

TEI Technical Council

Teleconference, 2022-10-14 15:00Z

7am PDT / 10am EDT / 3pm BST / 4pm CEST

Meet:

- Zoom:
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87303908913?pwd=ZlFWMmtxNTZpbytpTXBMLytzaW5xUT09>

Present:

- Syd Bauman (SB)
- Elisa Beshero-Bondar (EBB)
- Hugh Cayless (HC)
- Patricia O Connor (TOC)
- Martina Scholger (MS)
- Sabine Seifert (SS)
- Peter Stadler (PS)
- Magdalena Turska (MT, arrived 14:17Z)
- guest: Piotr Banski

Apologies/Not Present:

- Helena Bermúdez Sabel (HBS)
- Elli Bleeker (EB)
- Janelle Jenstad (JJ)
- Raff Vigilanti (RV)

Note: ticket triage table is near the end of this document.

Started: 14:05Z Ended: 15:38Z

Meeting minutes September:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/10DkA_AzrT_GoPNOkM6MPI0JABtvYHhkeLu-ns93v22Q/edit

Agenda:

- Welcome Patricia
 - mentor

- Co-mentors to cover time zone issue and the installation process
 - MS to help TOC to get system installed, issue with Windows
 - Document the installation process and create documentation for new Council Members
 - SB grant/funding for a class/summer school for TEI enthusiasts wanting to join TEI Council - purpose of class/school to train XML researchers on what they'll need to know for Council.
 - Also to invite Technical Council candidates to the in-person meeting prior to the annual conference
- Ling SIG — Council liaison
 - invited guest: Piotr Banski
 - request a liaison with Council.
 - Not obvious that (computational) linguists are doing TEI.
 - computational linguists are typically aiming for simplicity and efficiency; mostly csv/tsv representation and avoid XML
 - TEI can form a bridge to the linguistics community. Keeping the bridge open is important
 - Also distinguishes the TEI to be thinking of linguistics and finding efficient methods, even if it introduces some tension in both communities.
 - Needs a liaison to prod him to work with TEI issues, rather than concentrate on primarily linguistics community issues.
 - Should be someone who works with linguistics formally
 - who can talk about the issues (not always easy to communicate in GitHub Issues; helps if this person is on Council
 - PS has been excellent at this, and has agreed to mentor a new Ling SIG liaison
 - regular set of meetings over months...
 - Piotr hopes to revive the Ling SIG mailing list and find a co-convenor
 - HBS has volunteered because her projects have grounding in linguistics; may be resuming work in validating FS. MT will help HBS
 - **Action on PS, HBS, MT, and Piotr** to meet and talk by November 18. PS to organize the meeting.
- Meeting times Nov & Dec?
 - Thursday, Nov 10 and Dec 8 (8am PDT / 11am EDT / 4pm BST / 5pm CEST)
- Next release
 - Timeline
 - Release on Tues. October 25
 - Freeze: Thurs. October 20
 - Release techs: SS, PS, & MS.
 - Action on SS, PS & MS to have a look at TCW 22, *Building a TEI Release* in advance: <https://tei-c.org/activities/council/working/tcw22/>
 - Open issues and PRs
 - Milestone "Guidelines 4.5.0"

<https://github.com/TEIC/TEI/issues?q=is%3Aopen+is%3Aissue+milestone%3A%22Guidelines+4.5.0%22>

- Milestone “Stylesheets 7.54.0”:
<https://github.com/TEIC/Stylesheets/issues?q=is%3Aopen+is%3Aissue+milestone%3A%22Release+7.54.0%22>
 - [#571](#): In the Stylesheets meeting of 2022-09-29 we successfully added the language of the exemplum when it is different from the current one. This ticket was kept open so that in the next TEI Council meeting we could evaluate whether it looks good enough before the next release or if further enhancements are urgent. See
<https://jenkins.tei-c.org/job/TEIP5-dev/lastSuccessfulBuild/artifact/P5/release/doc/tei-p5-doc/en/html/examples-teiHeader.html>
 - Council notes this is an improvement and we don't need to back it out.
 - We can continue work on it.
- Pull requests: <https://github.com/TEIC/TEI/pulls> , <https://github.com/TEIC/Stylesheets/pulls>
 - HBS & SB both say [#532](#) is ready to merge; Council agrees to merge. DONE.
 - SB has sent ping to MH & Nick Cole to review [#525](#)
- Nested <ab> element: issue [#1856](#), PR [#2352](#).
 - Trying to get this merged in for upcoming release; thus **action on all** by **Wed 10-19** to read and post.
- ISO Cat references: <https://github.com/TEIC/TEI/issues/1866>, <https://github.com/TEIC/TEI/issues/2227>, <https://github.com/TEIC/TEI/issues/2340>
 - elimination of ISO Cat references. Standard does not really define the attributes any longer, but it is referenced in the Guidelines. Piotr suggests to eliminate the dcr: namespace
 - With Piotr: discussion of work on datcat
 - remove dcr: namespace to make them native TEI atts
 - `` vs `@datcat`: `` for tagdocs and taxonomies in the teiHeader. `@datcat` is for use anywhere else. This does not need to be a purely linguistic attribute. Could be used anywhere we need an external taxonomy. Feature Structure declarations defines information containers...
 - Piotr has added attributes: `@valueDatcat` and `@targetDatcat`, like `@targetLang` (?)
 - See
<https://jenkins-paderborn.tei-c.org/view/LingSIG/job/TEIP5-LingSIG-deadISOcat/lastSuccessfulBuild/artifact/P5/release/doc/tei-p5-doc/en/html/ref-att.datcat.html>
 - The branch is at
<https://github.com/LingSIG/TEI/tree/deadISOcat>.
 - PR is [#2359](#).

