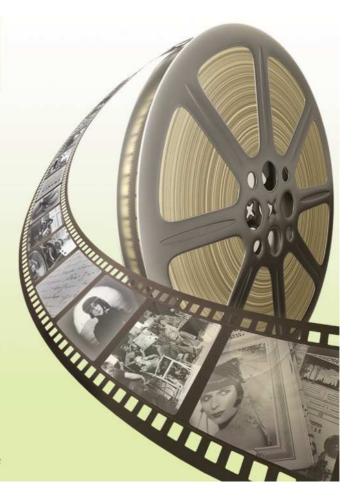


A Gateway to Film Heritage in Europe

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Before EFG: MIDAS

• **filmarchives-online.eu**: Union catalogue of (mostly non-fiction) film holdings





Before EFG: MIDAS

- Since the launch of MIDAS:
 - Faster internet connections: Multimedia content
 - "Web 2.0"
 - Mass digitisation, more born-digital material
 - i2010 initiative/Europeana: Cross-domain integration
- Users: Why can't I see the film online?

 \rightarrow EFG project





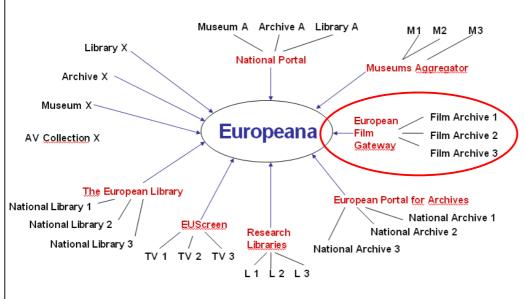
What is EFG supposed to achieve?

- Build a "digital showcase" for collections of Europe's film archives and cinematheques
 - Moving images: Films and film clips, trailers etc.
 - Images: Posters, images, stills, drawings etc.
 - Text material: Reviews, correspondence, censorship documents etc.
 - Sound material: Interviews etc.
- Central access point to federated digital collections and repositories
- Free (of cost) access to digital collections
- Registry of digital objects and authority records (works of film, persons)





EFG as an "Aggregator" for Europeana



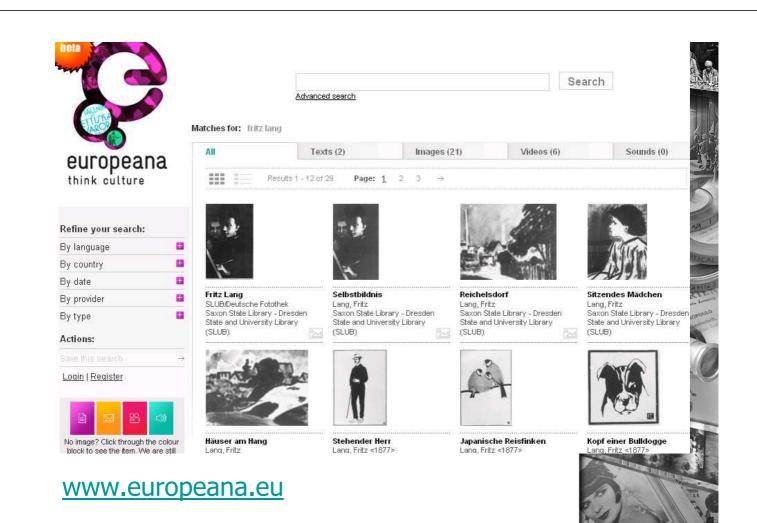




Why "Aggregators"?

