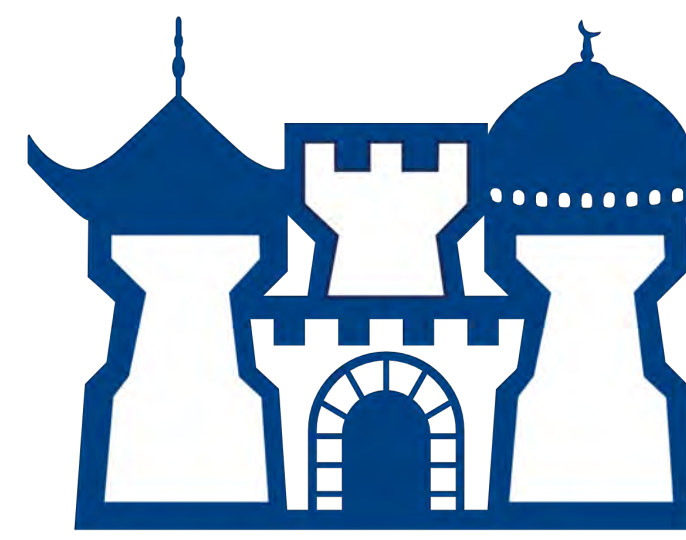


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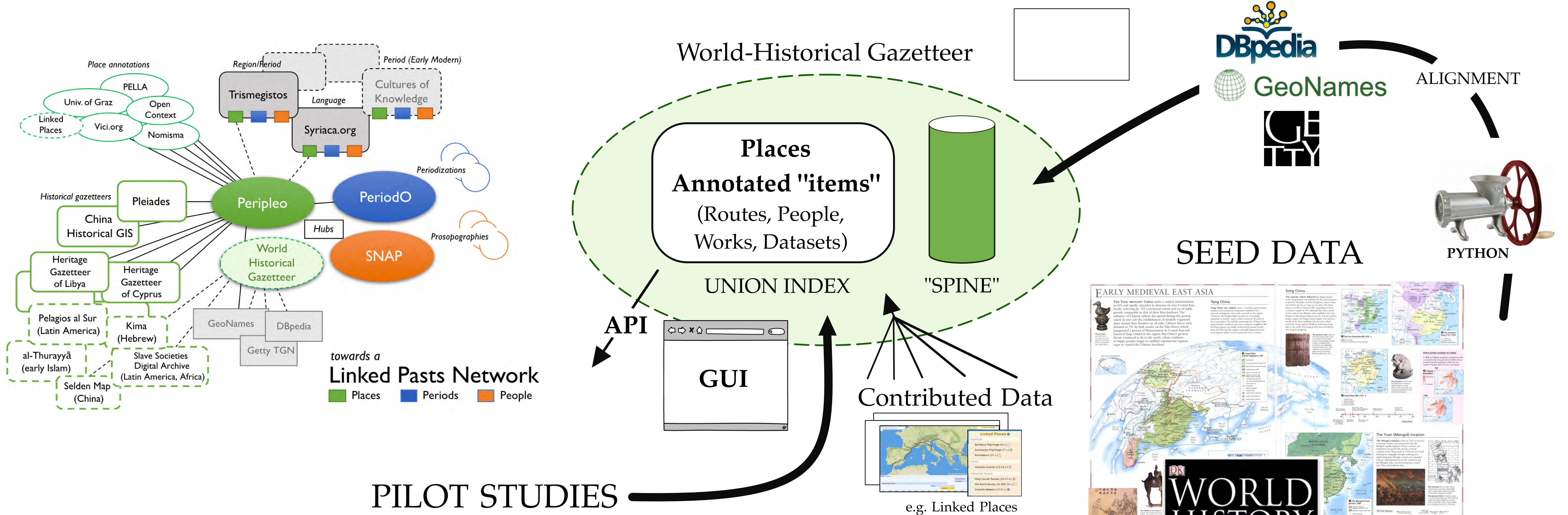
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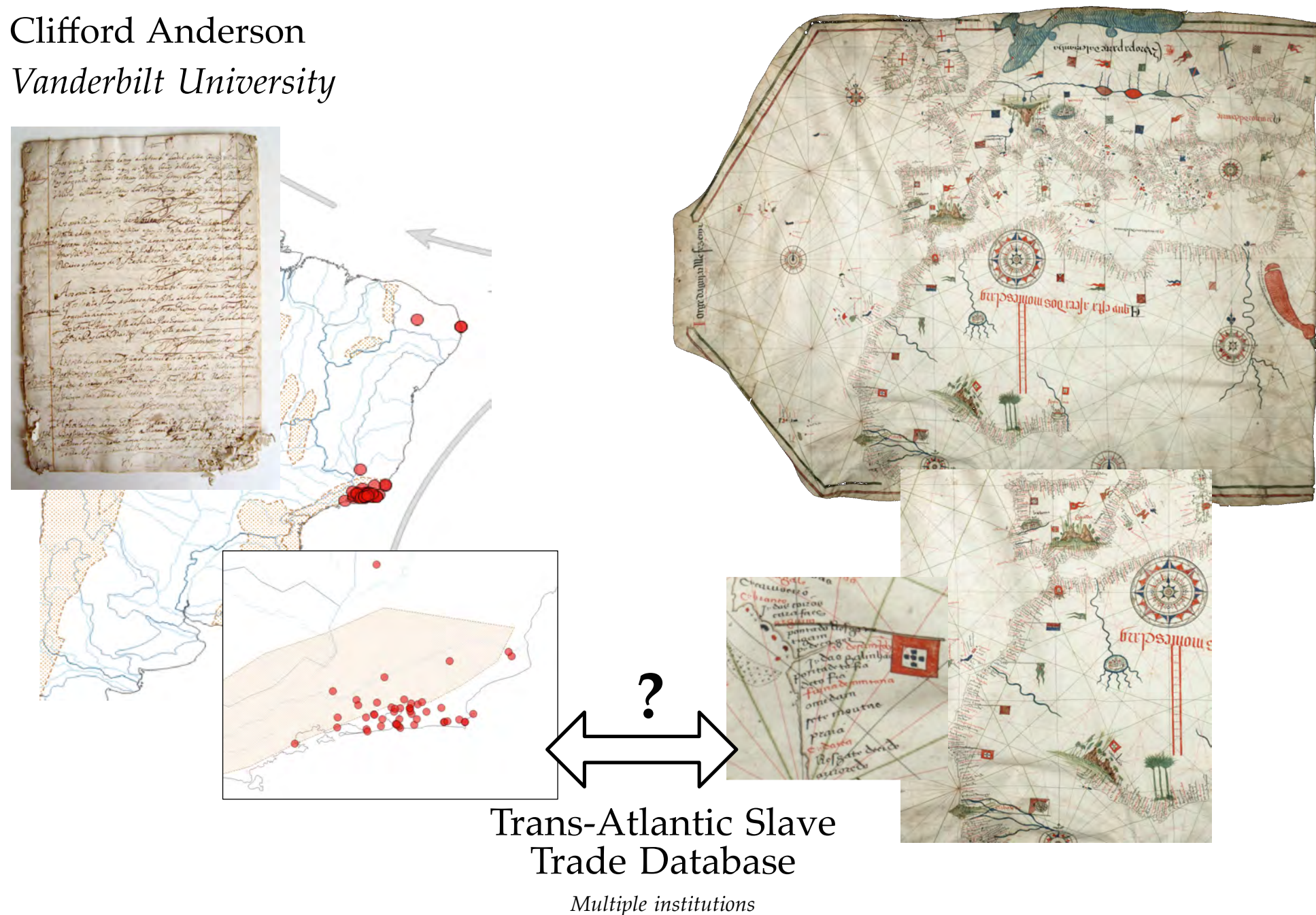
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