Connecting Places in World Historical Gazetteer

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The **World Historical Gazetteer** platform

- supports the aggregation, linking, and publication of historical place data contributed by researchers studying the past from many disciplinary perspectives

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World Historical Gazetteer

linking knowledge about the past via place

Explore open access, historical place data

Upload and extend your data with geometry and identifiers from Wikidata and Getty TGN

Contribute your uploaded data to WHG by linking it to other places in our index

Teach with WHG-focused lesson plans

Create and share your custom collection of places and datasets published in WHG

Integrate WHG data using our application programming interface

Featured Datasets and Collections

list all

Dutch Global History

The 'Dutch Global History' collection will offer users a central point of entry for all Dutch historical place names and other place names related to Dutch history — in the broadest geographical sense. As the collection grows, it will also function as a public resource for the wide range of projects on Dutch history that carry spatial components. The collection is being compiled on an ongoing basis by the KNAW Humanities Cluster from new and existing datasets created by a variety of different institutions, projects, and individual researchers.

collection (in-progress)

D-PLACE

D-PLACE (the Database of Places, Language, Culture, and Environment) contains cultural, linguistic, environmental and geographic information for over 1400 human 'societies'. A 'society' in D-PLACE represents a group of people in a particular localit…

dataset

HGIS de las Indias

Historical geography for the Bourbon Spanish America through time (1701-1808), comprising settlements (lugares) and their temporally scoped position within the administrative territorial structure (territorios) of that period and region.

collection

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Outline

- Define some terms
- WHG data
- Users and use cases
  - Research
  - Teaching
- Contribution workflow
- Features:
  - Search, Browse, API
  - Dataset Collections, e.g. **Dutch Global History**
  - Place Collections
- Future plans

Definitions

What is a gazetteer?

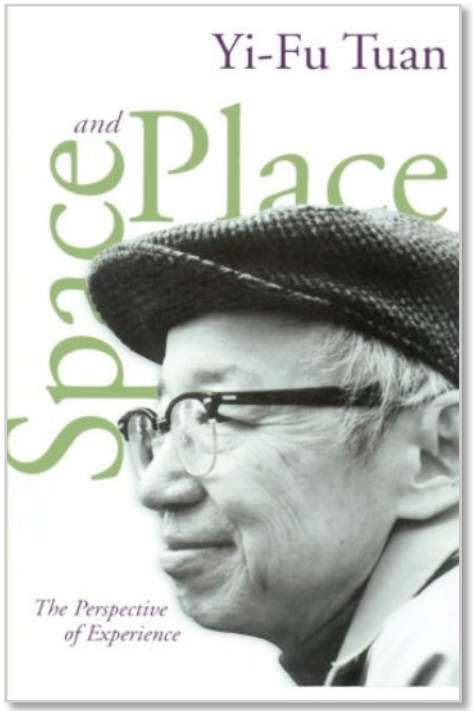
- A [*catalogue*/*register*/*list*/*index*/*thesaurus*] of place information
  - Web navigation systems, e.g. Google Maps
  - The back of a print road atlas
  - Encyclopedic: Chinese local gazetteers; Wikipedia place pages
  - GeoNames, Getty TGN, Nominatim, etc.
- There is enormous variety in both the kinds of places represented, and the information held for each entry
- WHG is using the Linked Open Data framework to publish (mostly historical) gazetteer datasets, to link individual attestations of closely matched places from multiple sources, and to provide record-level access to the resulting data

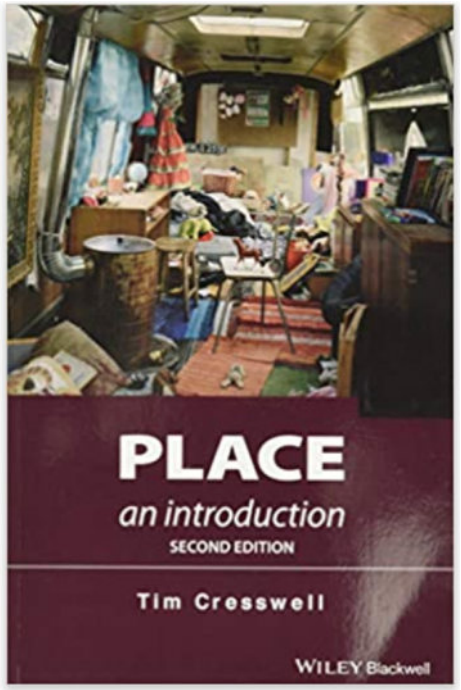
A Distinctive *combination*

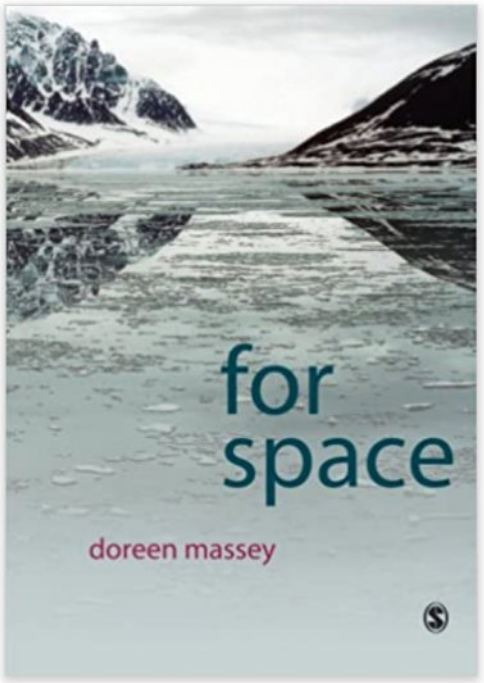
- global geographic coverage
- structured, granular temporal information
- attestations of place references by researchers
- Linked Data publishing platform for datasets without web presence
- multiple attestations for a place are linked,
  effectively linking projects and disciplines
- faceted record-level search across datasets
- machine access via APIs

What is a place?

- "...a meeting up of histories" – Doreen Massey
- NOT simply a location, but **a setting for activity**
- "Experienced space" -- @kgeographer







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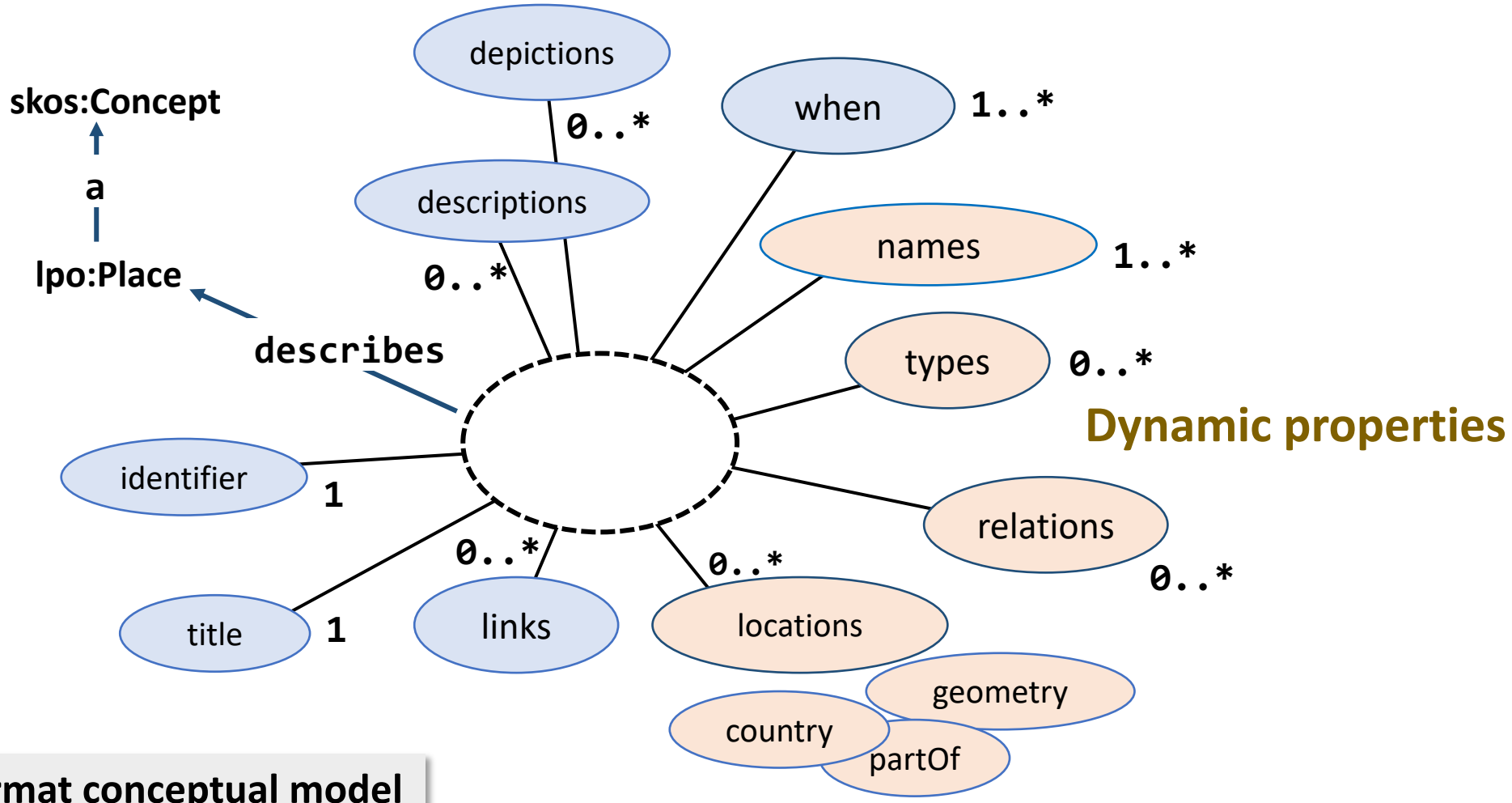

