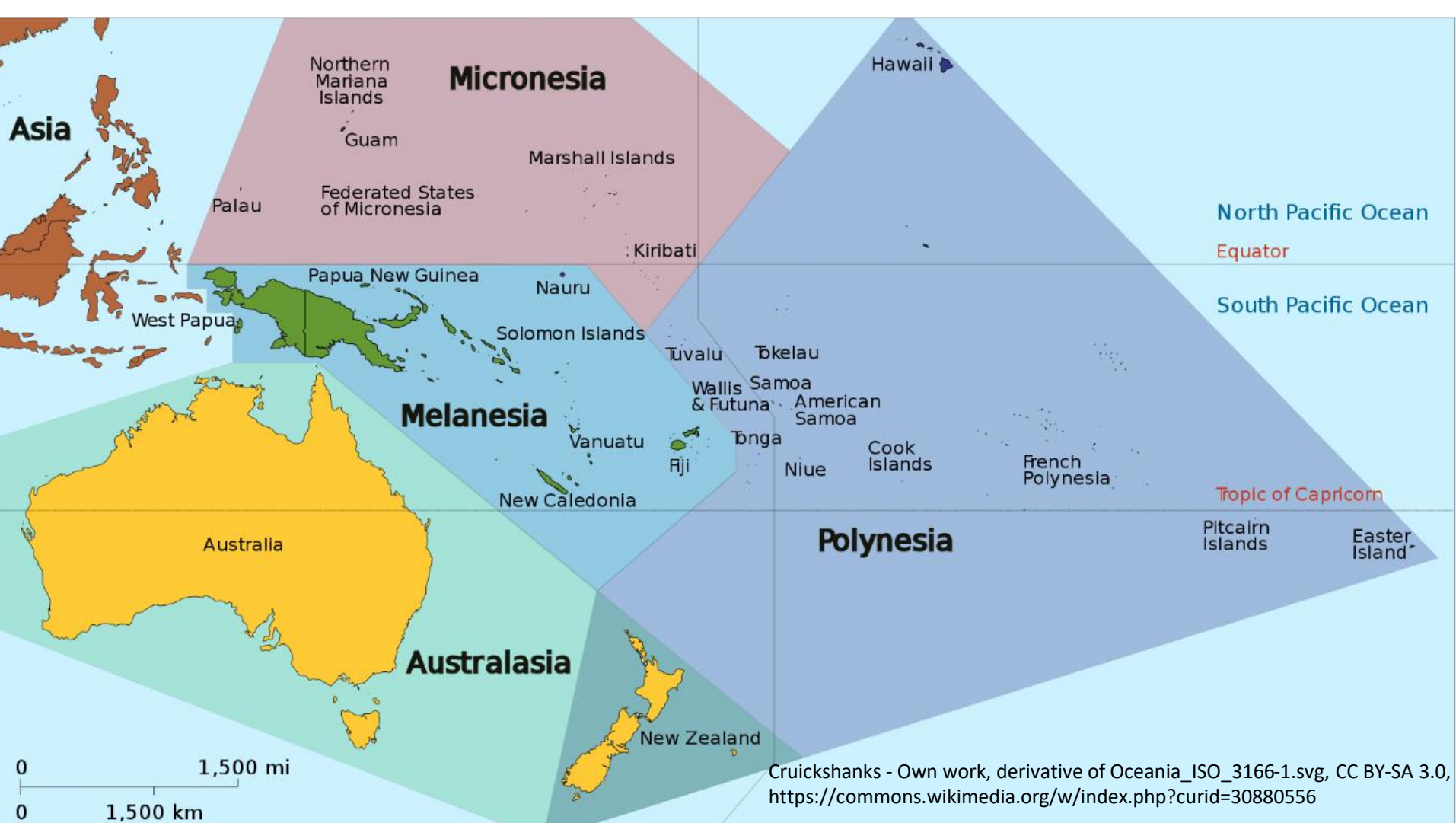




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The ORDAC Committee



What
does
ORDAC
do?

Contribute to RDA
development

Promote RDA
implementation in
Oceania

Represent Oceania on the RSC

Select the Oceania RSC representative and Backup

Help identify possible members for the RSC working groups within Oceania

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Introduction to RDA

Purpose and Scope

RDA: Resource Description and Access is a package of data elements, guidelines, and instructions for creating library and cultural heritage metadata that are well-formed according to international models.



How
does
ORDAC
work?

