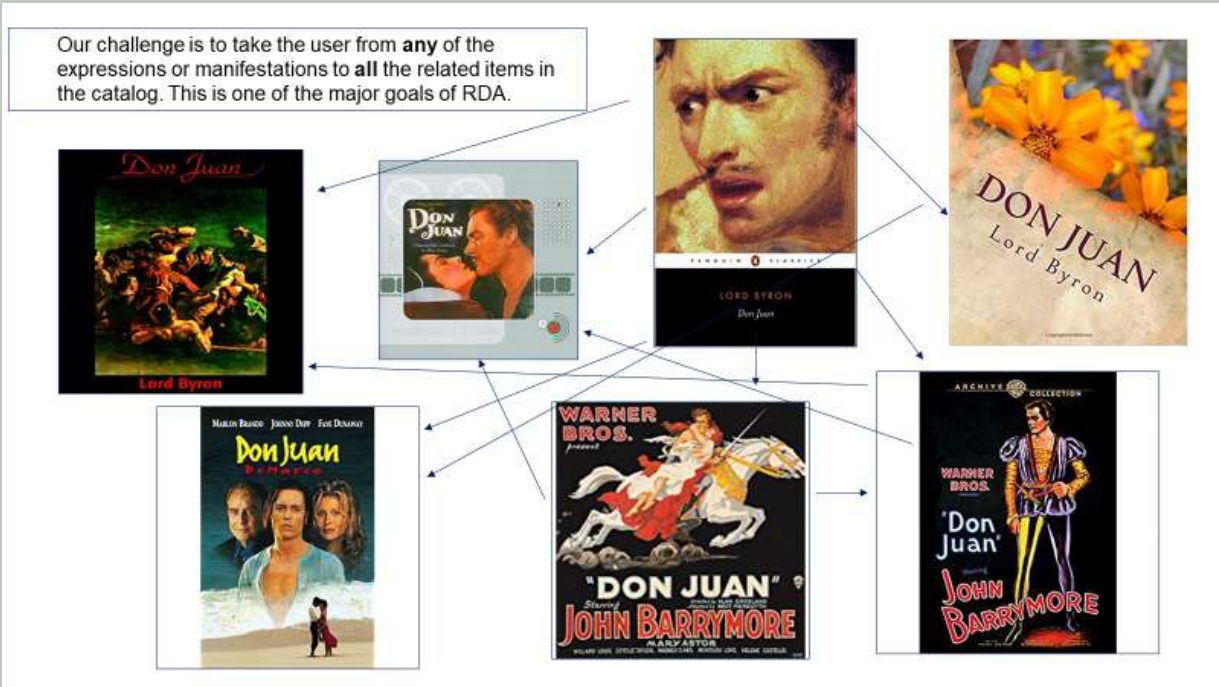


# Looking to the Future: How to Learn About Linked Data and BIBFRAME



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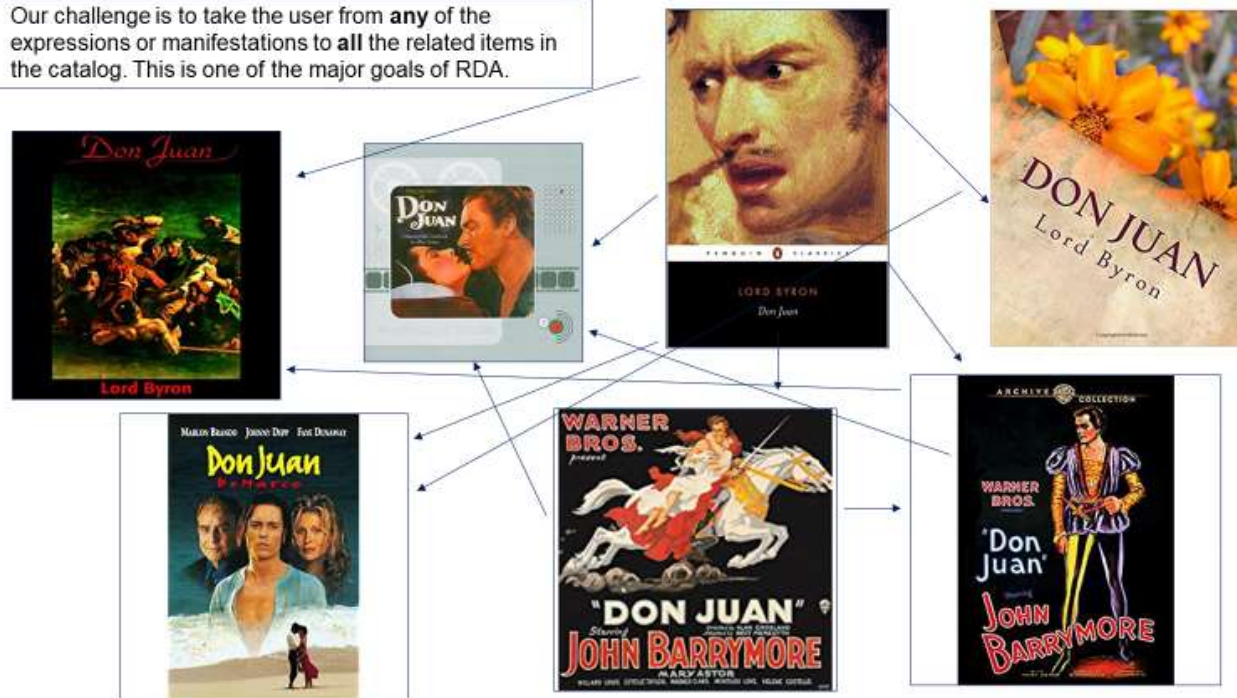