Linked Places format conceptual model

WHG Data

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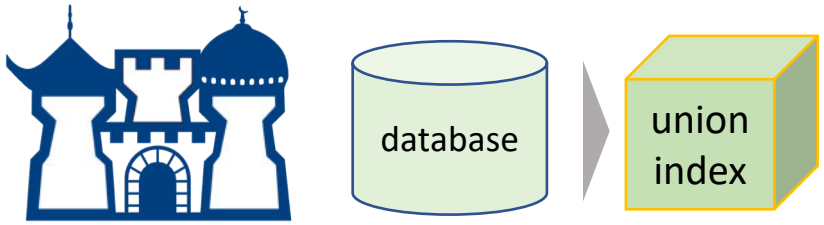
as to contributors' own
research data formats!!



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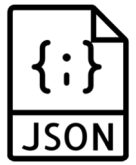
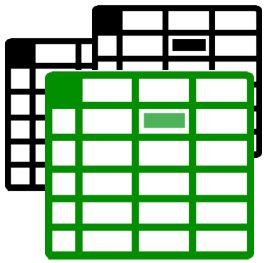
Linked Places
formats



export places

researchers create data,
some of it for places, ...

Spreadsheets



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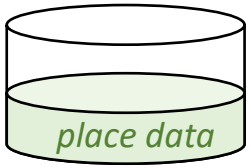

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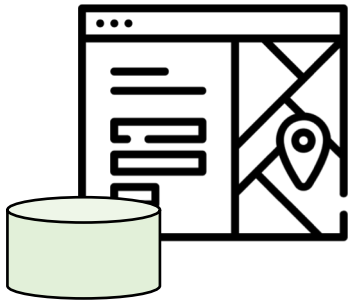
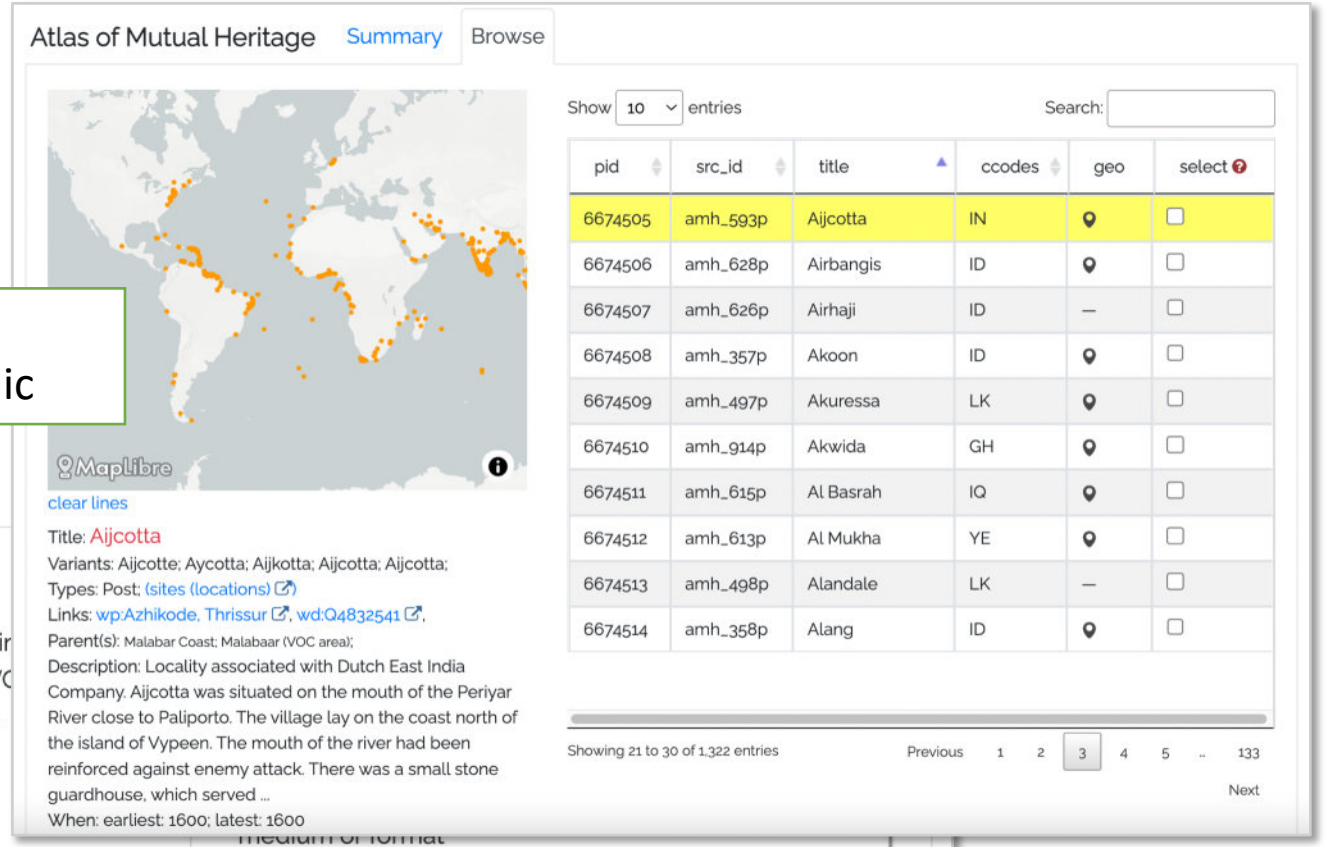