- Interoperability of digital content and metadata across institutions & domains
- Limited resources of core Europeana projects (e.g. Europeana V1.0)
- Domains (Libraries, Museums, Archives, Audiovisual heritage institutions) to clean up their own backyard first







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Übersicht Filmografie Materiallen Fotogalerie Literatur

- Biografie



Friedrich Christian Anton Lang, geboren am 5. Dezember 1890 in Wien, Sohn des Architekten und Stadtbaumeisters (Bauunternehmers) Anton Lang und seiner Frau Paula, geb. Schlesinger. Lang, der sich schon als Kind mit Zeichnen und Malen beschäftigt, besucht die Volks- und Realschule, beginnt 1907 ein Architektur-Studium an der Technischen Hochschule Wien, 1908 ein Kunststudium, zunächst an der Akademie der Graphischen Künste in Wien, ab 1911 in München an der Staatlichen Künste in Wien, ab 1911 in München an der Staatlichen Künste neisen – "Deutschland, Beldien Holland Mittelmeerländer und die afrikanischen

Fritz Lang

(Friedrich Christian Anton Lang) *05.12.1890 Wien, Österreich ; †02.08.1976 Beverly Hills, Kalifornien, USA

Darsteller, Mitwirkung, Darsteller (Sonstiges), Regie, Drehbuch, Schnitt, Ton, Produzent

- Filmografie

2006/2007 Fritz Lang Mitwirkung

1994/1995

A Personal Journey With Martin Scorsese Through American Movies Mitwirkung

1990 <u>Monolog eines Mörders</u> Ton

1989 The Exiles Mitwirkung

1974





Consortium: Archives

Finnish Audiovisual Archive National Library Norway Danish Film Institute Lithuanian State Archives Eye Film Institute Cinémathèque Francaise Deutsches Filminstitut Czech National Film Archive Hungarian Film Archive Filmarchiv Austria Lichtspiel Bern Cinemateca Portuguesa Cineteca di Bologna Cinecitta Luce Greek Film Archive



Metadata interoperability & CWS

- Cinematographic Works Standard (CWS) partially applied in EFG
- Current drafts and news: <u>www.filmstandards.org</u>
- Unambigious identification of film works catalogued under different distribution titles

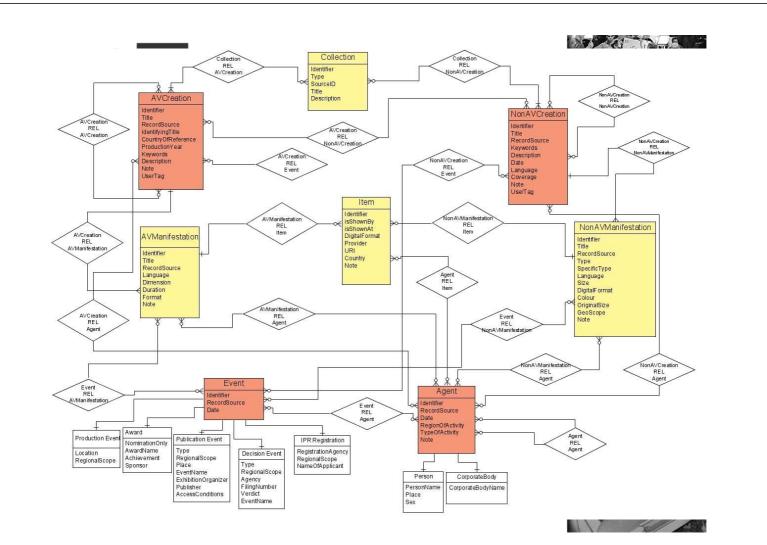


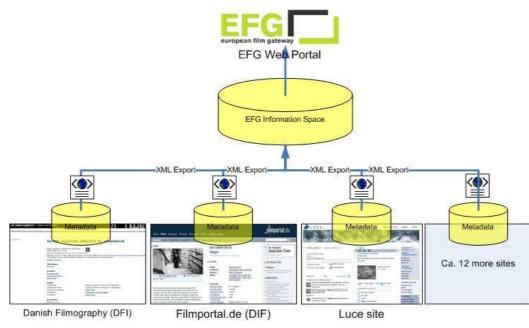


Common interoperability schema

- Main characteristics of the model
 - Based on the FRBR paradigm and on the CEN metadata element set
 - Five main entities
 - AVCreation
 - AVManifestation
 - NonAVCreation
 - NonAVManifestation
 - Item
 - Event
 - Agent
 - Collection







- Extraction of XML exports from local databases (preferably OAI-PMH)
- Mapping to EFG data structure and ingest into EFG information space
- CINEMA CORTIAND

