Data Processing at AMICO

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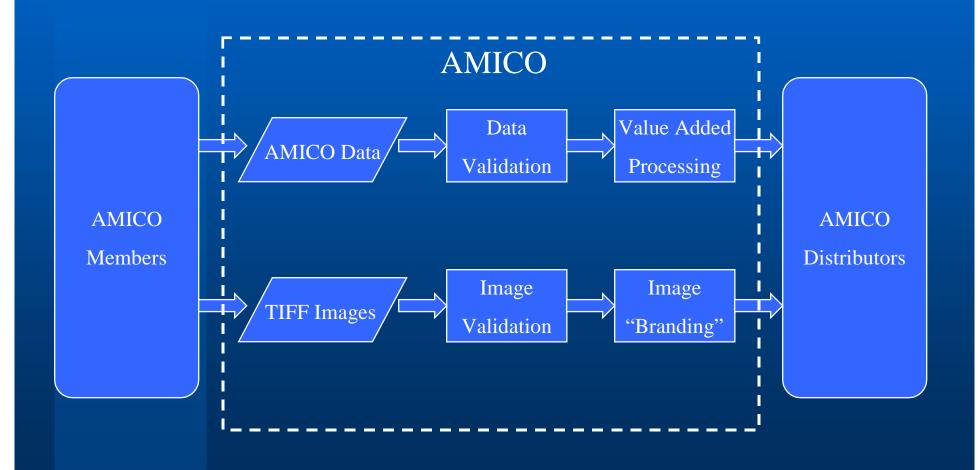
Project Goals

- Provide a system capable of managing all aspects of the AMICO data
 - Submission of data
 - Withdrawal of works
 - Editing/Normalization of data

AMICO Data

- 1998 Library
 - 19,000 unique works
 - 23 institutions
- 1999 Library
 - 55,000 unique works
 - 26 institutions
 - 200 GB of data and images

AMICO Data Flow



AMICO Process Benefits

- Data Validation
- Value Added Processing
 - Individual record editing
 - Parsing of free text fields
 - Data normalization
 - Data enrichment
- Image Handling
- Distribution Management

Data Validation

Autonomous Validation











AMICO File Validation

View Files

Upload New Files via

Browser

Upload New Files via

FTP

Validate Text Files

Validate Images

Display Media Log

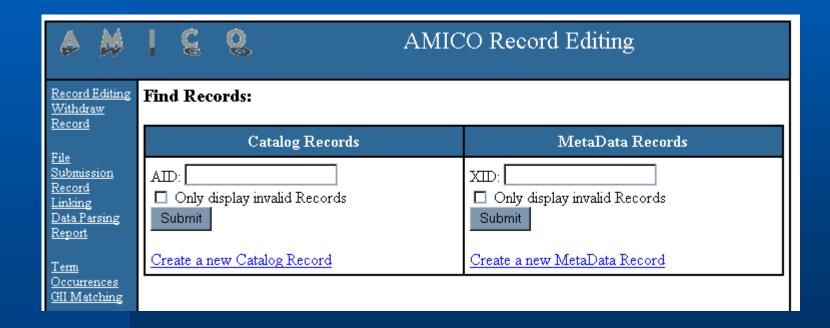
File Submission Menu

Please select an option from the menu at the left.

Value Added Processing

- Individual Record Editing
- Parsing of Free Text Fields
- Data Normalization
- Data Enrichment

Individual Record Editing



Parsing of free text fields

AID	OCT	Results	
JPGM.54.PA.1	Mid 1640s	('1643', '1646')	
JPGM.55.AB.12	480 B.C.	('-0480', '-0480')	
JPGM.55.DA.2	ca. 1750	('1740', '1760', 'circa')	
JPGM.55.DA.4	ca. 1770 - 1775	WARNING: Ignoring circa for date range! ('1770', '1775', 'circa')	
JPGM.55.DA.5	1769	('1769', '1769')	
JPGM.57.AA.19	Mid 1st century A.D.	('0033', '0066')	
JPGM.57.PA.3	ca. 1780	('1770', '1790', 'circa')	
JPGM.58.AA.1	90 A.D.	('0090', '0090')	
JPGM.67.DA.10	ca. 1725	('1723', '1727', 'circa')	
JPGM.67.DA.9	ca. 1785 - 1788	WARNING: Ignoring circa for date range! ('1785', '1788', 'circa')	
JPGM.68.PB.4	ca. 1496	('1494', '1498', 'circa')	
JPGM.69.PA.12	ca. 1660	('1650', '1670', 'circa')	
JPGM.69.PA.13	1650	('1650', '1650')	

Data Normalization

Occurrence Counts for Values of OTY

Field Value	Occurrence Count	Institutions Using
	4	3.00
?	1	AGO_
Alabastra	1	JPGM
Albumen	14	JPGM
Ambrotypes	1	JPGM
Amphorai	5	JPGM
Amulet or Scarab	11	FASF
Amulets	20	CMA_, MIA_
Antefixes	2	JPGM
Appliqué	1	JPGM
Architectural	9	FASF
Architectural Fragment	1	AIC_
Architecture	1	PMA_
Armchairs	2	JPGM
Armor	2	JPGM
Arms and Armor	146	CMA_
Arms or Armor	1	FASF
Aryballoi	3	JPGM
Askoi	1	JPGM
Assemblage (objet trouvé)	1	MACM
Assemblage photographique, électrique	1	MACM
Assemblage pictural	1	MACM
Assemblage sculptural, photographique	1	MACM

Data Enriching

- Matching to Artist Authorities
- Extending Artist Authorities / ARS
- AAT & TGN Plans
 - Using Hierarchy
- Enriching Searches Through Authorities

Image Handling

- Image Validation
- Image "Branding"
 - TIFF headers
 - Copyright, owner, artist, and work information
- Thumbnail Creation
- External Metadata Creation
- Record Matching

Distribution Management

- Keeping Distributors Library Current
 - Weekly Updates
- Tracking Changes
- User Permissions
- Public Thumbnail Web Site

The Future

- Editorial Decisions about Normalization of Terms
- Artist Biography Authority
- Parsing of Other Free Text Fields
- Publish XML/RDF