# Linked Data

Library linked data (LLD) is the use of [linked data](#) standards by libraries. These standards are usually applied to [bibliographic](#) and [authority](#) data sets with the hope of decreasing redundant cataloging work; and increasing visibility of library resources and interoperability with non-library systems--[Wikipedia](#)

# Don Juan

Our challenge is to take the user from **any** of the expressions or manifestations to **all** the related items in the catalog. This is one of the major goals of RDA.





# VIAF

The Virtual International Authority File (VIAF) is an international [authority file](#). It is a joint project of several national libraries and operated by the [Online Computer Library Center](#) (OCLC)--[Wikipedia](#)

# Searching VIAF

**VIAF**  
Virtual International Authority File

**Search**

Select Field:  
Personal Names

Select Index:  
All VIAF

Search Terms:  
thomas jefferson

Search

Thomas Jefferson, 1743-1826

Thomas Jefferson Snodgrass, 1835-1910

Thomas Jefferson Barfield, 1950-

Thomas Jefferson Wertenbaker, 1879-1966

Thomas Jefferson University., Jefferson Medical College

Thomas Jefferson Jackson See, 1866-1962

Thomas Jefferson Kline, 1942-

Thomas Jefferson American athlete


Thomas Jefferson Hogg, 1792-1862

Thomas Jefferson Anderson 1928-


**VIAF: The Virtual International Authority File**

The VIAF® (Virtual International Authority File) combines multiple name data from the following sources available on the Web. [Learn more](#)

VIAF Contributors

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- British Library
- Library and Archives Canada
- National Agricultural Library (U.S.)

The goal of the service










































































































# Thomas Jefferson in VIAF

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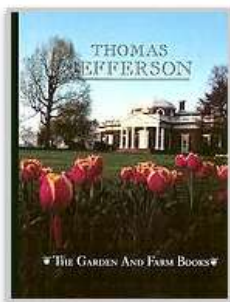
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<a href="#">1826-1743 جيفرسون، توماس</a> 
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# Garden and Farm Books of Thomas Jefferson



Jefferson, Thomas, 1743-1826.

Jefferson, Thomas

Thomas Jefferson

1826-1743 جيفرسون, توماس

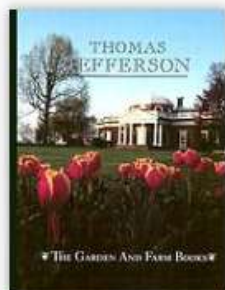
1743-1826 ג'פרסון, תומס

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1826-1743 جيفرسون, توماس

VIAF ID: 41866059 ( Personal )

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The garden and farm books of Thomas Jefferson ★★★★★ [4 reviews](#)

Authors: [Thomas Jefferson](#), [Robert C. Baron](#)

Summary: Includes Jefferson's correspondence, drawings, and plans for Monticello's gardens. Jefferson's journals on horticulture at Monticello, his achievements, failures, and plans with some of his letters on the subject to Washington,...