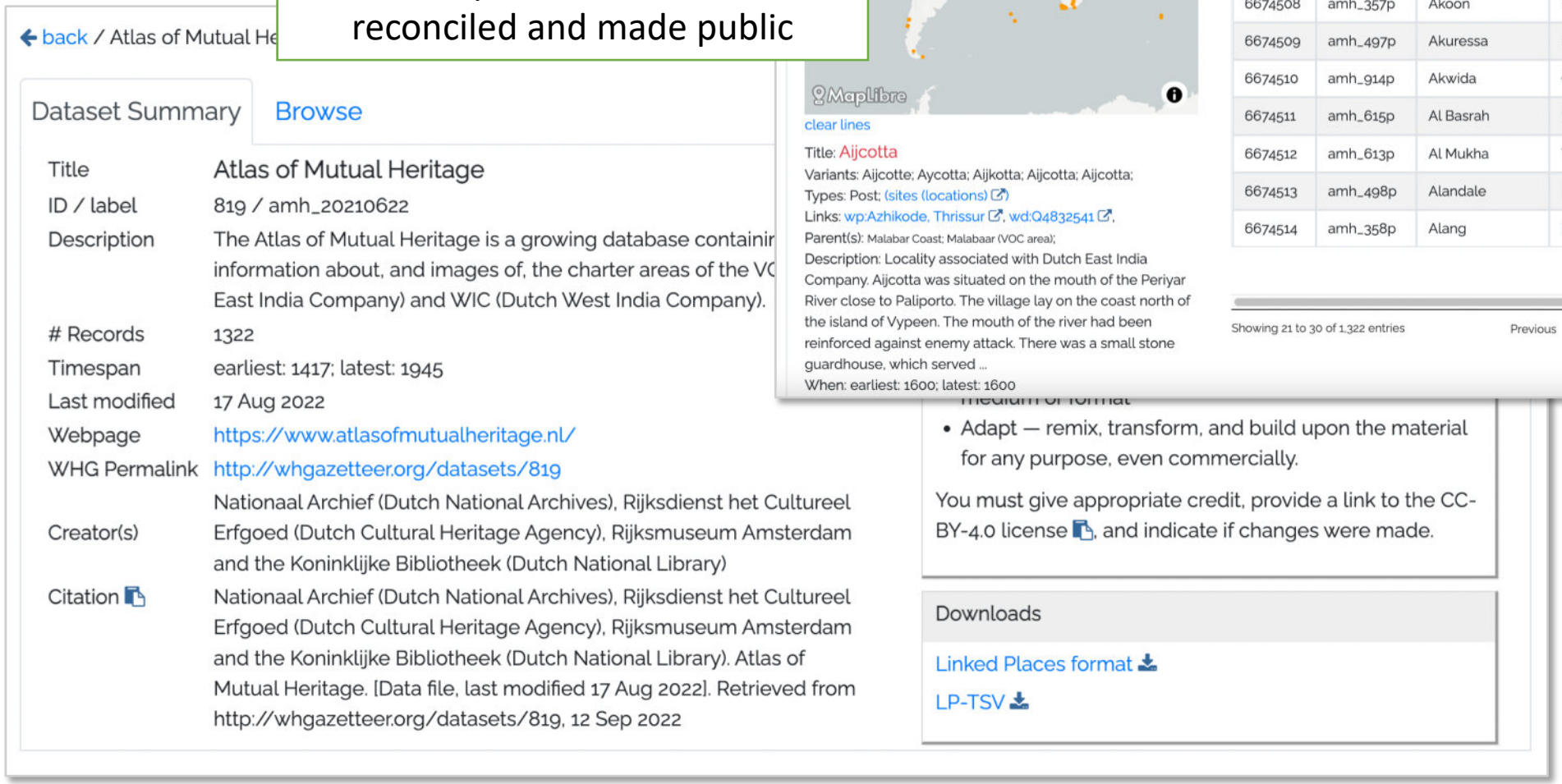
RDF

...in numerous, varied formats

WHG Data

an uploaded dataset,
reconciled and made public





WHG Data

union index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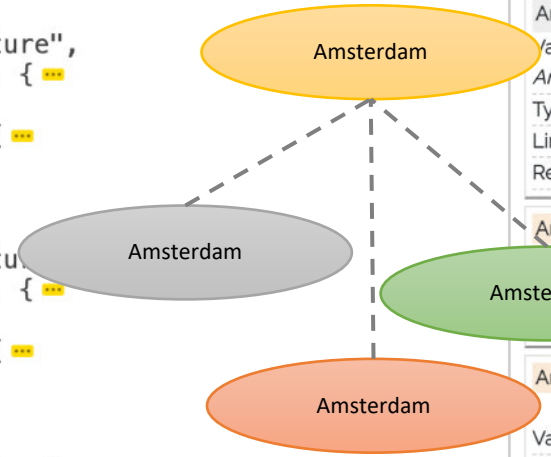

a “place portal” page showing
four linked attestations for Amsterdam
in the WHG union index

return to search results

Amsterdam

ATTESTATIONS TO DATE

Amsterdam dataset: GeoNames cities (more)
issue? pid: 2487616
Variants: አምስተርዳም ; アムステルダム ; 阿姆斯特丹 ; 암스테르담 ...68 more
Types: *populated place*
Links: 5 linked records gn:2759794; loc:n78095634; viaf:158212776; wd:Q727; tgn:7006952;

Amsterdam dataset: Getty TGN (partial) issue? pid: 4699946
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Types: *port* ; *city* ; *inhabited place*
Links: 1 linked records tgn:7006952;
Related: *within Noord-Holland, Nederland, Europe, World*

Amsterdam dataset: Euratlas Cities issue? pid: 6370140
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Amsterdam dataset: DK Atlas of World History
issue? pid: 81317
Variants: *Amsterdam*
Types: *settlement*
Links: 6 linked records dbp:Amsterdam; gn:2759794; loc:n78095634; tgn:7006952; viaf:158212776; wd:Q727;
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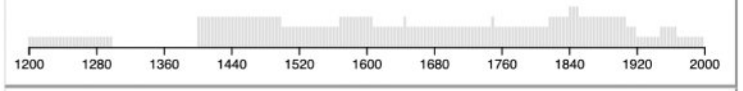
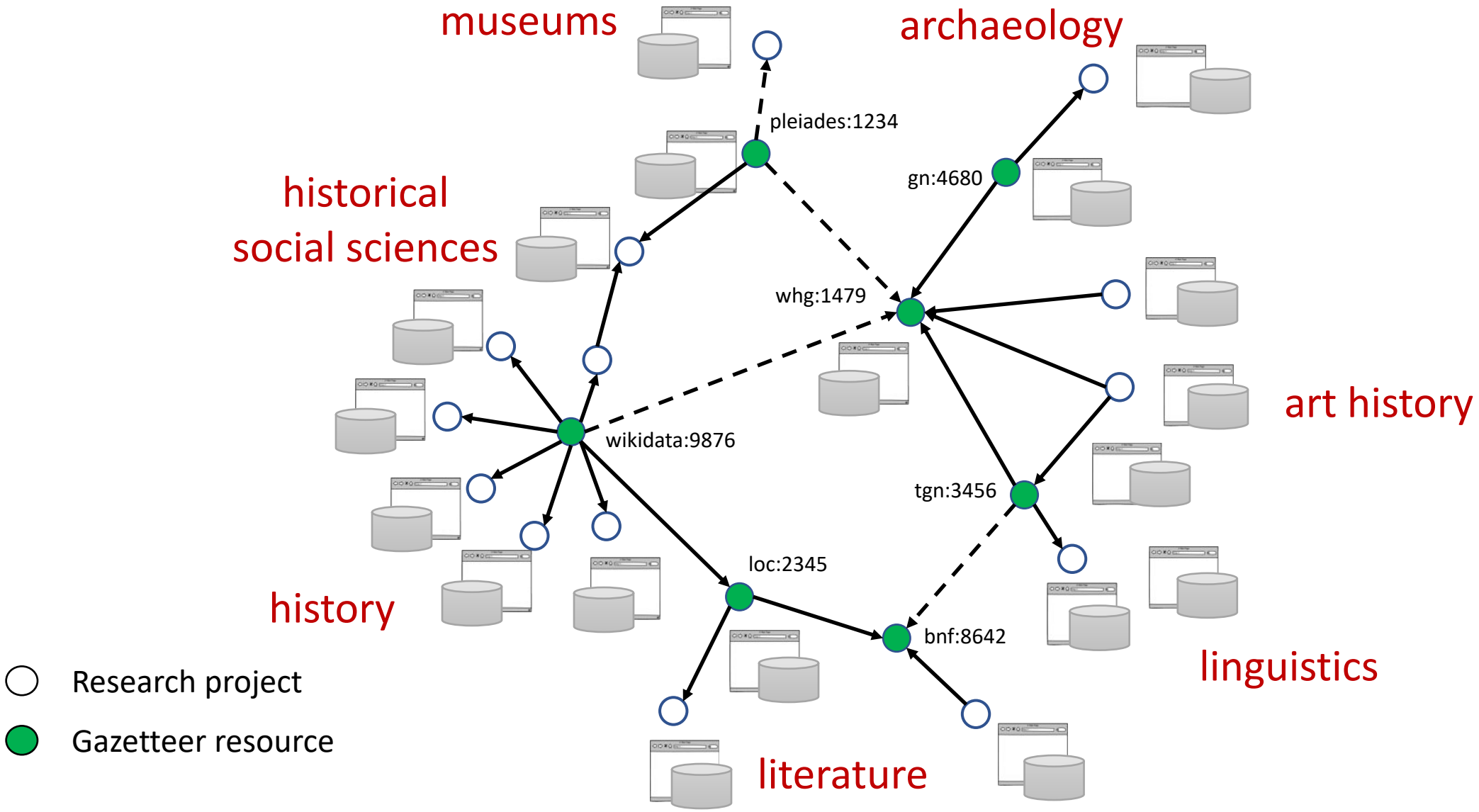
TEMPORAL ATTESTATIONS



GEOGRAPHY nearby places (8000 max)

IN COLLECTIONS

- Roundabout 2022 (a digital nomad itinerary), a collection of 31 places [description, places]



linking knowledge about the past via place identifiers

WHG Data

- ~ 1.9 million places, ~5 million name variants
- 18 public datasets; 1/3 from KNAW
- dozens in queue, from every continent

existing and in-progress Dataset Collections

Public Datasets

HGIS de las Indias lugares (13258)
HGIS de las Indias territorios (892)
African Ports, 1887 (305)
D-PLACE Societies (1428)
Pleiades (partial) (20365)
Atlas of Mutual Heritage (1322)
KIT gazetteer Surinam (2146)
KIT gazetteer Dutch Antilles (1227)
Curaçao Administrative Areas (29)
Utrecht Chronicle of the Teutonic Order (181)
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DK Atlas of World History (10643)
Old World Trade (4117)

Euratlas Cities (3584)
An Historical Atlas of Central Asia (759)
List of Russian towns, late 14c (282)
Indigenous Place Names of the Yukon (100)
Geographic Names of Antarctica (63)

Getty TGN (partial) (1804270)
GeoNames Cities (926)
Ecoregions (TNC) (814);
Watersheds (226);
Mountain Ranges (217);
Lakes (WRI) (1491)
Global Rivers (982)

In queue (partial)

al-Thurayya (11c Islam) (2241)
Ukrainian settlements, 17c (3007)
Rivers of Crimea (74)
Populated places of Crimea, 1450-1800 (94)
Provinces of Crimea, 1450-1800 (6)
Districts of Crimea, 1450-1800 (43)
Poland settlements of the 16c (23771)
Poland provinces in the 16c (23)
Poland districts in the 16c (105)
French Sci. Mission Greek Settlements (3888)
KIMA Gazetteer (27239)
CAMPOP Places (4065)
Seshat polities (64)

