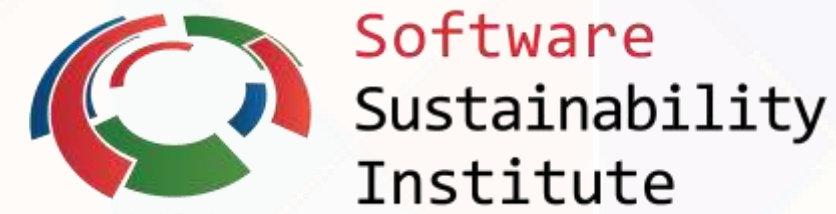


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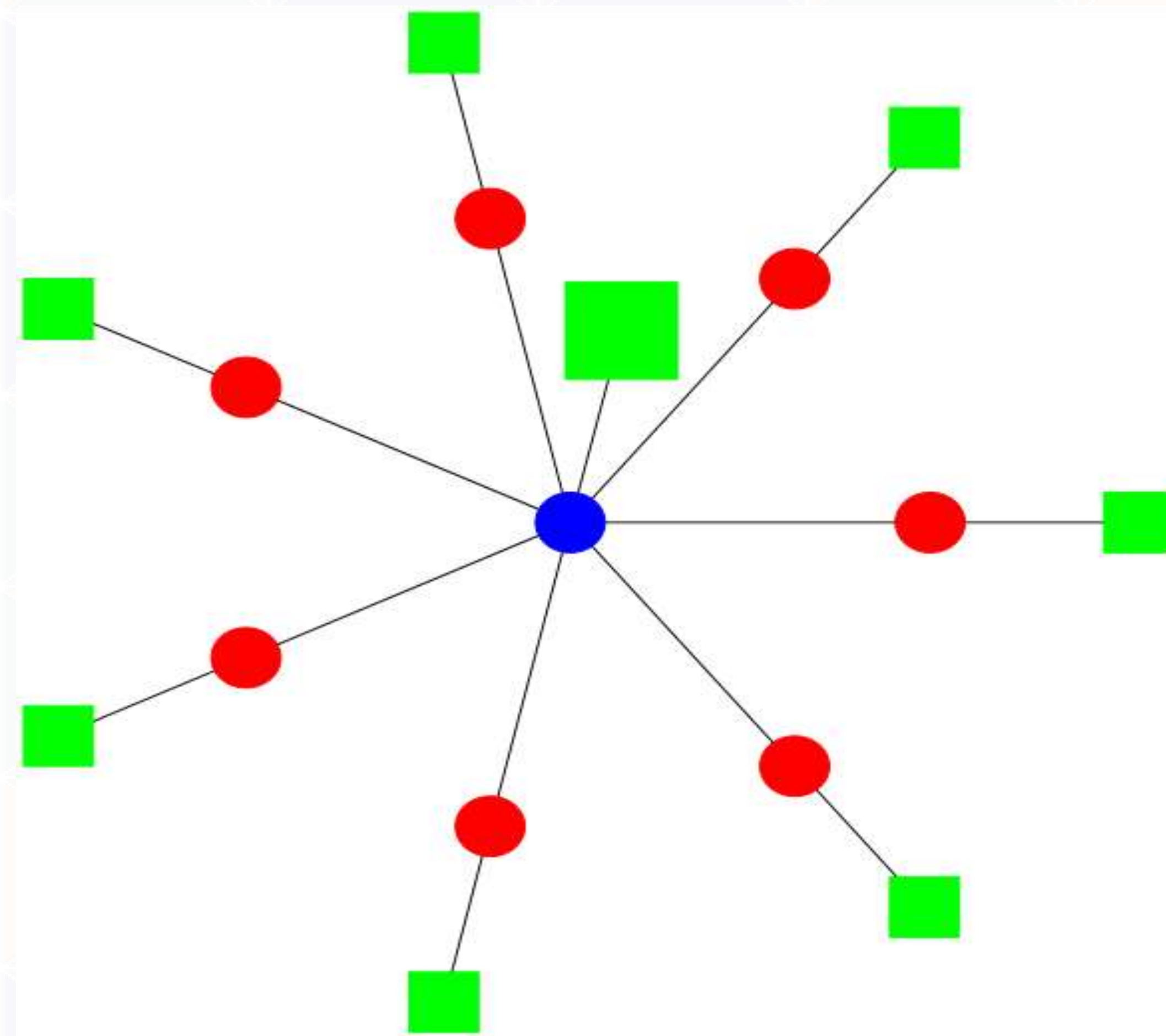
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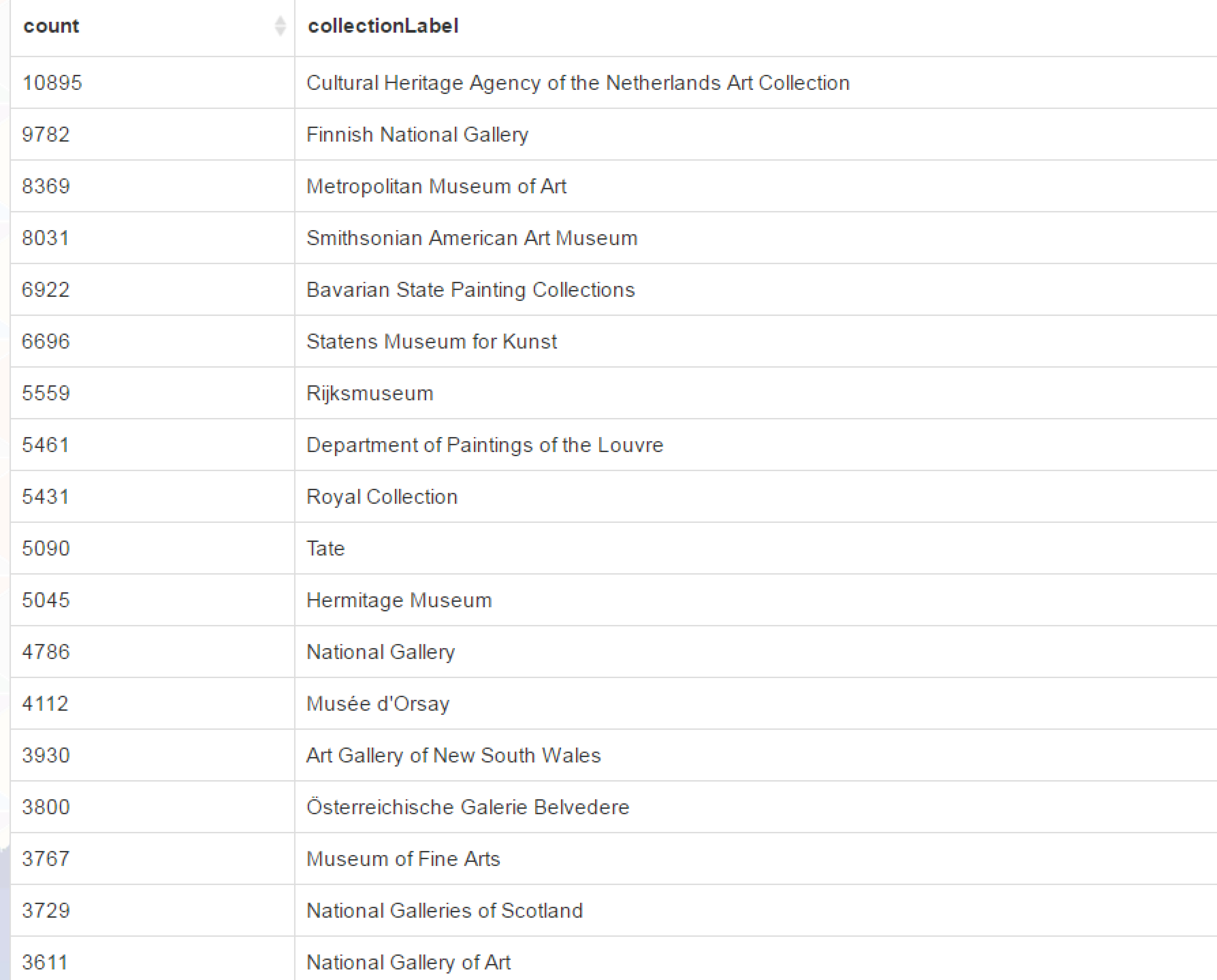
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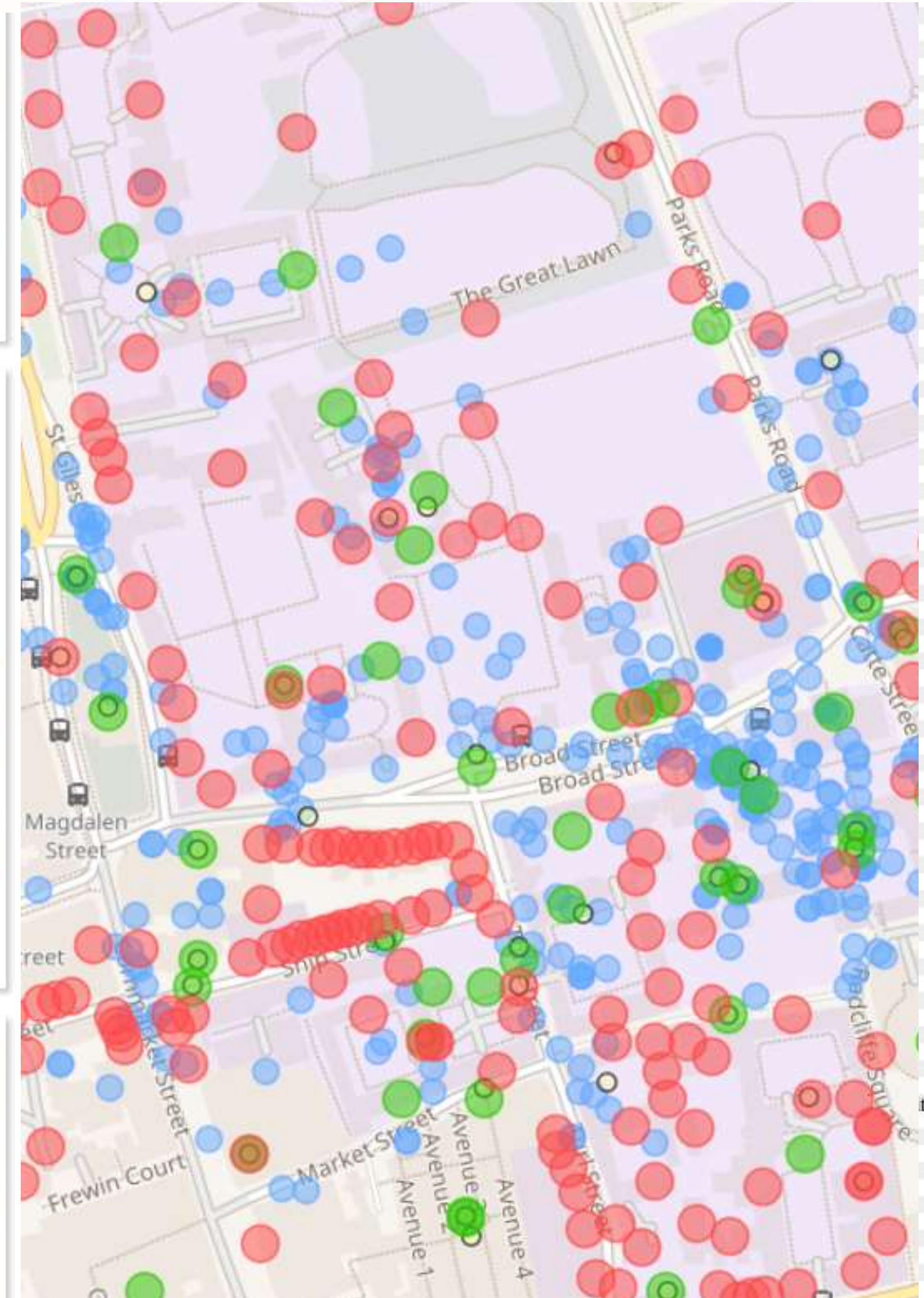
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- Inactivation of Zika virus in plasma with amotosalen
- First detection of autochthonous Zika virus transmission in the Americas
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- Zika fever imported from Thailand to Japan, and the first case in the Americas
- Zika virus outbreak prompts US to issue travel advisory
- Jamaica advises women to avoid pregnancy as Zika virus spreads
- Interim Guidelines for Pregnant Women During a Zika Virus Outbreak
- Sixty seconds on Zika virus
- ZIKA virus circulates in new regions
- One-step RT-PCR for detection of Zika virus
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- Zika Virus in the Americas — Yet Another Arbovirus
- Zika virus: a previously slow pandemic spreads rapidly
- Rapid spread of emerging Zika virus in the Pacific area
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- Genetic and serologic properties of Zika virus associated with an epidemic, Yap State, Federated States of Micronesia
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- Zika virus outbreaks prompt warnings to pregnant women
- Etymologia: Zika Virus
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- Genetic characterization of Zika virus strains: geographic expansion



