

Muscat Workshop

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Outline

- Introduction to Muscat
- What every librarian can do
- Cataloging a manuscript
- Muscat beyond RISM



Muscat is...

- Multilingual
- Web based
- Platform independent
- Open source





Muscat features...

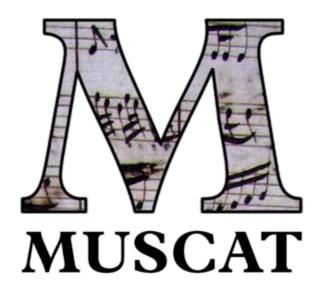
- Version control
- Commenting system
- Folders
- Built-in connection to the Virtual International Authority File (VIAF)
- Integrated online catalog search
- Intuitive look and feel





Data in Muscat are...

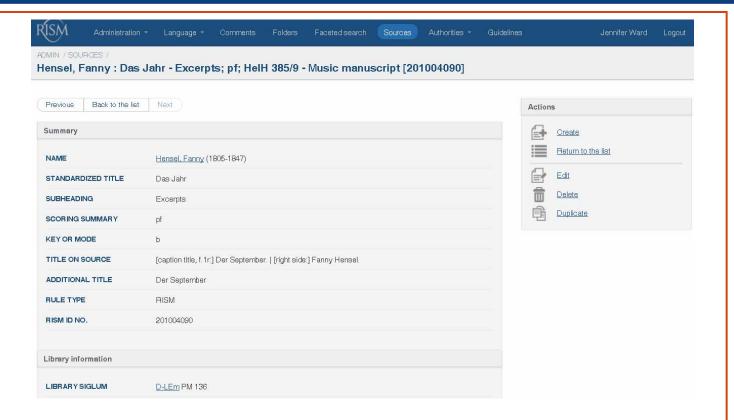
- MARC21
- Published in online catalog
- Linked data and linked open data





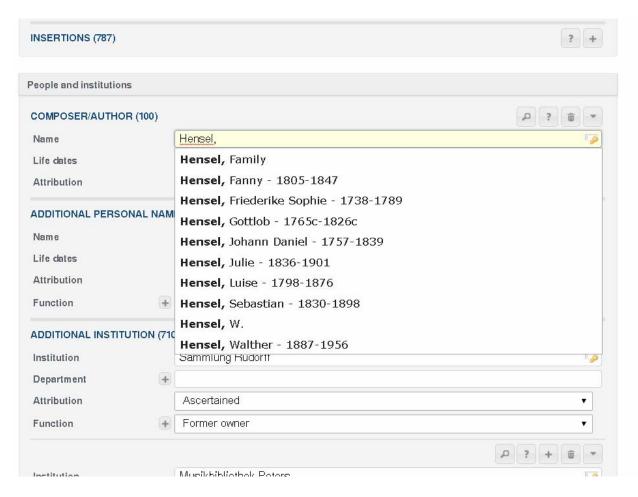
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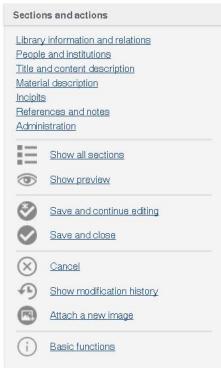
Full record view





Muscat: Cataloger's view





Muscat resources

- Tutorials
- Guidelines
- Training server
- Workshops
- Full training by RISM staff

See:

http://www.rism.info/en/community/muscat.html



Authority files and controlled vocabulary

- Images
- Institutions
- Liturgical festivals
- Personal names
- Places
- Secondary literature
- Subject headings
- Titles/text incipits



Muscat access

Go to: http://muscat-training.rism.info

Email: training01@rism.info

Any number between 01 and 50

Password: password

Note: Muscat is optimized for Firefox and Chrome. Do not use Internet Explorer!



What every librarian can do

Make corrections

Practice: Change the composer of the anonymous chanson "Le chevalier," held by the Juilliard School (RISM ID no. 900005374), to any name you wish.