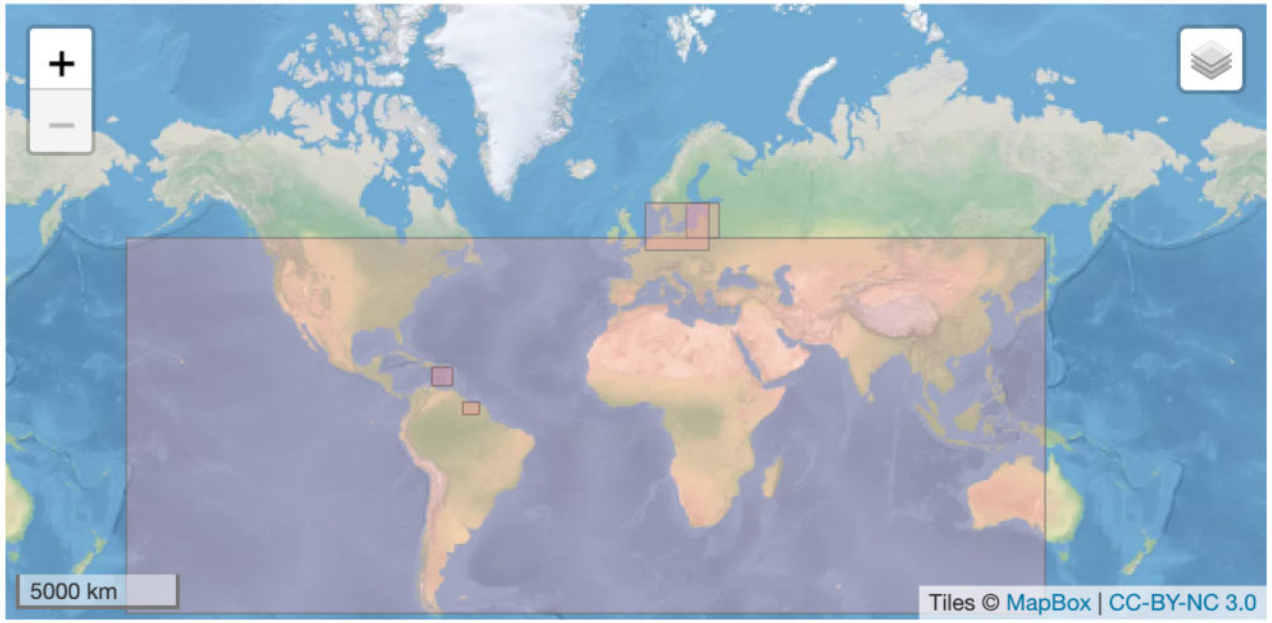
Dataset Collection presentation page(s)

Collection Summary | Browse

Title: Dutch Global History

Description: The 'Dutch Global History' collection will offer users a central point of entry for all Dutch historical place names and other place names related to Dutch history — in the broadest geographical sense...more

Keywords: Netherlands, West Indies. East Indies



Datasets (6)

download options

Title: KIT gazetteer Surinam (*829*)
Description: Gazetteer developed by the Koninklijk Instituut voor de Tropen (Royal Tropical Institute) in the Netherlands, in order to allow users to produce geographical queries on the KITs Dutch Colonial Maps Co...more
Temporal coverage: 1993 / 2011
Created: 03 Aug 2021
Number of records: 2146

Title: KIT gazetteer Dutch Antilles (*827*)
Description: Gazetteer developed by the Koninklijk Instituut voor de Tropen (Royal Tropical Institute) in the Netherlands, in order to allow users to produce geographical queries on the KITs Dutch Colonial Maps Co...more
Temporal coverage: 1993 / 2011
Created: 01 Aug 2021
Number of records: 1227

Title: Atlas of Mutual Heritage (*819*)
Description: The Atlas of Mutual Heritage is a growing database containing information about, and images of, the charter areas of the VOC (Dutch East India Company) and WIC (Dutch West India Company).
Temporal coverage: 1417 / 1945
Created: 22 Jun 2021
Number of records: 1322

Why a World Historical Gazetteer?

Use cases, audiences, contributors

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Use cases for research and teaching

- Research
  - Publish place data products of research as Linked Data
  - Georeference place references in source materials, for mapping, analysis
  - Augment place data with missing geometries & authority identifiers
  - Link individual place records & entire datasets with those of other projects
  - Use resulting datasets & *Dataset Collections* for georeferencing during annotation of source materials
- Teaching
  - Graduate level: building historical gazetteers
  - Secondary level: discovering connections between places and publishing them in *Place Collections*

Contribution workflow

- Export a place data file from existing research data, in Linked Places format
- Upload into private WHG workspace
- Submit reconciliation task against the WHG index of 3.5m Wikidata place records
- Review resulting prospective matches
- Upon completing metadata, WHG staff flags dataset as public
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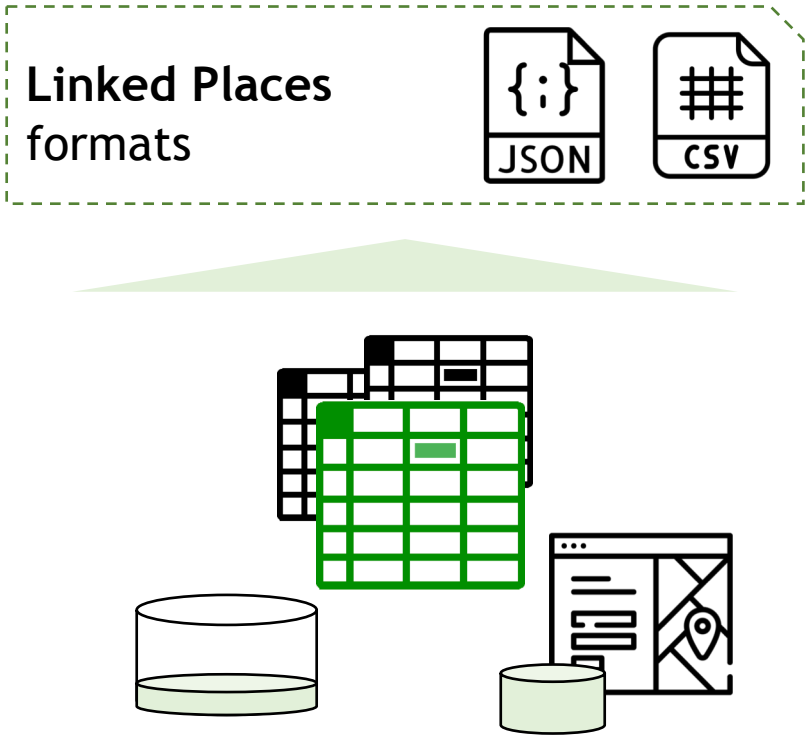

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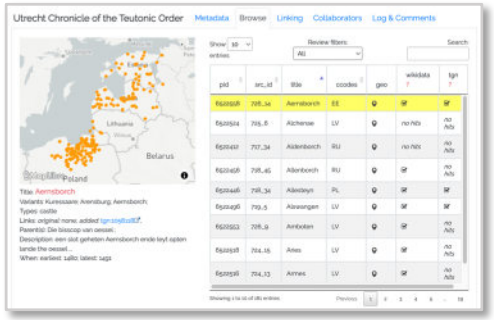

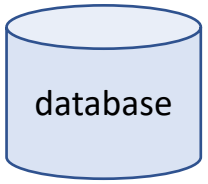

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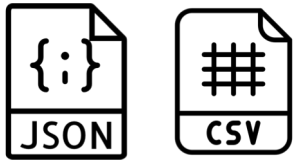

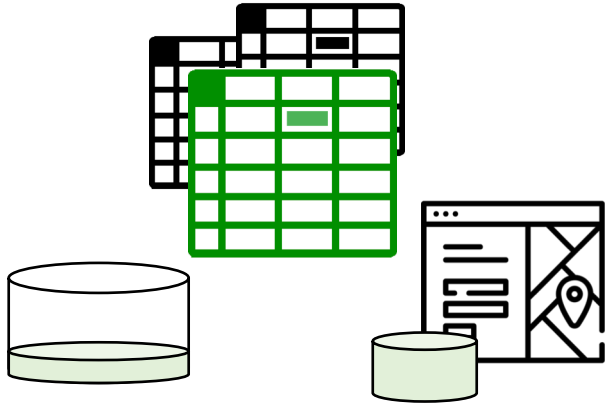

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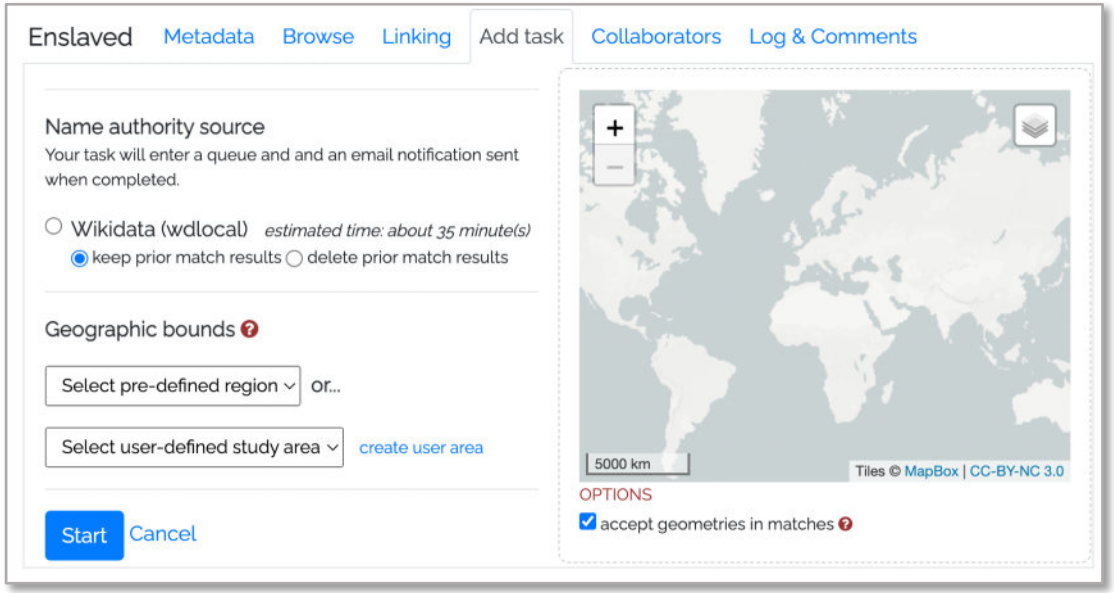