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Print Book, English, ©1987

Edition: [View all formats and editions](#)

Publisher: Fulcrum, Golden, Colo., ©1987

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# Thomas Jefferson in Wikipedia

Categories: Thomas Jefferson | 1743 births | 1826 deaths | 18th-century American philosophers | 18th-century vice presidents of the United States | 18th-century American writers | 19th-century American philosophers | 19th-century vice presidents of the United States | 19th-century presidents of the United States | Ambassadors of the United States to France | American architects | American book and manuscript collectors | American colonization movement | American deists | American foreign policy writers | American gardeners | American inventors | American lawyers admitted to the practice of law by reading law | American male non-fiction writers | American neoclassical architects | American people of English descent | American people of Welsh descent | American planters | American political party founders | American political philosophers | American political writers | American religious skeptics | American slave owners | American surveyors | Burials at Monticello | Candidates in the 1792 United States presidential election | Candidates in the 1796 United States presidential election | Candidates in the 1800 United States presidential election | Candidates in the 1804 United States presidential election | College of William & Mary alumni | Continental Congressmen from Virginia | Democratic-Republican Party presidents of the United States | Democratic-Republican Party vice presidents of the United States | Enlightenment philosophers | Fellows of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences | Free speech activists | Governors of Virginia | Hall of Fame for Great Americans inductees | 1800s in the United States | House of Burgesses members | Independent scientists | Jefferson family | Members of the American Antiquarian Society | Members of the American Philosophical Society | Members of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences | Members of the Virginia House of Delegates | People from Monticello | People of the American Enlightenment | Philosophers from Virginia | Physiocrats | Pre-19th-century cryptographers | Presidents of the United States | Randolph family of Virginia | Signers of the United States Declaration of Independence | United States Secretaries of State | University and college founders | University of Virginia people | Vice presidents of the United States | Virginia colonial people | Virginia Democratic-Republicans | Virginia lawyers | Washington administration cabinet members | Writers from Virginia | Writers of American Southern literature | Recipients of the AIA Gold Medal | Virginia dynasty

# Linked Data in MARC Records

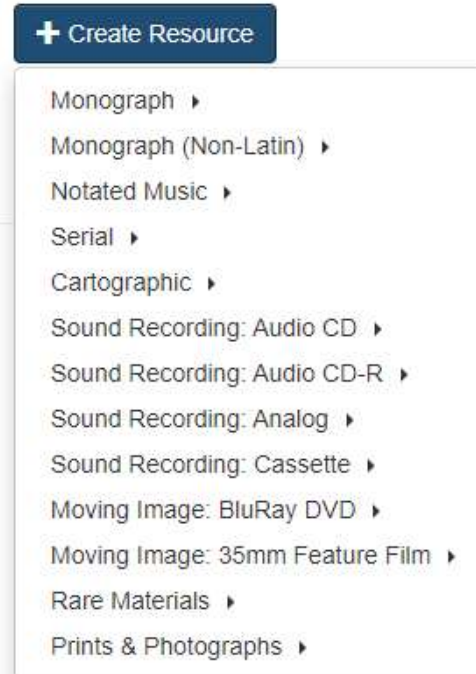
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650	0		<a href="#">Hospitals</a> ‡x <a href="#">Research</a> .
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650	2		Environment and Public Health.
856	4	0	‡u <a href="http://www.aha.org">http://www.aha.org</a> ‡y American Health Association website
856	4	0	‡u <a href="https://www.aha.org/system/files/media/file/2022/10/Exploring-Metropolitan-Anchor-Hospitals-and-the-Communities-They-Serve-202210.pdf">https://www.aha.org/system/files/media/file/2022/10/Exploring-Metropolitan-Anchor-Hospitals-and-the-Communities-They-Serve-202210.pdf</a> ‡y Electronic resource (PDF)



# BIBFRAME

Initiated by the Library of Congress, BIBFRAME provides a foundation for the future of bibliographic description, both on the web, and in the broader networked world that is grounded in Linked Data techniques. A major focus of the initiative is to determine a transition path for the MARC 21 formats while preserving a robust data exchange that has supported resource sharing and cataloging cost savings in recent decades—[Library of Congress](#)


# BIBFRAME Editor



<https://bibframe.org/bfe/index.html>

# BIBFRAME: Creating an Instance Record

Monograph:Instance?

Instance of	BIBFRAME Work			
Title Information	Instance Title	Variant Title	Parallel Title	
Statement of Responsibility	<div></div> +			
Edition Statement	<div></div> +			
Provision Activity	Publication	Distribution	Manufacture	Production
Transcribed Provider Statement	<div></div> +			
Copyright Date	<div></div> +			
Series statement	<div></div> +			
Series enumeration	<div></div> +			
Contribution	Contribution			
Mode of Issuance	<div></div>			
	single unit			
Identifiers	LCCN	ISBN	Other identifier	Local system number
Notes about the Instance	Note			

# BIBFRAME Instance, cont.

Media type	<input type="text"/>
	unmediated 
Extent	<input type="text" value="Extent"/>
Dimensions	<input type="text"/> 
Carrier type	<input type="text"/>
	volume 
Has Item	<input type="text" value="BIBFRAME Item"/>
Uniform Resource Locator	<input type="text"/> 
Projected publication date (YYMM)	<input type="text"/> 
Administrative Metadata	lc:RT:bf2:Monograph Instance 2022-11-29T18:13:30  
Add Property	<input type="text" value="Type for suggestions"/>