What every librarian can do

Link to digitized music

Practice: For a manuscript of excerpts from *Gli Sciti* by Johann Simon Mayr, held by the University of Louisville (shelfmark Profana 124, RISM ID no. 000124538), add this link to the digitized score in the field External Resource (856):

http://imslp.org/wiki/Special:ReverseLookup/232915



What every librarian can do

Add holdings to printed editions

Practice: Add the siglum S-Skma to these two imprints:

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Le Duc Simon

Six duo [sic] [D,A,C,g,G,Es] pour deux violons Dédiés
... Composés par Le Duc l'ainé Oeuvre III.
Paris. M¹ le Duc, s.d. Gravé par Mde Lobry. Ecrit par
Le Roy.
2 fasc.: vl I, vl II. Stich.

RISM L 1374.

S STOCKHOLM Musikaliska akademien (S—Skma)

Le je u ne Claude
The firsts twelve psalms in four parts; Composed by...
Claude le Joane... adapted to the English versions by a professor of music.
London, Longman, Lukey & C³, s.d.
Partitur: 1 vol., [2 f.] 12 p. Stich.

RISM L 1701.

S STOCKHOLM Musikaliska akademien (S—Skma)
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Cataloging examples

Answers are online at http://www.rism.info/en/community/muscat
 .html#c3310 under "More examples to practice"



Cataloging example 1: Score

ZINGARELLI, Nicola Antonio I-Bsf, M.Z.I.13
[Scena e Aria, Tremo tra dubbi miei, S, str.,
Do min.]

Scena e Aria Zingarelli

MS, inizi 19 sec., copista L.Bandelloni, paritit., 12 f., 23,5x29 cm.
cor I e II, ob I e II, vl I e II, vla, S, bc
Scena: Misero che farò



Cataloging example 2: Score and part

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MORANDI, Pietro

[Inno, Tantum ergo, A, org, Re]

Tantum ergo del Sig. Pietro Morandi

MS, fine 18 sec., partit., 4 f., 23,5x32 cm

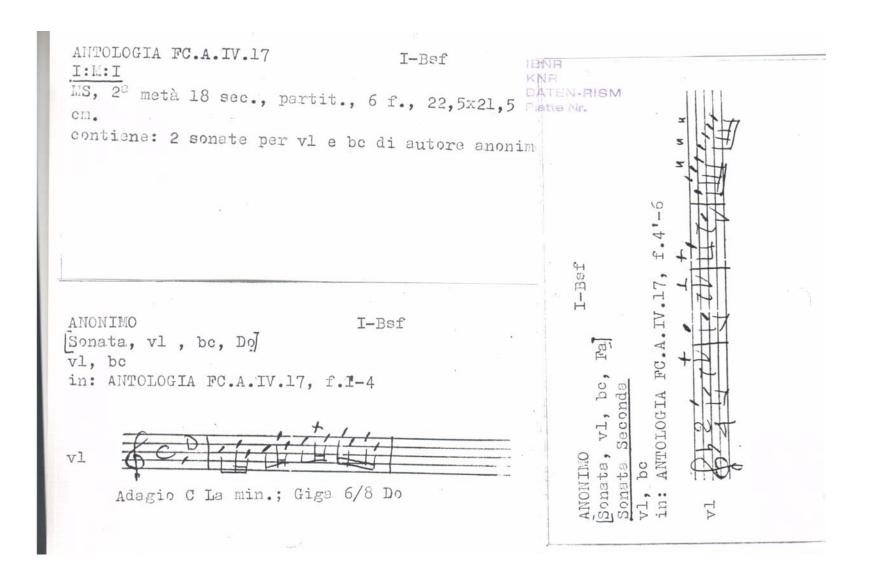
A, org

E' allegata la sola parte dell'A
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MORANDI P. [Inno, Tantum ergo, A, org, Re]
I-Bsf, FC.M.IV.17

Cataloging example 3: Collection



Muscat beyond RISM

- Use Muscat as your database
- Customize Muscat for your project's needs
- Take RISM's data as a starting point, or create your own data pool
- Optional: Share your data with RISM and enrich the international database



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