

5JSC/RDA/RDA to FRAD mapping/Rev/2
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This detailed RDA-FRAD Mapping supplements the general statements that are made in section 1.3 of the RDA Scope and Structure document about the relationship between RDA and FRAD. It shows how each RDA element relates to the attributes and relationships defined in FRAD.

RDA-FRAD Mapping

The attached table provides a mapping of the elements, element sub-types, and sub-elements specified in RDA that would conventionally be encoded in authority records to the corresponding entity and associated attribute or relationship defined in FRAD.¹

Elements listed under sections that will not be developed until after the initial release of RDA in 2009 are shaded.

The following symbols are used in the table:

- + Indicates that there is an attribute or relationship defined in FRAD that corresponds to one or more aspects of the RDA element, but that the RDA element is broader in scope. For example, FRAD defines relationships between a person and a corporate body, and between one corporate body and another, but not between a family and a corporate body. The RDA element defined for Related corporate body includes relationships between a family and a corporate body as well as those between a person and a corporate and between one corporate body and another.

- n/a Indicates that there is no attribute or relationship defined in FRAD that corresponds either directly or indirectly to the RDA element.

¹ IFLA Working Group on Functional Requirements and Numbering of Authority Records (FRANAR), *Functional Requirements for Authority Data: A Conceptual Model*, edited by Glenn E. Patton (München: K.G. Saur, 2009).

RDA-FRAD Mapping

RDA element	Corresponding FRAD entity		Corresponding FRAD attribute / relationship
RECORDING ATTRIBUTES OF WORKS AND EXPRESSIONS			
Status of identification			n/a
Source consulted			n/a
Cataloguer's note			n/a
IDENTIFYING WORKS AND EXPRESSIONS			
Title of the work	work	5.2	known by
Preferred title for the work	work	5.2	known by
Variant title for the work	work	5.2	known by
Form of work	work	4.4	form of work
Date of work	work	4.4	date of the work
Place of origin of the work	work	4.4	place of origin of the work
Medium of performance	work	4.4	medium of performance
Numeric designation of a musical work	work	4.4	numeric designation
Key	work	4.4	key
Signatory to a treaty, etc.	work		n/a
Other distinguishing characteristic of the work	work	4.4	other distinguishing characteristic
History of the work	work	4.4	history
Identifier for the work	work	5.2	assigned
Content type	expression	4.5	form of expression
Date of expression	expression	4.5	date of expression
Language of expression	expression	4.5	language of expression
Other distinguishing characteristic of the expression	expression	4.5	technique / other distinguishing characteristic
Identifier for the expression	expression	5.2	assigned
RECORDING ATTRIBUTES OF PERSONS, FAMILIES, AND CORPORATE BODIES			
Scope of usage	name	4.12	scope of usage
Date of usage	name	4.12	dates of usage
Status of identification			n/a
Undifferentiated name indicator			n/a
Source consulted			n/a
Cataloguer's note			n/a
IDENTIFYING PERSONS			
Name of the person	person	5.2	known by
Preferred name for the person	person	5.2	known by
Variant name for the person	person	5.2	known by
Date associated with the person	person	4.1	dates associated with the person
Date of birth	person	4.1	dates associated with the person
Date of death	person	4.1	dates associated with the person
Period of activity of the person	person	4.1	dates associated with the person
Title of the person	person	4.1	title of person
Fuller form of name	person	4.1	n/a
Other designation associated with the person	person	4.1	other informational elements associated with the person
Gender	person	4.1	gender
Place of birth	person	4.1	place of birth