# BIBFRAME

## Work

### BIBFRAME Work

Save changes ✕

Lookup

OR

Creator of Work

Primary Contribution

Title Information

Work Title

Form of Work

Form/Genre

Date of Work



Place of Origin of the Work

Place

(Geographic) Coverage of the Content

Geographic coverage

(Time) Coverage of the Content



Intended Audience

Intended audience

Contribution

Contribution

Notes about the Work

Note

Contents

Contents note

Summary

Summary note

Subject of the Work

Subject components

Geographic subjects

Work as subject

Classification numbers

Library of Congress Classification

Dewey Decimal Classification

Content Type

text



Language

















Language

Script



# BIBFRAME Example

## BIBFRAME 2.0 Monograph (Non-Latin) Instance

OFF ON	<b>Instance of</b>	BIBFRAME Work Garden and farm books of Thomas Jefferson  
	<b>Title Information</b>	Title in Original Script Variant Title Parallel Title
OFF ON	<b>Statement of Responsibility</b>	
OFF ON	<b>Edition Statement</b>	
OFF ON	<b>Provision Activity</b>	Publication Distribution Manufacture Production
OFF ON	<b>Transcribed Provider Statement</b>	
OFF ON	<b>Copyright Date</b>	1987  
OFF ON	<b>Series statement</b>	
OFF ON	<b>Series enumeration</b>	
OFF ON	<b>Contribution</b>	Contribution
OFF ON	<b>Mode of Issuance</b>	single unit  
OFF ON	<b>Identifiers</b>	LCCN ISBN Other identifier Local system number
OFF ON	<b>Notes about the Instance</b>	Note Includes Jefferson's correspondence, drawings, and plans f...  
OFF ON	<b>Media type</b>	unmediated  
OFF ON	<b>Extent</b>	Extent 528 pages  
OFF ON	<b>Dimensions</b>	23 cm  
OFF ON	<b>Carrier type</b>	volume  

# Editing in BIBFRAME

**Edition Statement**

Edition Statement
Limited edition@en <input type="button" value="edit"/> <input type="button" value="delete"/>

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# BIBFRAME

## Preview

### Preview

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@prefix bf: <http://id.loc.gov/ontologies/bibframe/>.
@prefix bf1c: <http://id.loc.gov/ontologies/bf1c/>.
@prefix madsrdf: <http://www.loc.gov/mads/rdf/v1#>.
@prefix pmo: <http://performedmusicontology.org/ontology/>.
@prefix rdf: <http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#>.
@prefix rdfs: <http://www.w3.org/2000/01/rdf-schema#>.
@prefix xsd: <http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#>.
@prefix datatypes: <http://id.loc.gov/datatypes/>.
@prefix lclocal: <http://id.loc.gov/ontologies/lclocal/>.

<http://id.loc.gov/authorities/names/n79089957> a bf:Person;
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  bf:note _:b0_b3;
  bf:provisionActivity _:b0_b4.
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  bf:descriptionConventions <http://id.loc.gov/vocabulary/descriptionConventions/rda>;
  bf:descriptionLanguage <http://id.loc.gov/vocabulary/languages/eng>;
  bf:descriptionModifier <http://id.loc.gov/vocabulary/organizations/dlc>;
  bf:identifiedBy <https://bibframe.org/resources/e87792705677286190434361993986679502384>.
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  rdfs:label "volume".
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```

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# BIBFRAME

## Preview, cont.

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  bf:title _:b0_b7.
<http://id.loc.gov/vocabulary/issuance/mono> a bf:Issuance;
  rdfs:label "single unit".
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  rdfs:label "unmediated".
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  rdfs:label "Includes Jefferson's correspondence, drawings, and plans for Monticello's gardens."
_:b0_b4 a bf:Publication;
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  rdfs:label "dlc".
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  rdfs:label "Golden, Colorado".
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# LDUG Annual Meeting

## BIBFRAME and Linked Data: System Readiness

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Linked Data for Libraries Users Group

November 2, 2022

Library Systems' Readiness for Linked Data

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# Summary

Linked data is useful

WorldCat links data

VIAF actively linking data

Library of Congress invested in  
BIBFRAME

MARC records have linked data

Need ILS buy-in & support for  
BIBFRAME

# Resources

- BIBFRAME definition, <https://www.loc.gov/bibframe/>
- BIBFRAME editor (demo mode), <https://bibframe.org/bfe/index.html>
- BIBFRAME FAQs, <https://www.loc.gov/bibframe/faqs/>
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# Course evaluation survey

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