• EFG user interface



Time schedule

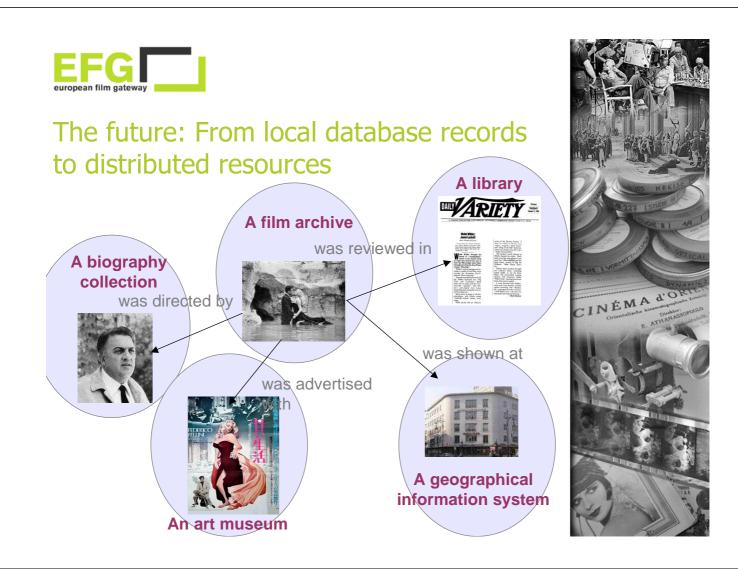
June 2009	Metadata schema finalised
Summer 2009	First ingests from archives
Autumn 2009	First test ingests from EFG to Europeana
Autumn 2010	EFG portal public launch
Until August 2011	Consolidating film work and person authority files, linking objects to authority records, further ingests

• Spring 2011: Development of follow-up project to include more partner institutions



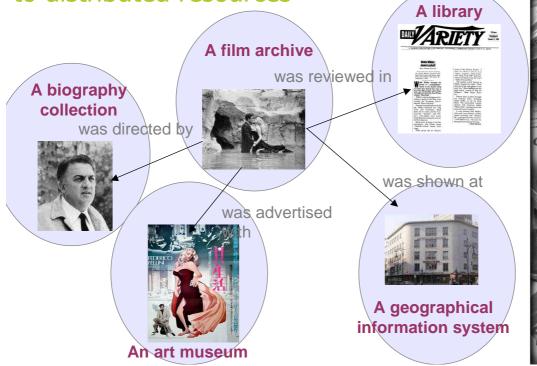








The future: From local database records to distributed resources





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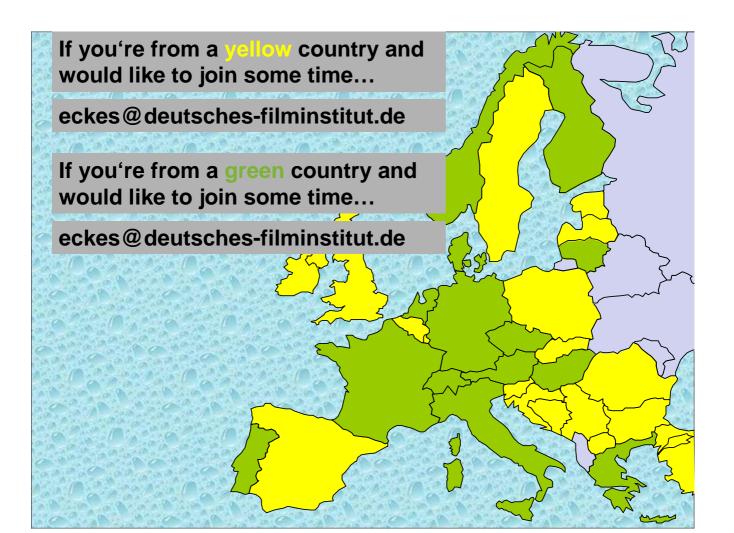
September 2008. It will develop an online portal, providing direct access to about 790,000 digital objects including films, photos, posters, drawings, sound material and text documents.

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