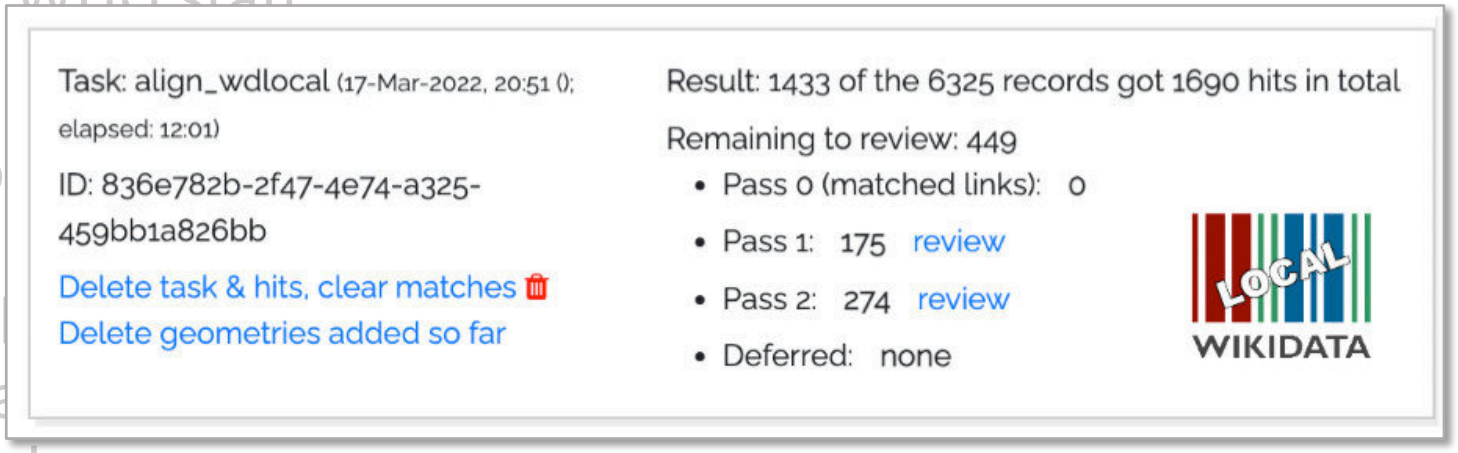

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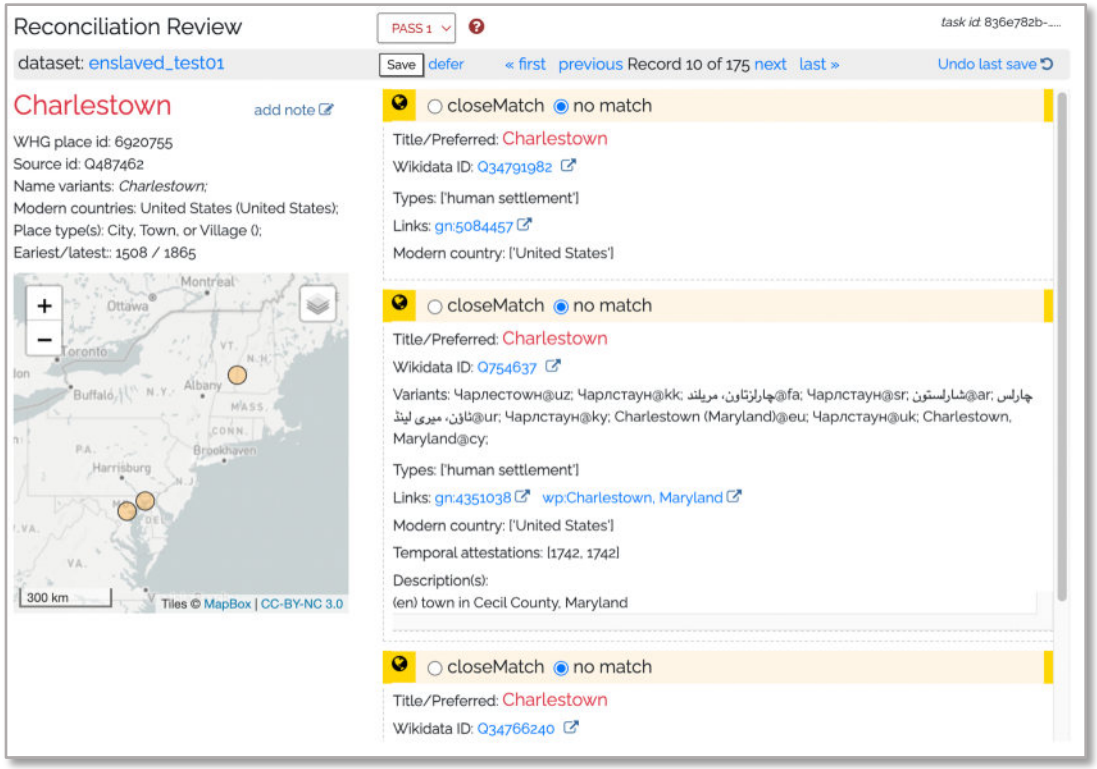

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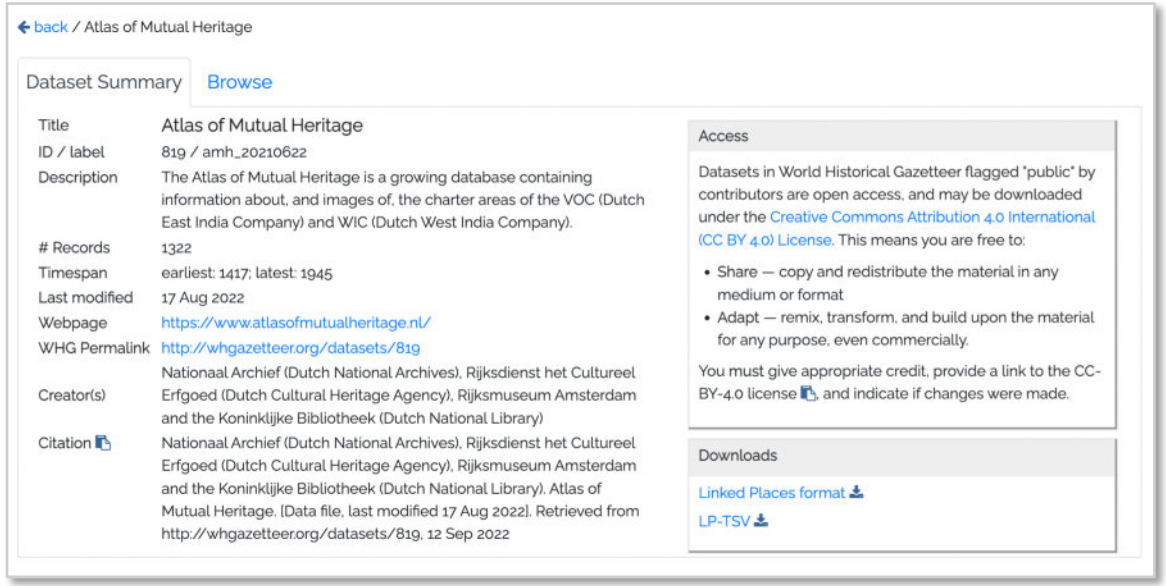

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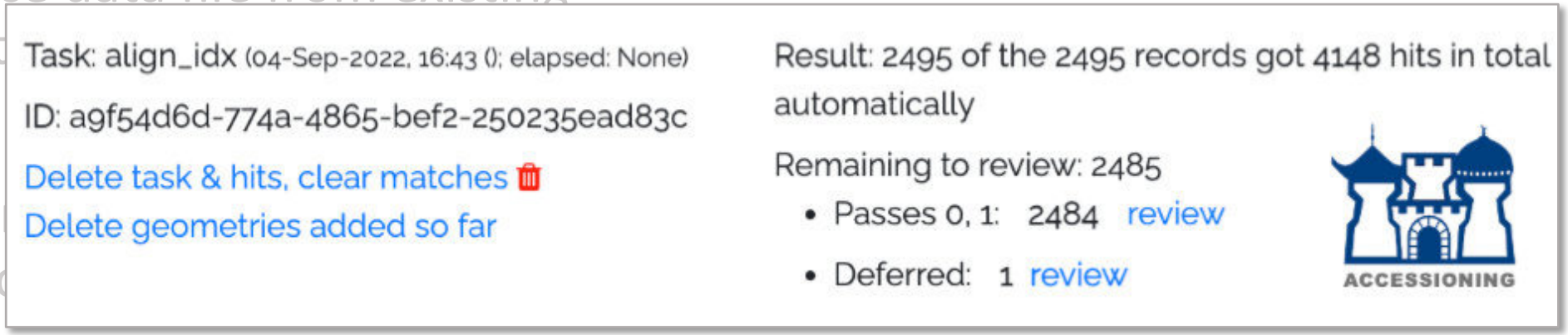