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## People

- Birth date/ location
- Death date/ location
- Gender
- Award received
- Given names/ family name

## Publications

- Date of (first) publication
- Main topic
- Original language
- Genre

## Events

- Start and end date
- Location

## Organisations

- Headquarters location
- Inception date

# Some relationships in Wikidata

## People and publications:

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- Described in source

## Relations between people:

- Family relations
- Influence

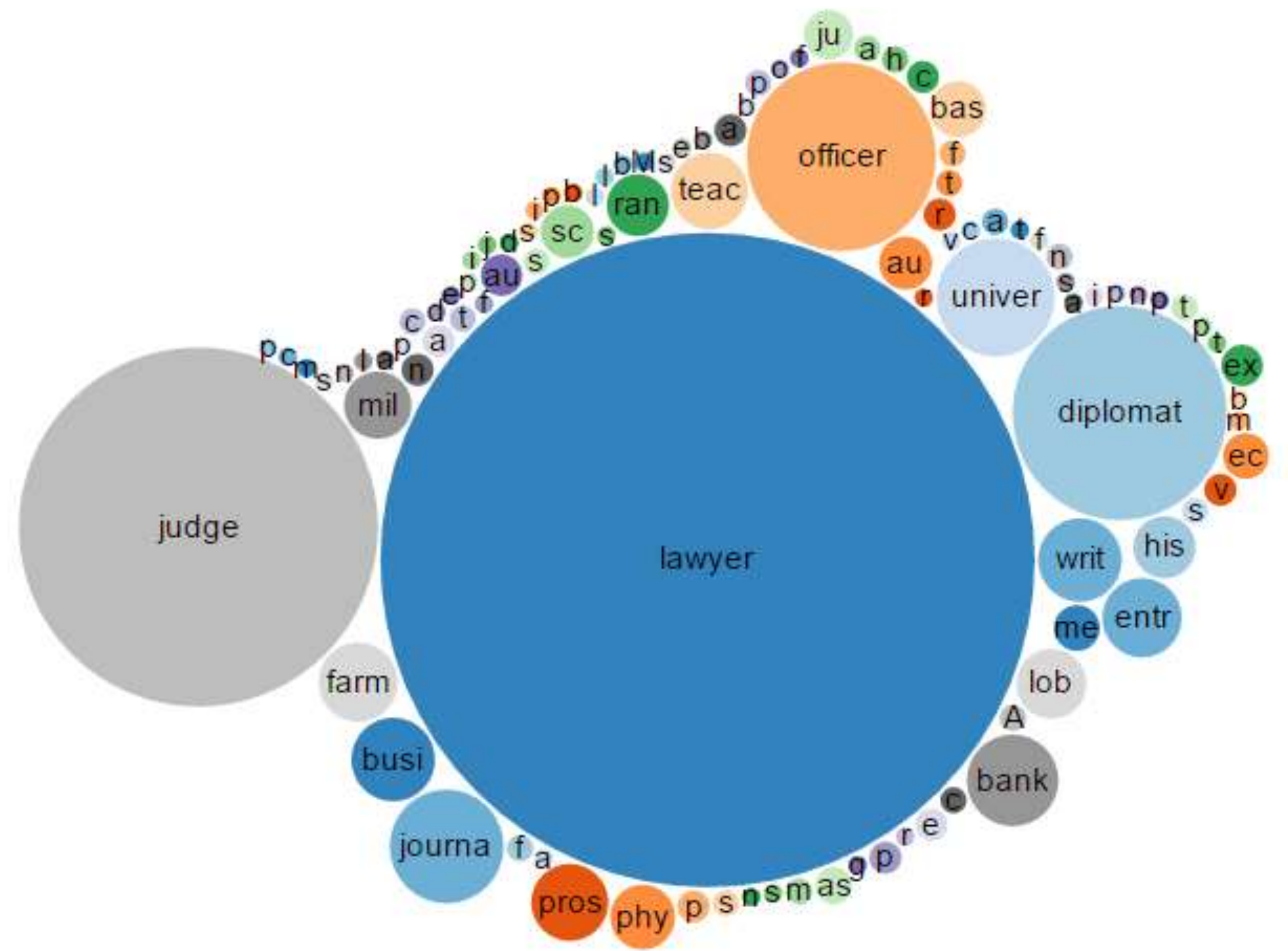
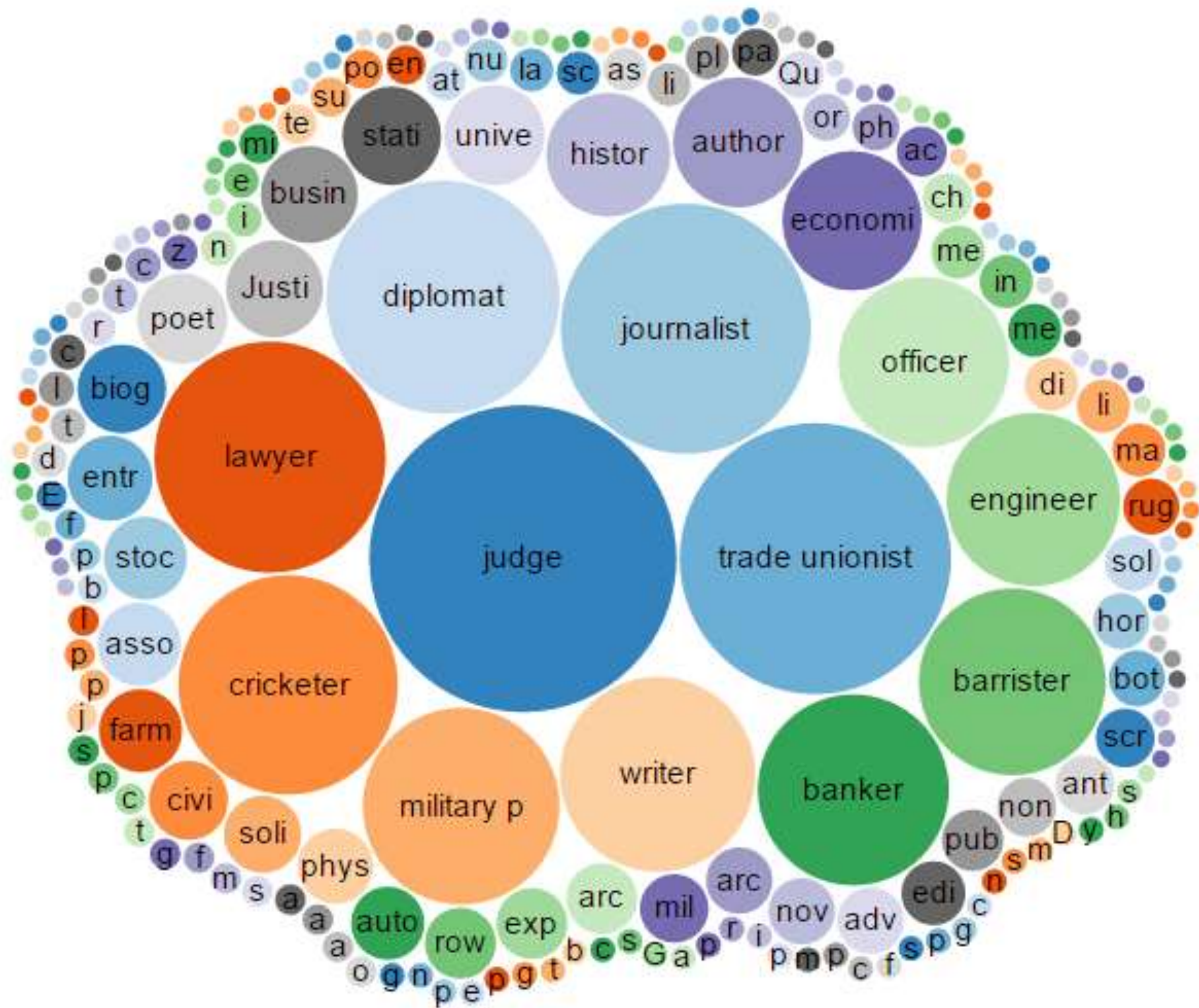
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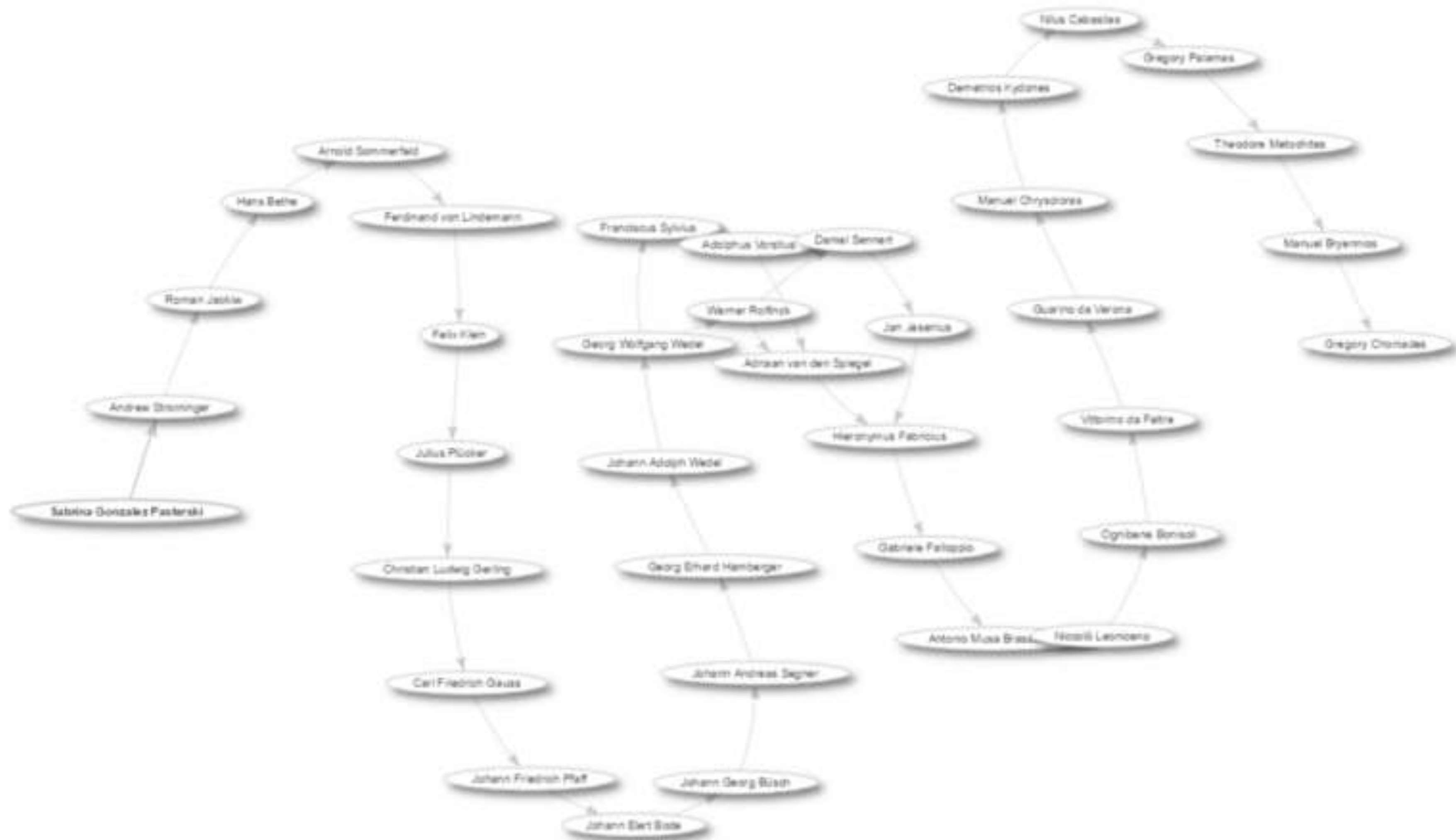