Zoom meetings

Internal ORDAC email list

ORDAC wiki (Confluence software)

Online tools

Oceania RDA Community Home

Created by Shaun Darvell, last modified by Jenny Stephens on Aug 29, 2016

This is the Oceania RDA Community Wiki Space, a shared working space for members of the Community

- Meetings and Teleconferences
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ORDAC Review of Collective Agent

Abstract

The collective agent and corporate body RDA entities are not clearly defined as distinct entities. ORDAC recommends a broader definition of collective agent and a narrower definition of corporate body and the creation of a new RDA entity: collective event.

Background


At the 2018 RSC meeting ORDAC volunteered to review the Collective Agent RDA entity in relation to the Corporate Body entity. The current 3R definition of corporate body overlaps with the definition of collective agent. This indistinct boundary between the two RDA entities is unsurprising considering the evolution of bibliographic models from FRBR to IFLA-LRM.

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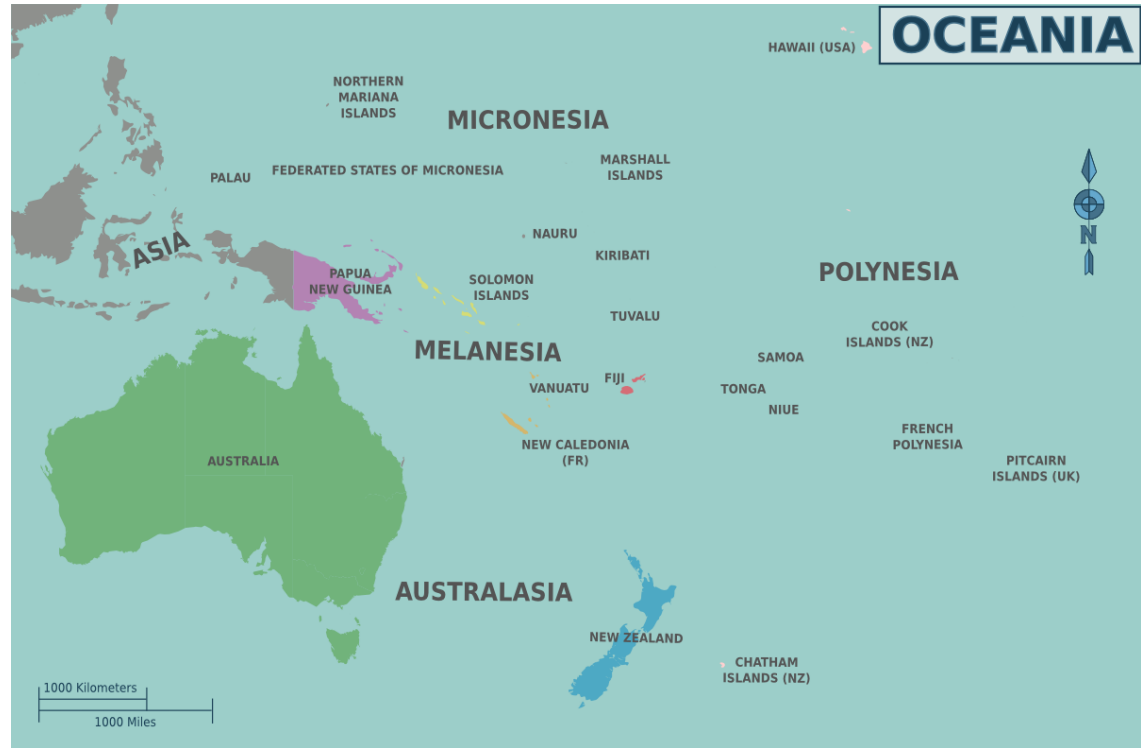
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Date received	Issue/task to resolved	Deadline for responses	ORDAC responses
20 September	<p data-bbox="401 494 1006 680">Santiago agenda item: Corporate Body: preferred name of corporate body > Names of corporate body in more than one language</p> <p data-bbox="401 702 1031 1007">The notion of "official language" in the current Toolkit at 11.2.2.5.2 has several times been "translated" in the Beta Toolkit as a "value of Corporate Body: language of corporate body" in the instructions for Corporate Body: preferred name of corporate body > Names of corporate body in more than one language (https://beta.rdatoolkit.org/en-US_ala-652f1f83-0f9d-3cf9-934d-e5ffbada846c8/p_mbz_vlz_xfb). However, Corporate Body: language of corporate body is defined as "A language used by a corporate body in its communications." Nothing in the definition indicates that the element is restricted to official</p>	11 October	