- New chair for 2023: EBB volunteers. **Action on MS:** will send email as several council members are not present in this zoom, decision needed in December, one new chair or perhaps two co-chairs (and then changing of bylaws)
- Report on CMC?
 - SB: Slow progress being made — not much to report except that Spring 2023 release is looking a bit less likely; PS, anything else?
- Documentation
- Guidelines production via TEI Processing Model (cf [prototype](#))
 - request for testing and reporting issues (discrepancies with existing Guidelines) and feature requests via <https://github.com/eeditiones/tei-guidelines>
 - at which point shall we move this repo to TEI
 - consider branding and design (involving touch-up of the TEI logo)
- oXygen version 25 and plugin functionality as discussed in e-mails by Martin Holmes
- AOB
 - MT suggests we get a new or updated logo.
 - MT suggests we outsource design advice, if not work, on GLs (and website).

Issues from the F2F meeting (September 2022)

Group D: SB, HB, SS

Group E: MT, MH, EBB

Group F: HC, MS, PS

#2300	D	restrict embedded transcription to sourceDoc / exclude text in zone and line as part of facsimile	We suggest marking it as green
#2303	E	URLs of projects using TEI are not displayed on the individual project info pages	Subgroup inquires: where is the TEI underlying the projects page? And where is the XSLT that processes it? For some entries (probably older ones), it looks like some TEI elements (like <ptr>) are embedded in the HTML, while others are just HTML. The TEI needs to be cleaned out of the page.
#2306	F	tagdocs elements are available in silly contexts	that would be a breaking change and we're not sure whether it's worth the effort. Might make a case for an atop-specific application profile (customization)? Does Syd remember why the membership in model.inter came about?

			SB: No, no idea. Seems stupid to me. I think we should fix this, it is a corrigible error.
#2314	D	TEI example is old-formatted	We suggest marking it as green
#2315	E	example example discusses a possible future feature	Subgroup agrees that changing the item is a good idea to encourage best practices.
#2316	F	<speaker> as content of <lem>	we're not against it, but it seems too hard to implement (i.e. too much of a stretch for the content models of lem and wit); and for the currently provided example there are several workarounds in the comments
#2317	D	<app> as sole content of a <sp> element	We (subgrp D) think this should be allowed, but note that since <app> is a member of model.global.edit it is going to be very difficult (if not impossible) to do. <app> should have a warning informing encoders that it's their responsibility that the contents of each <app>/<rdg> or <app>/<leg> is valid within the parent of the <app>.
#2326	E	constraints on <dataFacet> and @restriction should be explicit	PS has already solved and closed this.
#2327	F	teidata.unboundedInt should be named teidata.unboundedCount	Seems sensible. Group thinks we should merge the PR and close. Do we need deprecation of teidata.unboundedInt before nuking it?!
#2330	D	schemaSpec should provide a mechanism for specifying Schematron query language binding	
#2331	E	bad link → consistent referencing needed to ISO 24611	Subgroup suggests green for go to create a new bibliography entry and fix all references to point to it.

#2332	F	How are we to refer to an <egXML>? (Or <figure> or <table>?)	good question. Should be addressed and added to tcw20
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Ticket Triage, minute review, and P5 update assignment table

Month	ticket triage	minute review/assist	update P5 subset
October 2022	EBB	SB	EB (with SB on standby)
November 2022	HC	SB	
December 2022	RV	EB	