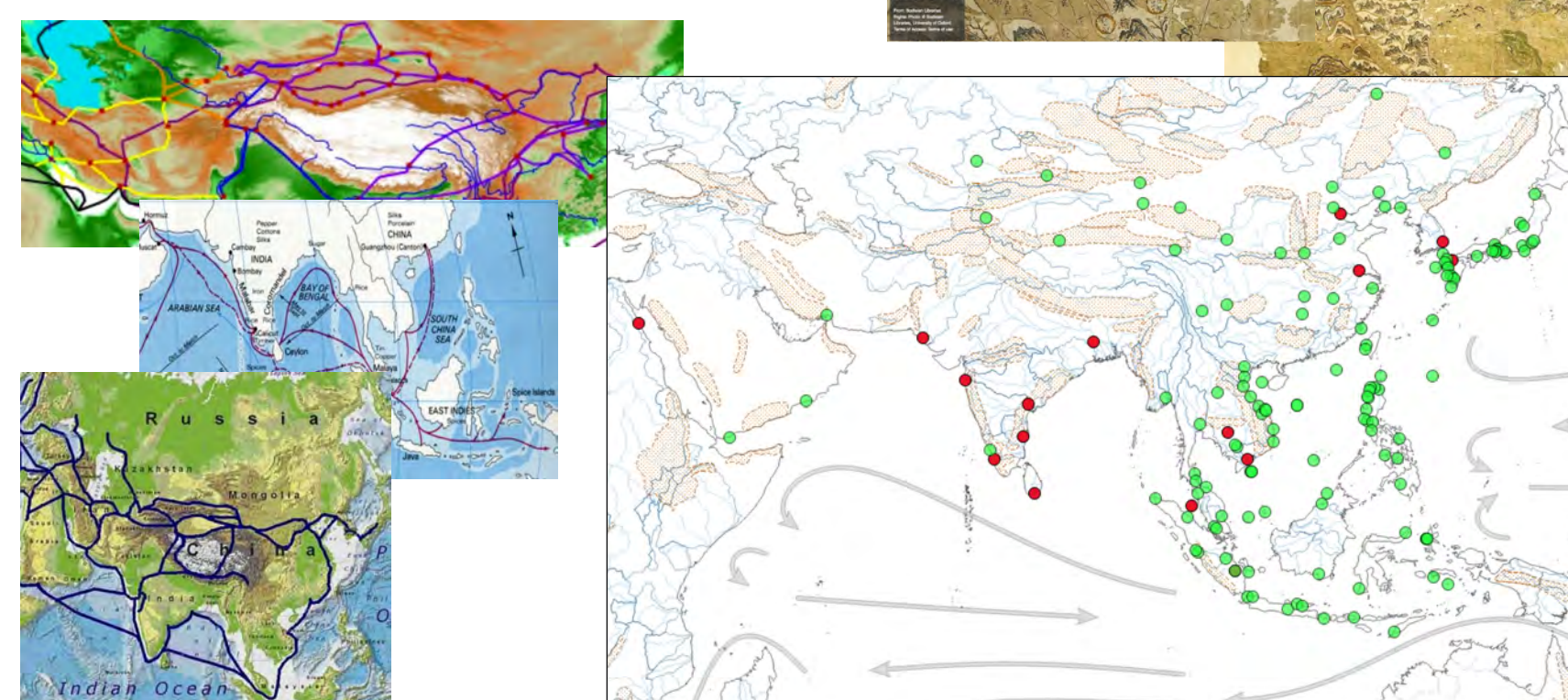
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Jeanette Zernecke  
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If we study Buddhist history from the perspective of the Great Circle, it allows us to have more flexibility with our data. The circle was divided into distinct segments and these regional segments have their own history. This project is an attempt to expand research on those parts of the Great Circle that are understudied."



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