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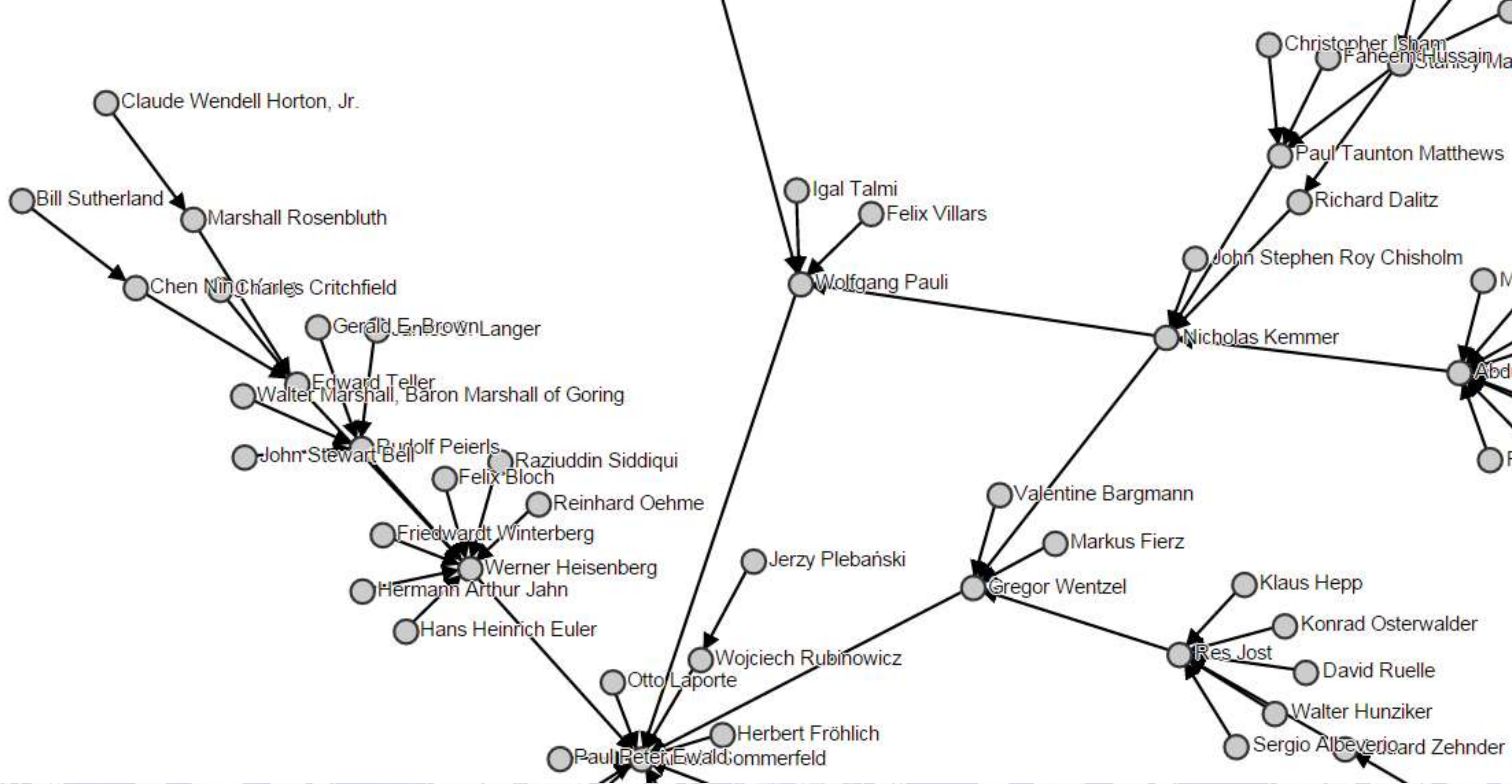
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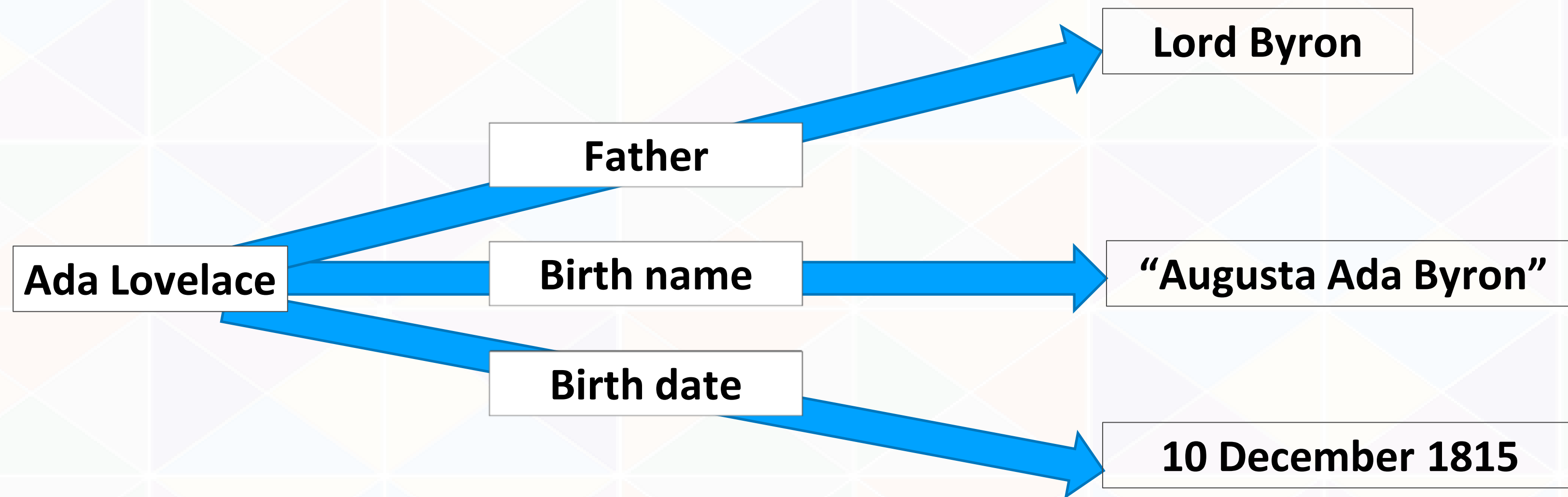
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# Knowledge representation in Wikidata