RDA-FRAD Mapping

RDA element	Corresponding FRAD entity		Corresponding FRAD attribute / relationship
Place of death	person	4.1	place of death
Country associated with the person	person	4.1	country
Place of residence	person	4.1	place of residence
Address of the person	person	4.1	address
Affiliation	person	4.1	affiliation
Language of the person	person	4.1	language of person
Field of activity of the person	person	4.1	field of activity
Profession or occupation	person	4.1	profession / occupation
Biographical information	person	4.1	biography / history
Identifier for the person	person	5.2	assigned
IDENTIFYING FAMILIES			
Name of the family	family	5.2	known by
Preferred name for the family	family	5.2	known by
Variant name for the family	family	5.2	known by
Type of family	family	4.2	type of family
Date associated with the family	family	4.2	dates of family
Place associated with the family	family	4.2	places associated with family
Prominent member of the family	family	4.2	n/a
Hereditary title	family	4.2	n/a
Family history	family	4.2	history of family
Identifier for the family	family	5.2	assigned
IDENTIFYING CORPORATE BODIES			
Name of the corporate body	corporate body	5.2	known by
Preferred name for the corporate body	corporate body	5.2	known by
Variant name for the corporate body	corporate body	5.2	known by
Place associated with the corporate body	corporate body	4.3	place associated with the corporate body
Location of conference, etc.	corporate body	4.3	place associated with the corporate body
Location of headquarters	corporate body	4.3	place associated with the corporate body
Date associated with the corporate body	corporate body	4.3	date associated with the corporate body
Date of conference, etc.	corporate body	4.3	date associated with the corporate body
Date of establishment	corporate body	4.3	date associated with the corporate body
Date of termination	corporate body	4.3	date associated with the corporate body
Associated institution	corporate body		n/a
Number of a conference, etc.	corporate body		n/a
Other designation associated with the corporate body	corporate body	4.3	other information associated with the corporate body
Language of the corporate body	corporate body	4.3	language of the corporate body
Address of the corporate body	corporate body	4.3	address
Field of activity of the corporate body	corporate body	4.3	field of activity
Corporate history	corporate body	4.3	history
Identifier for the corporate body	corporate body	5.2	assigned

RDA-FRAD Mapping

RDA element	Corresponding FRAD entity	Corresponding FRAD attribute / relationship
RECORDING ATTRIBUTES OF CONCEPTS, OBJECTS, EVENTS, AND PLACES		
Scope of usage	name	4.12 scope of usage
Status of identification		n/a
Source consulted		n/a
Cataloguer's note		n/a
IDENTIFYING CONCEPTS		
Term for the concept	concept	5.2 known by
Preferred term for the concept	concept	5.2 known by
Variant term for the concept	concept	5.2 known by
Identifier for the concept	concept	5.2 assigned
IDENTIFYING OBJECTS		
Name of the object	object	5.2 known by
Preferred name for the object	object	5.2 known by
Variant name for the object	object	5.2 known by
Identifier for the object	object	5.2 assigned
IDENTIFYING EVENTS		
Name of the event	event	5.2 known by
Preferred name for the event	event	5.2 known by
Variant name for the event	event	5.2 known by
Identifier for the event	event	5.2 assigned
IDENTIFYING PLACES		
Name of the place	place	5.2 known by
Preferred name for the place	place	5.2 known by
Variant name for the place	place	5.2 known by
Identifier for the place	place	5.2 assigned
RECORDING RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN WORKS, EXPRESSIONS, MANIFESTATIONS, AND ITEMS		
Relationship designator		n/a
Numbering of part	work	n/a
Source consulted		n/a
Cataloguer's note		n/a
RELATED WORKS		
Related work		5.3.7 relationships among works, expressions, manifestations, and items
Explanation of relationship		n/a
RELATED EXPRESSIONS		
Related expression		5.3.7 relationships among works, expressions, manifestations, and items
Explanation of relationship		n/a
RELATED MANIFESTATIONS		
Related manifestation		5.3.7 relationships among works, expressions, manifestations, and items

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RDA element	Corresponding FRAD entity	Corresponding FRAD attribute / relationship
RELATED ITEMS		
Related item	5.3.7	relationships among works, expressions, manifestations, and items
RECORDING RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN PERSONS, FAMILIES, AND CORPORATE BODIES		
Relationship designator		n/a
Source consulted		n/a
Cataloguer's note		n/a
RELATED PERSONS		
Related person	5.3.1 / 5.3.2 / 5.3.3	relationships between persons / relationships between persons and families / relationships between persons and corporate bodies
Explanation of relationship		n/a
RELATED FAMILIES		
Related family	5.3.2 / 5.3.4 / 5.3.5	relationships between persons and families / relationships between families / relationships between families and corporate bodies
Explanation of relationship		n/a
RELATED CORPORATE BODIES		
Related corporate body	5.3.3 / 5.3.5 / 5.3.6	relationships between persons and corporate bodies / relationships between families and corporate bodies / relationships between corporate bodies
Explanation of relationship		n/a
RECORDING RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN CONCEPTS, OBJECTS, EVENTS, AND PLACES		
Relationship designator		n/a
Source consulted		n/a
Cataloguer's note		n/a
RELATED CONCEPTS		
Related concept	concept	n/a
Explanation of relationship		n/a
RELATED OBJECTS		
Related object	object	n/a
Explanation of relationship		n/a
RELATED EVENTS		
Related event	event	n/a
Explanation of relationship		n/a
RELATED PLACES		
Related place	place	n/a
Explanation of relationship		n/a