### WDS et Data identifiers





## World Data System (WDS)

- Created by ICSU under the auspices of UGGI and IAU to replace World Data Centers and Federation of Astronomy and Geophysics Services
- FG represents IAU in the WDS Scientific Council
- Gives a label to data centres/services
- The procedure works and it would make senses that more astronomical data centres apply





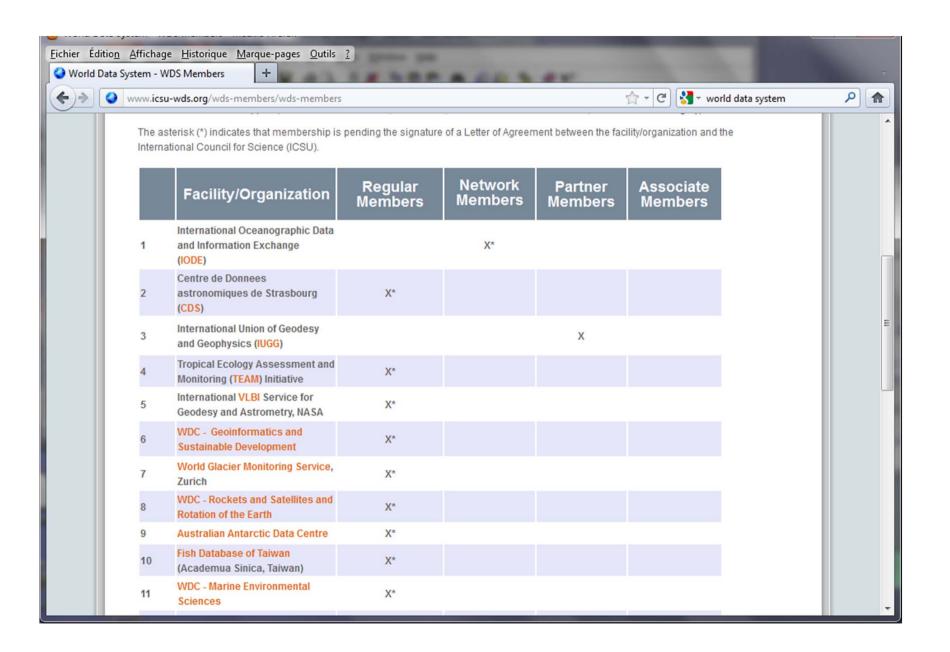
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- IVOA could apply as Network Member, like other organisations
- Important to be present because IAU is one of the parent body, to keep track that astronomy has been a pionneer of data sharing and interoperability, and to disseminate lessons learnt from IVOA and previous efforst to network on-line resources









#### WDS and Data Id

- Data Id is of course recognized as a very important question for WDS
- A strong pressure to adopt DOI as THE WDS system
- I am not sure that this fulfills the needs of the potential astronomical WDS community