# Data structures in Wikidata



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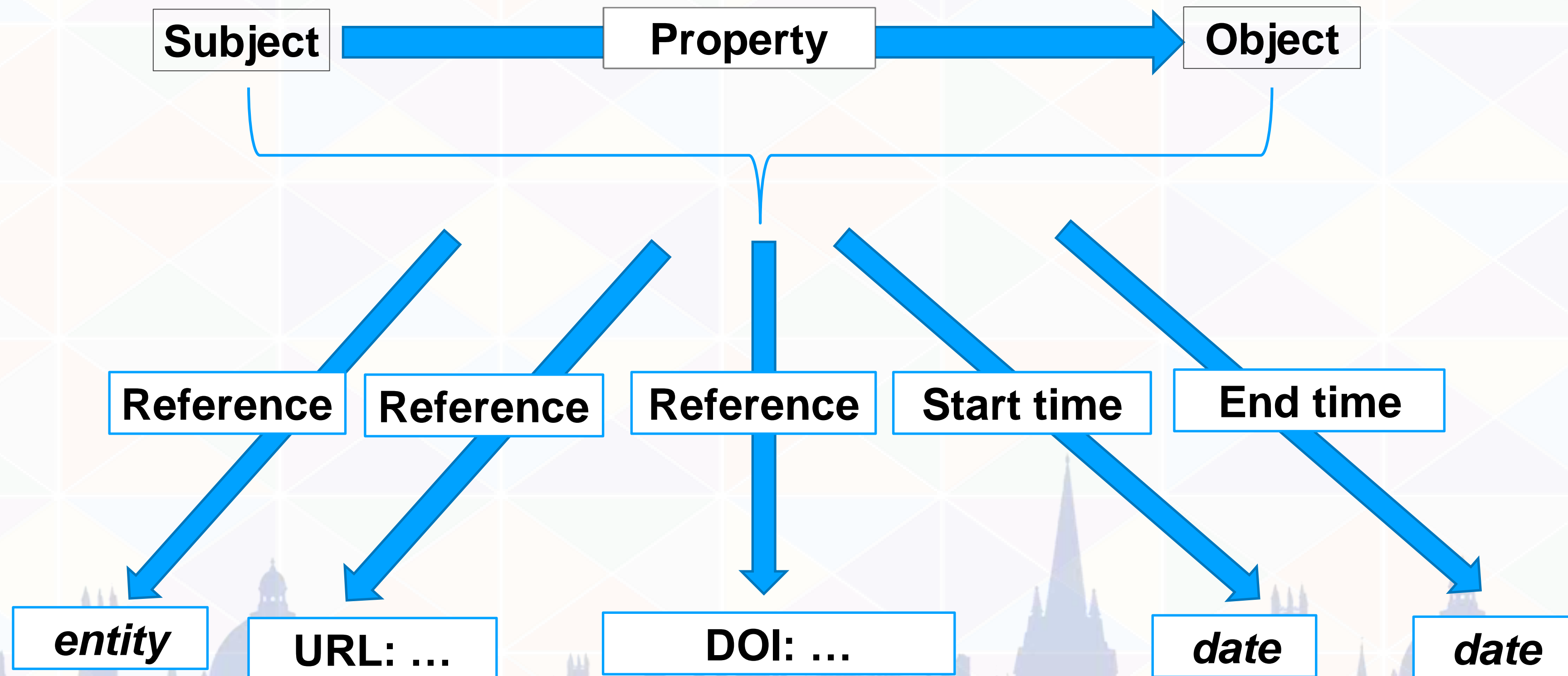
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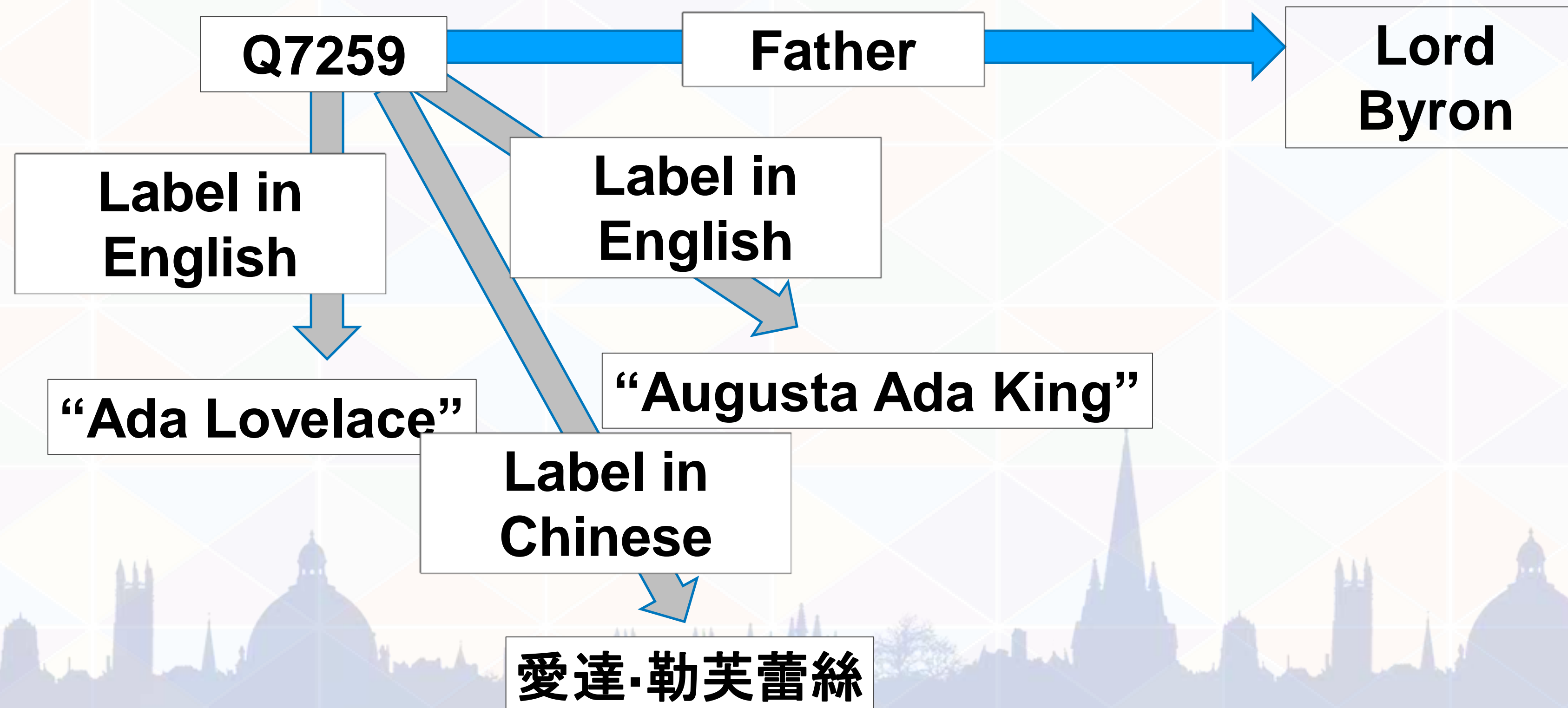