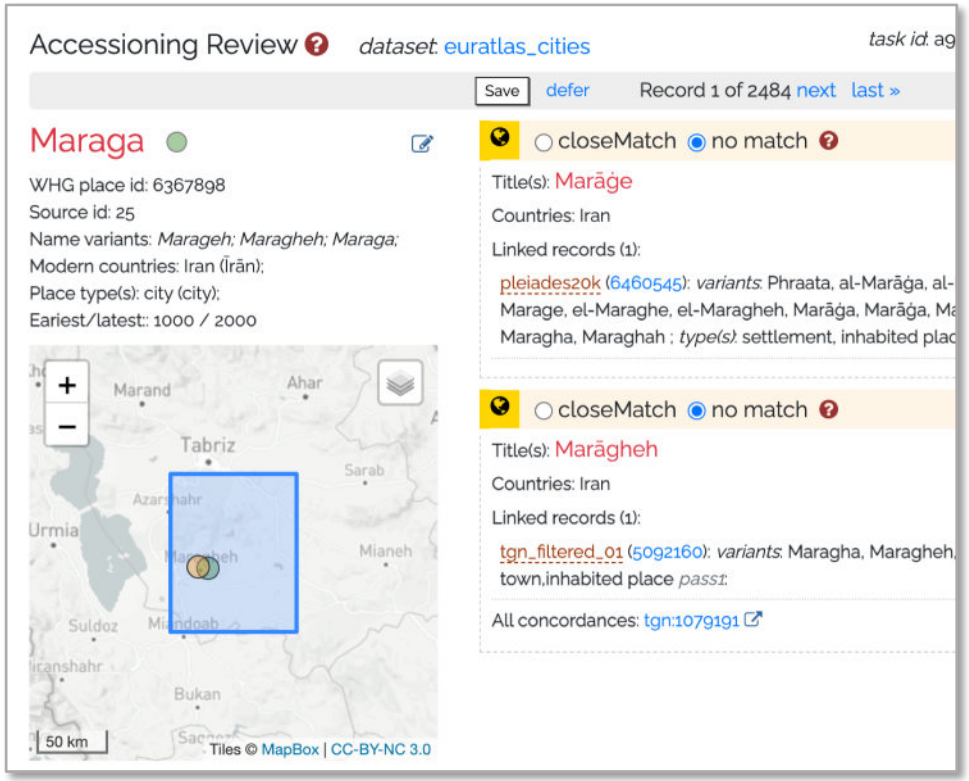

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Save defer Record 1 of 110 next last »

Isfahan

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Modern countries: Iran (Īrān);
Place type(s): settlement (inhabited place);
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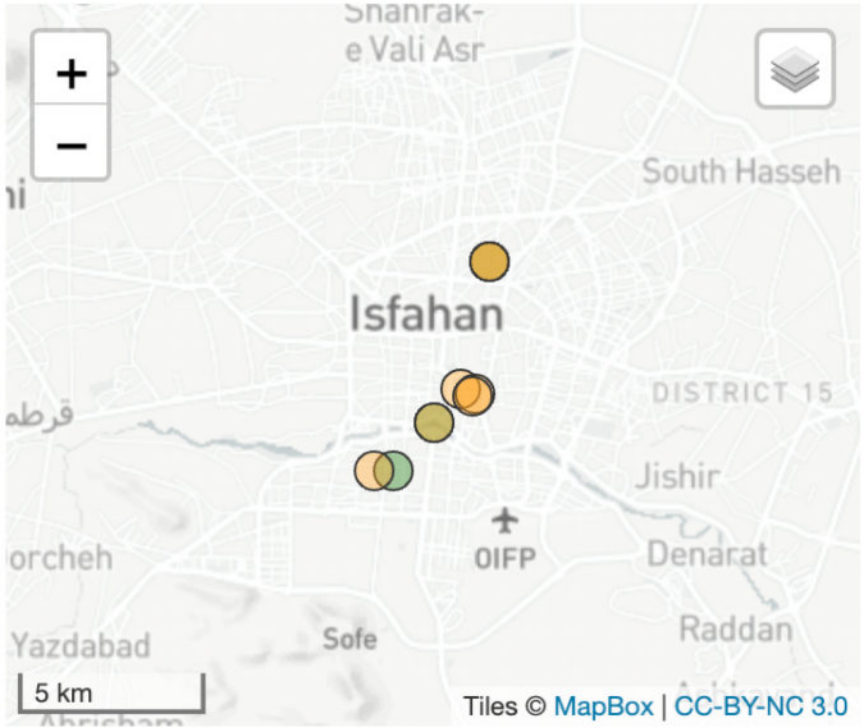

closeMatch no match

Title(s): Isfahan, Eşfahān, Aspadana/(I)Spahan/Gay/Gabai?

Countries: Iran

Linked records (4):

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black (85177): *variants*: Isfahan, Aspadana; ; *type(s)*: settlement *passo*:

tgn_filtered_01 (6159128): *variants*: Aspadana, Esfahan, Eşfahān, Eşfahān, Gabae, Isaha Sepahan, Nesf-e-Jahan ; *type(s)*: inhabited place,city *passo*:

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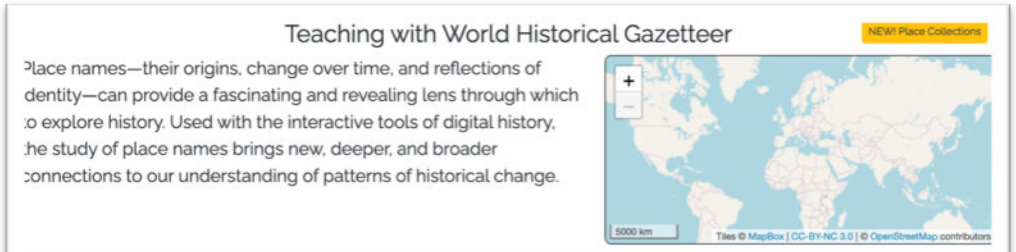
Accessioning: incoming record on the left will join the four indexed records listed in a “cluster” on the right

Features: Search, Browse, API, Teaching



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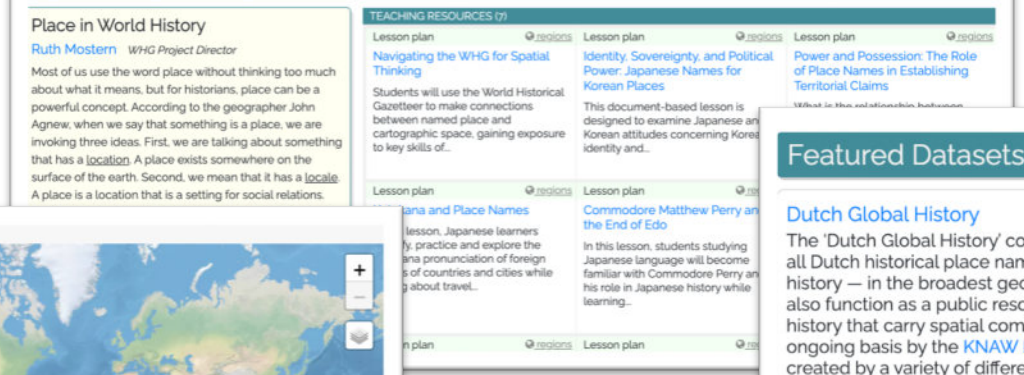

