

Knowledge Organization in the Domain of Metadata Studies

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Metadata has been widely applied in digital libraries. The concept of metadata is being explored from different aspects. However, the idea of metadata studies as a knowledge domain has in deed not been well developed. This study examines the metadata domain knowledge construction in recent research and adopts qualitative research to analyze referred conference papers and code the tributes line by line. These coded attributes then serve as the building blocks for the knowledge organization system of metadata domain. A preliminary result of metadata knowledge structure will be presented then the presentation concludes with a future theoretical and empirical research framework.