaS platform for exposing language resources as linked data
- Enable controlled, decentralised sharing of resources and stand-off value-add annotation
  - Term or named entity annotation
  - Translation process provenance and QA
- Active Curation of resources and value add
- End-to-end process management
- On-demand assembly of domain specific LT training corpora













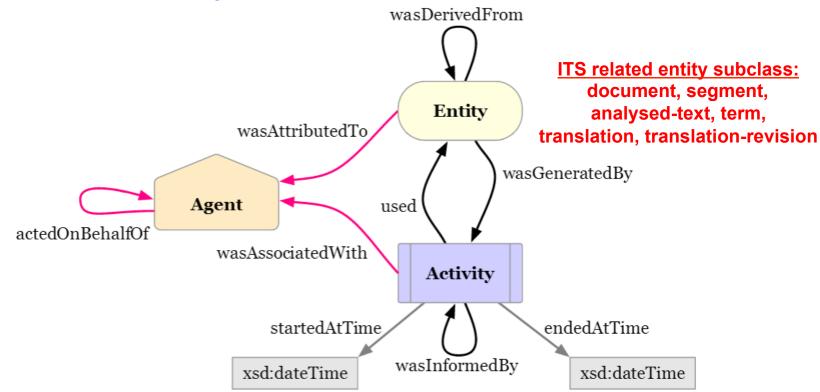


### Provenance-Oriented Approach

W3C Provenance WG

http://www.w3.org/2011/prov/

subproperty: wasTranslatedFrom



From: http://www.w3.org/TR/prov-primer/





















### Value Network of Benefits

- Language Resource Publishers can audit links used in building other resources, track ROI
- Tool Vendors and Integrators expand markets with more open asset management offerings
- SME LSPs gain resource sharing and pooling opportunities that avoid lock-in
- LSPs and clients can use Active Curation to quickly train domain specific SMT and text analytics components













### Collaborate

- Seeking further collaborators:
  - Public bodies looking for more value-add from publishing language resource
  - Integrating with open source SMT and TA platforms
  - Standards and best practice in publishing language resources as linked data
  - Localisation clients or crowdsource communities interested in acting as trial users
- Projected start in Oct
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