

# National Library of Greece: RDA Initiatives

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# The National Library of Greece (NLG)

- Journey started in 1829
- Scope:
  - trace,
  - organize,
  - describe and
  - preserve in perpetuity documents of Greek culture
- Legal entity of public law supervised by the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs
- Over 2 million items (books, periodicals and rare manuscripts dating from 9th to 20th century)
- Transitioning into the new era, NLG aims to:
  - redefine its relationship with the public
  - become the center of study, research and education for Greek Civilization, a hub of co creation and innovation
- Operates in three buildings → SNFCC (new premises), Vallianeio and Votanikos

# RDA in Greece

- Few attempts to implement RDA cataloguing rules W not centralized
- Absence of national policy
- Use of AACR2 in MARC21 and UNIMARC
- NLG working on two projects simultaneously:
  - UNI to MARC21
  - MARC21 to LoD (RDA/RDF)

# Training in RDA

- Attempts for training started in early 2021
- NLG has provided RDA training for all librarians in Greek academic libraries
- Seminars from March to August 2021 with more than 100 participants from 28 academic libraries
- Access to the RDA Toolkit for 24 libraries in Greece

# RDA/RDF in Wikibase

Vision: To develop the infrastructure for the cooperative cataloguing of the NLG authorities

- Knowledge base software W Wikibase
- Upload data to Wikibase and map MARC21 to RDA/RDF to export data
- Mechanism for automated match entities from other LoD vocabularies



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# Vision

- Fully implementing RDA for cataloguing authorities
- Development of a cooperative cataloguing system on the NLG Wikibase instance
- Building a user-friendly interface for browsing and discovery
- Enriching the content from other LoD vocabularies
- Mapping MARC21 to RDA/RDF for biblios
- Assisting other libraries in Greece with the transition
- Becoming the authoritative source for the identification and LoD representation of all Greek entities and Greek related subjects

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