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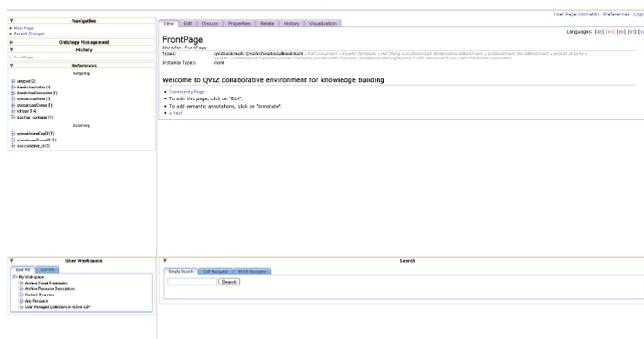
This newsletter covers the time between October to December 2007.

Work Progress

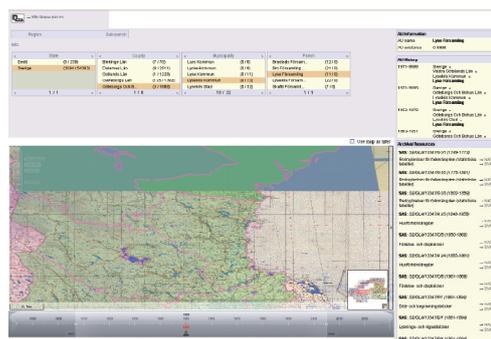
A consortium meeting was held in Budapest in October. Workshops concerning domain ontology and user activities of social bookmark in CoP context, an integrated system and administrative units and archival content structures were held. The exploitation started to take physical form and the perhaps most important outcome of this three day long consortium meeting was the mutual timeline that was decided upon during these days. Focus during the period October to December has been on integration of the QVIZ platform and functionality implementation. This has led to the start of functionality test construction and performance. Another prioritized issue has been the exploitation plan. IPR questions and continuation have been discussed. During the steering group meeting in December it was decided that the continuous work after the project has ended will be performed through a consortium very much like the one QVIZ have today.

A new project officer has been appointed and has together with the assistant coordinator agreed on a reliable time plan for the remainder of the project.

Prototype images



Collaborative Environment



Time Spatial Environment



Social Bookmarking

Dissemination activities for the immediate period.

Presentation of QVIZ in Budapest, Hungary, October 15th 2007. Participants from QVIZ were Hanna Zipernovsky, Peder Andrén and Fredrik Palm.

Presentation of QVIZ at the PNC and ECAI 2007 Annual Conference and Joint Meeting, at the University of California, Berkeley, San Francisco, USA, October 19th 2007. Participant from QVIZ was Humphrey Southall.

Presentation of QVIZ at eChallenge in Hague, Netherlands, October 24-26th 2007. Participant from QVIZ was Fredrik Palm

Presentation of QVIZ at Lärare på vetenskaplig grund (Teachers on a scientific basis), October 29th 2007 in HUMlab, Umeå, Sweden. Participant from QVIZ was Hanna Zipernovsky

Exhibition and presentation at EVA in Berlin, Germany, November 7-9th 2007. Participants from QVIZ were Peder Andrén and Fredrik Palm.

Meeting at Bundesarchive in Berlin, Germany, 8th of November 2007. Participants from QVIZ were Peder Andrén and Fredrik Palm.

Presentation to a class of graduate students in historical resource management at Idaho State University, Pocatello, Idaho, USA, 12th November 2007. Participant from QVIZ was Alexander von Lünen

Presentation of QVIZ at the Social Science History Association Conference at Palmer House Hilton hotel, Chicago, USA . Participants from QVIZ was Humphrey Southall and Alexander von Lünen

Presentation of QVIZ at the National Library of Wales, Aberystwyth, Wales, UK, 19th November 2007. Participant from QVIZ was Humphrey Southall.

Workshop on “Extending the multilingual capacity of the European Library” in Stockholm, Sweden, November 22nd-23rd 2007. Participant from QVIZ was Fredrik Palm.

Presentation to Estonian Archivists at the Estonian Historical Archives, Tartu, Estonia, 28th November 2007. Participants from QVIZ were Humphrey Southall, Paula Aucott.

Workshop on “A Place in Europe: Historical GIS and New Perspectives on European and World History, Barcelona, Spain, 1st December 2007. Participant from QVIZ was Humphrey Southall.

Planned activities

Peder Andrén of SNA will represent and present QVIZ at EVA in Florence April 16th to 18th of April.

Fredrik Palm will host a workshop at the ELAG conference that will take place from 14th to 16th April, in Wageningen, the Netherlands.

The next symposium is planned for the 22nd to the 24th of January at our Estonian partners in Tartu.

People

Reinforcements have been made with an additional communication manager, Johan Lagrelius at HUMlab, Umeå University. UoP have strengthened their knowledge within database construction through Alexander Grüber.

Experienced test personnel have been tied to the project through test leader Linda Lindgren and system tester Bhawana Srivastava from Ladok at Umeå University.

About the Newsletter

The intention of this newsletter is to provide updates concerning recent development and progress in the project Query and context based visualization of time-spatial cultural dynamic, QVIZ. The newsletter will be delivered four times a year to people that have expressed an interest in the project. Please forward this newsletter to others who may be interested.

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