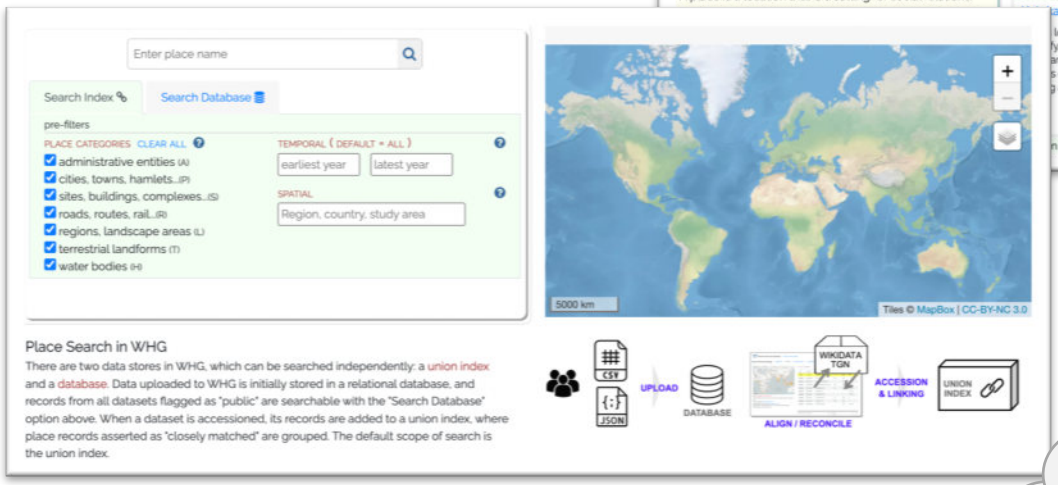

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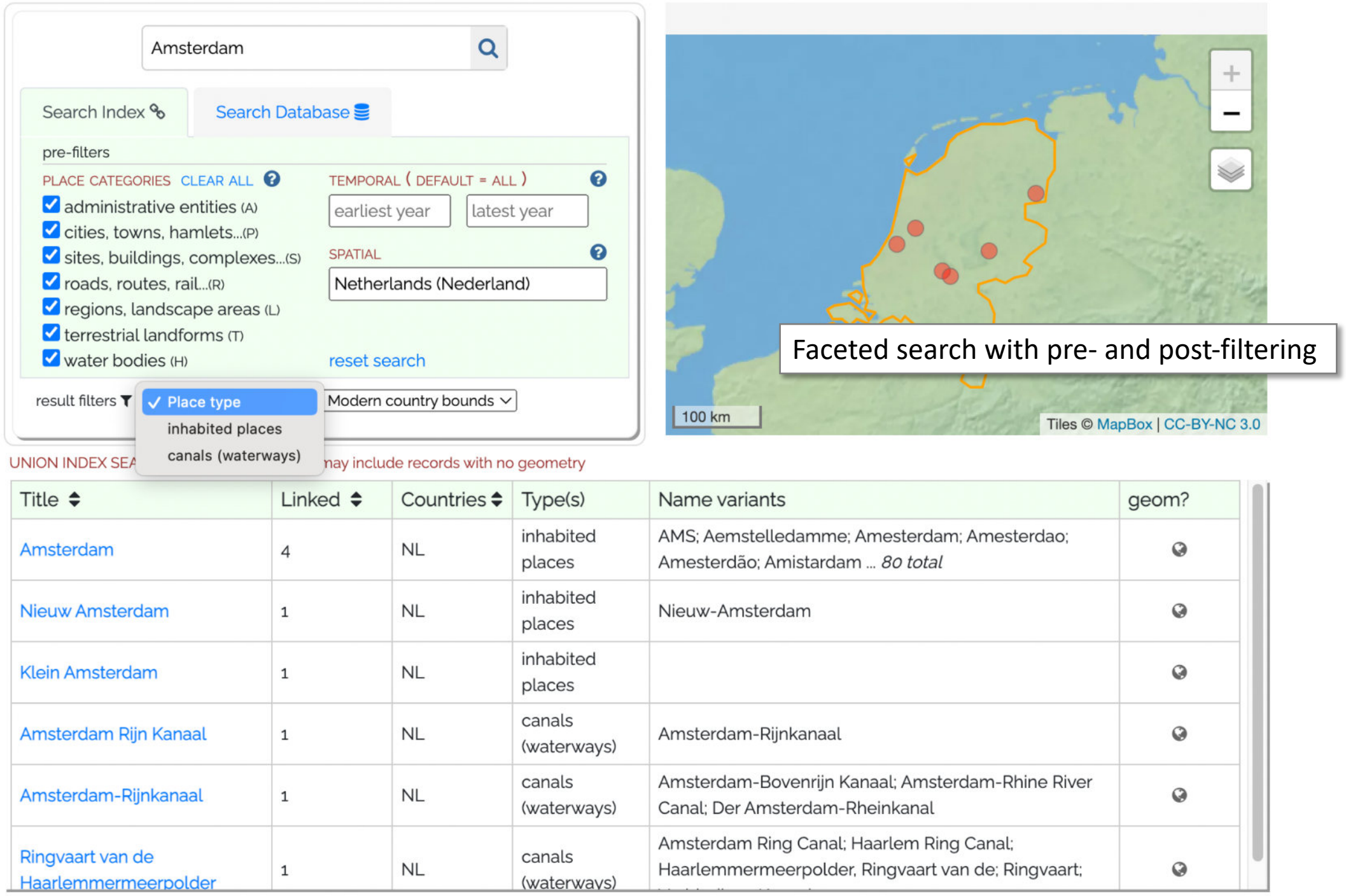
WHG database and index support search, browse, teaching, and API features



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Klein Amsterdam	1	NL	inhabited places		
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Amsterdam-Rijnkanaal	1	NL	canals (waterways)	Amsterdam-Bovenrijn Kanaal; Amsterdam-Rhine River Canal; Der Amsterdam-Rheinkanal	
Ringvaart van de Haarlemmermeerpolder	1	NL	canals (waterways)	Amsterdam Ring Canal; Haarlem Ring Canal; Haarlemmermeerpolder, Ringvaart van de; Ringvaart;	

Public Datasets | Public Collections

These datasets flagged as public in WHG include a growing set of historical contributions, as well as several in a non-historical "core." They can be browsed on their linked pages, explored in context of the entire repository on the Search page, and accessed programmatically with our Index and Database APIs.

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H = Historical; C = Core (non-historical)

title	rows	description	modified	contributor	type
African Ports, 1887	305	305 settlements and ports on the West African coast	2022-08-31	whgadmin	H
An Historical Atlas of Central Asia	759	This dataset comprises 759 place records, digitized in 2018 from 15 of the 48 maps in this scholarly atlas. The maps' extensive sources, detailed in the Preface and Notes, include "...all reliable gen...more	2022-08-31	whgadmin	H
Atlas of Mutual Heritage	1322	The Atlas of Mutual Heritage is a growing database containing information about, and images of, the charter areas of the VOC (Dutch East India Company) and WIC (Dutch West India Company).	2022-09-12		
Curaçao Historical Administrative Areas	29	Spatiotemporal GIS layer of administrative areas (quarters; divisions; districts; urban neighbourhoods) in the island of Curaçao under Dutch, post-WIC control (1792-1954).	2022-07-06	rjstapel	H
Euratlas Cities	3584	3584 cities with temporally scoped names from the Euratlas Periodis Historical Atlas and Gazatteer. Polities will be added as a separate dataset.	2022-09-07	whgadmin	H
Geographic Names of Antarctica	63	A sample of geographic names in Antarctica in Gazetteer of the Antarctica, a cooperative project of the the Geological Survey (U.S.), National Mapping Division; National Science Foundation (U.S.).	2022-04-22	als512	H

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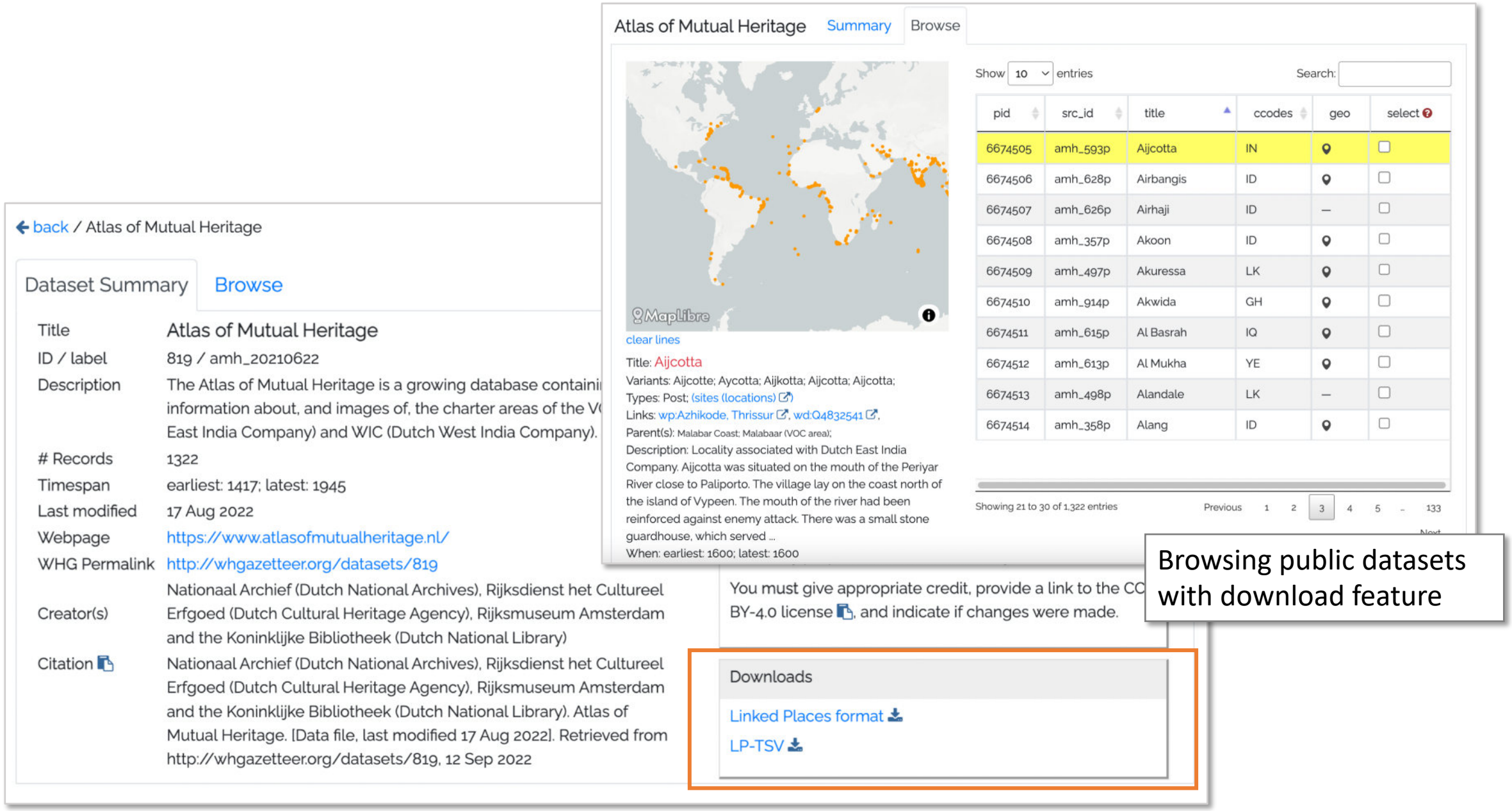
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Records 1322
Timespan earliest: 1417; latest: 1945
Last modified 17 Aug 2022
Webpage https://www.atlasofmutualheritage.nl/
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Features: Dataset Collections