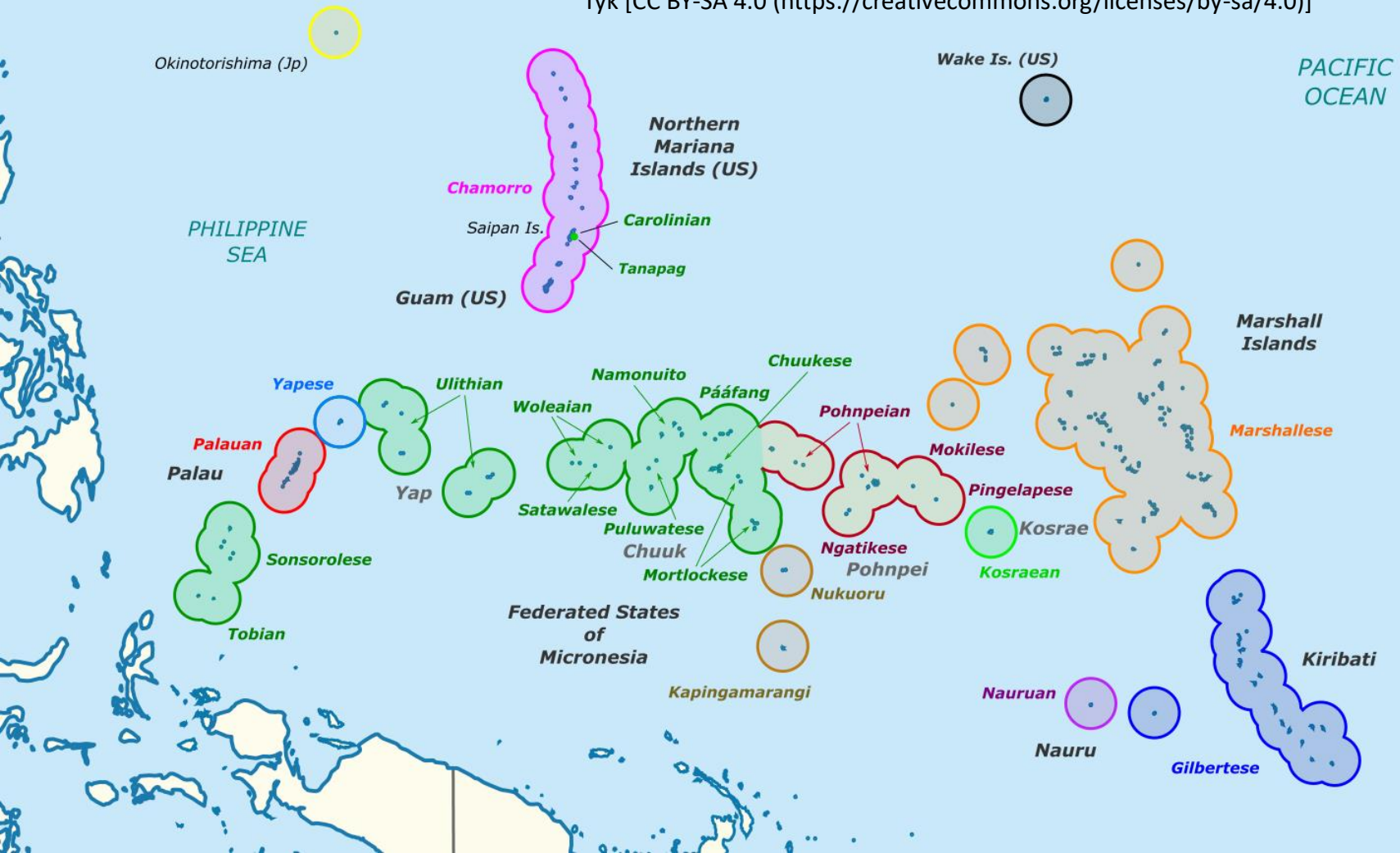


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Resources

<http://www.rda-rsc.org/oceania>

This page provides links to resources, including presentations, training materials and other documentation, relating to or created for the Oceania RDA Community. General resources on RDA can be found on the RSC's [Presentations](#) page.

The RSC Chair visits Oceania

In August 2018, the Chair of the RDA Steering Committee (RSC), Gordon Dunsire, and Deborah Fritz, cataloguing trainer and consultant, and chair of the RSC Aggregates Working Group, visited Australia and New Zealand to talk about IFLA-LRM and the new RDA. The events held also included presentations made by members of ORDAC, demonstrating the RDA Toolkit and talking about the formation of ORDAC.

Seminar: Resource description for the 21st Century

Held in Canberra, Australia on Monday 13 August 2018. Powerpoints and recordings of the presentations are available [here](#).



Thank you!