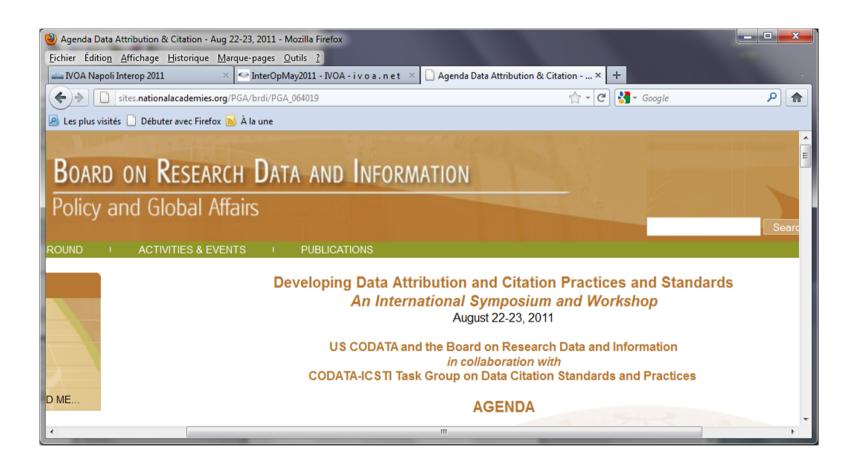
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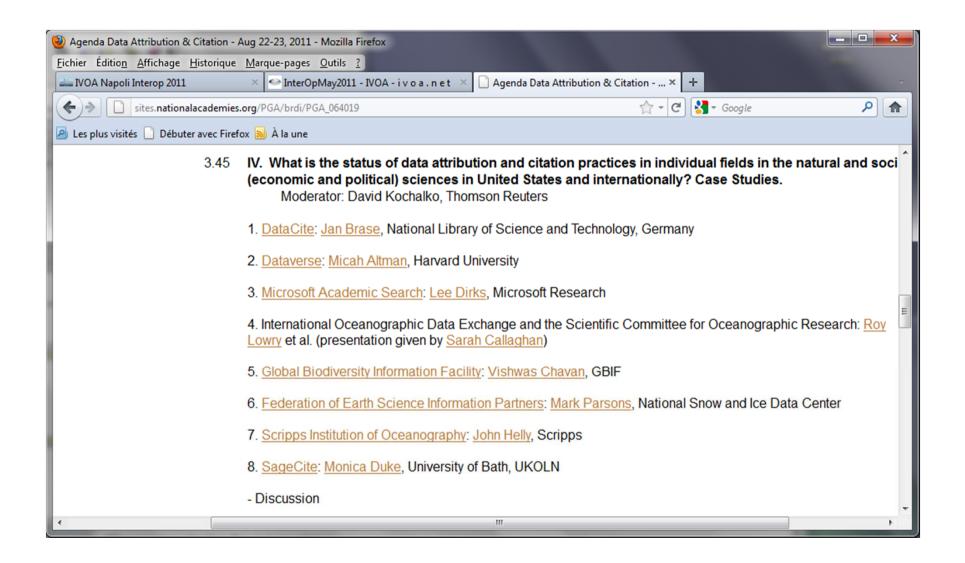
- I am not sure at all!!
- Many projects are working on the subject and are pushing very strongly to get adopted
- Cf ~1993 when the astronomy bibliographic services (and the astronomical journals!!) used the bibcode because there was not yet general agreement among the publishers

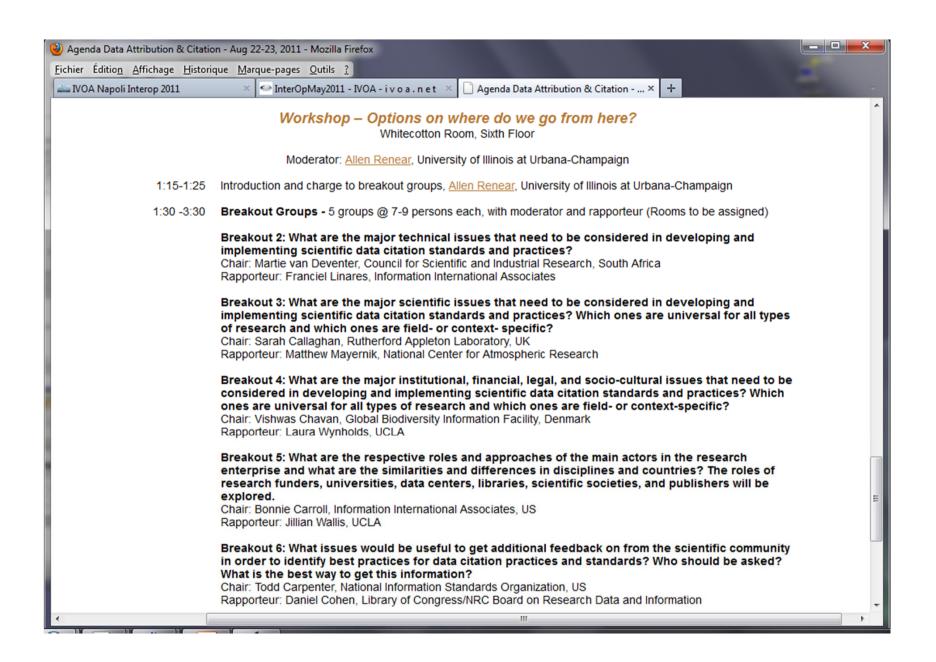




#### http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/brdi/PGA\_064019







## CODATA Task Group

- CODATA has set up a Task Group on data citations standards and practices
- http://www.codata.org/taskgroups/TGdatac itation/index.html