Dutch Global History

Collection Summary | Browse

Title: Dutch Global History

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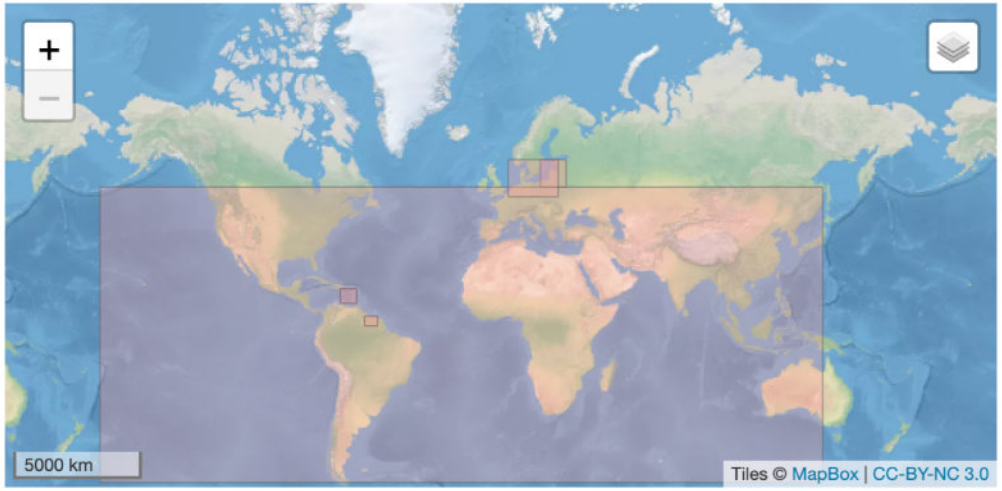

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Temporal coverage: 1993 / 2011
Created: 03 Aug 2021
Number of records: 2146

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Temporal coverage: 1993 / 2011
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Title: Atlas of Mutual Heritage (*819*)
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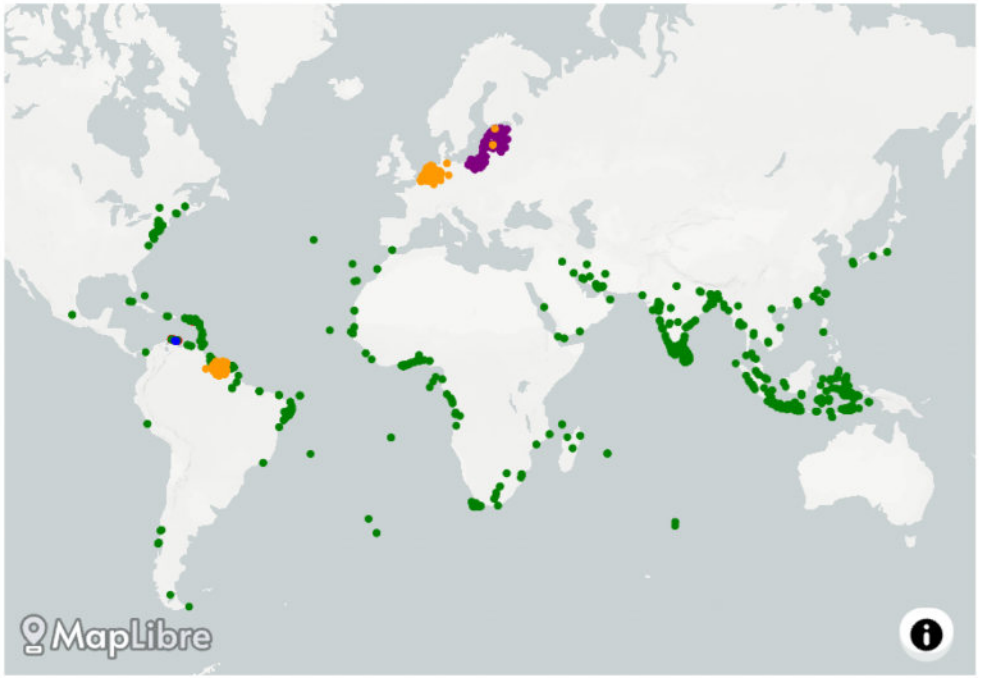
Collection Summary | Browse: Dutch Global History



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Datasets: All
- KIT gazetteer Surinam
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The World of Olaudah Equiano (Gustavus Vassa), 1745-1797

a place collection by Ruth Mostern BETA

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Olaudah Equiano, also known as Gustavus Vassa, was born in the Kingdom of Benin, enslaved as a child, and spent his adult life as a sailor, writer, and abolitionist. His autobiography, The Interesting Narrative of the Life of Olaudah Equiano, published in 1789, is an important source for understanding enslaved and free lives in the eighteenth century.

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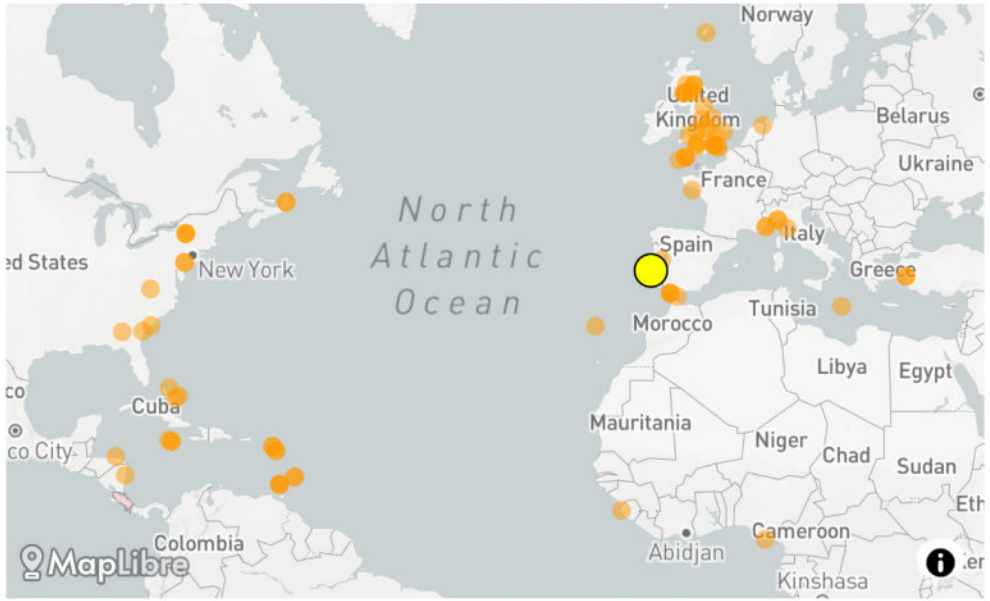

Porto

ANNOTATION

Relation: waypoint

Notes: Equiano spent Carnival in Porto on his way to Smyrna on board the Delaware.

Start/End: 1769/1769

PLACE RECORD

Name variants: Porto;

Place type: inhabited place

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Parent(s): Lisboa, Portugal, Europe, World;

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Place Collection Builder: The World of Olaudah Equiano (Gustavus Vassa), 1745-1797

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Annotations

Title: Livorno

Variants: Liburna; Liburno;

Relation: waypoint

Start/End: 1768 / 1768

Notes: Livorno was one of Equiano's ports of call while working for John Jolly on the Delaware.

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Future plans

- Plan for sustainability: international consortium? subscription?
- More data
- Make contributing easier
- More Dataset Collections (“focus domains”)
  - e.g. Historical Gazetteer of Ukraine; Portuguese Global History; Historical Middle East; Ottoman Empire; Central Eurasia; Latin America; Atlantic
- More and better integrations with external apps
  - e.g. Recogito; NodeGoat; AllMaps; Machines Reading Maps
- Enhance Place Collection capabilities, for teaching and ??
- Region Collections

Thank you!
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