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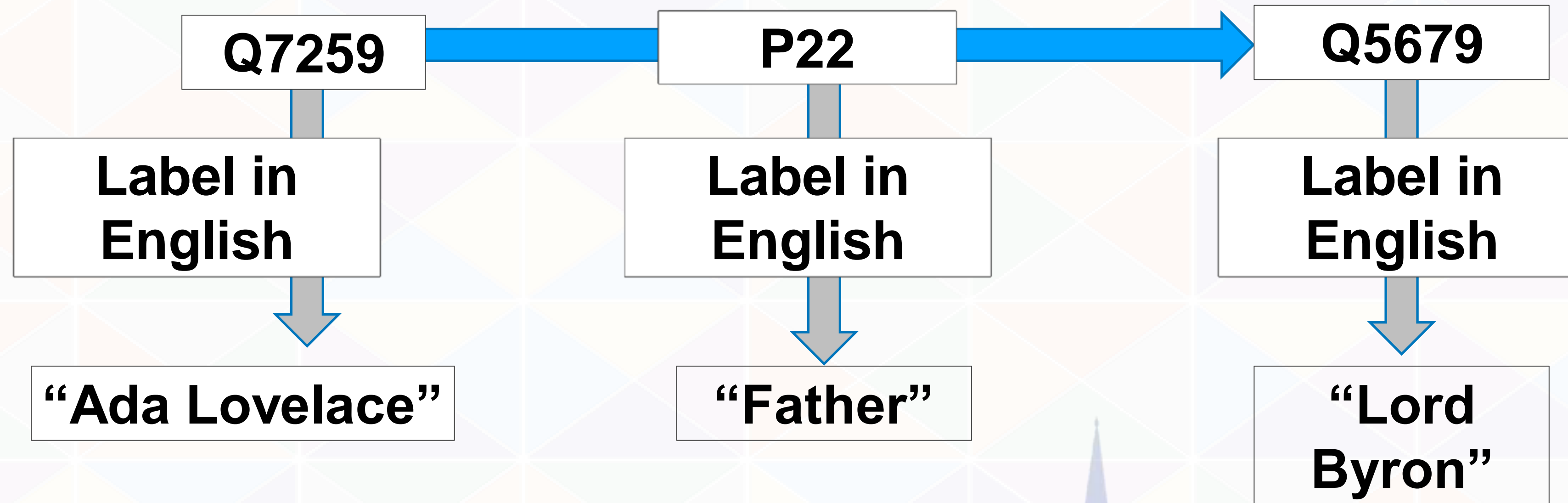


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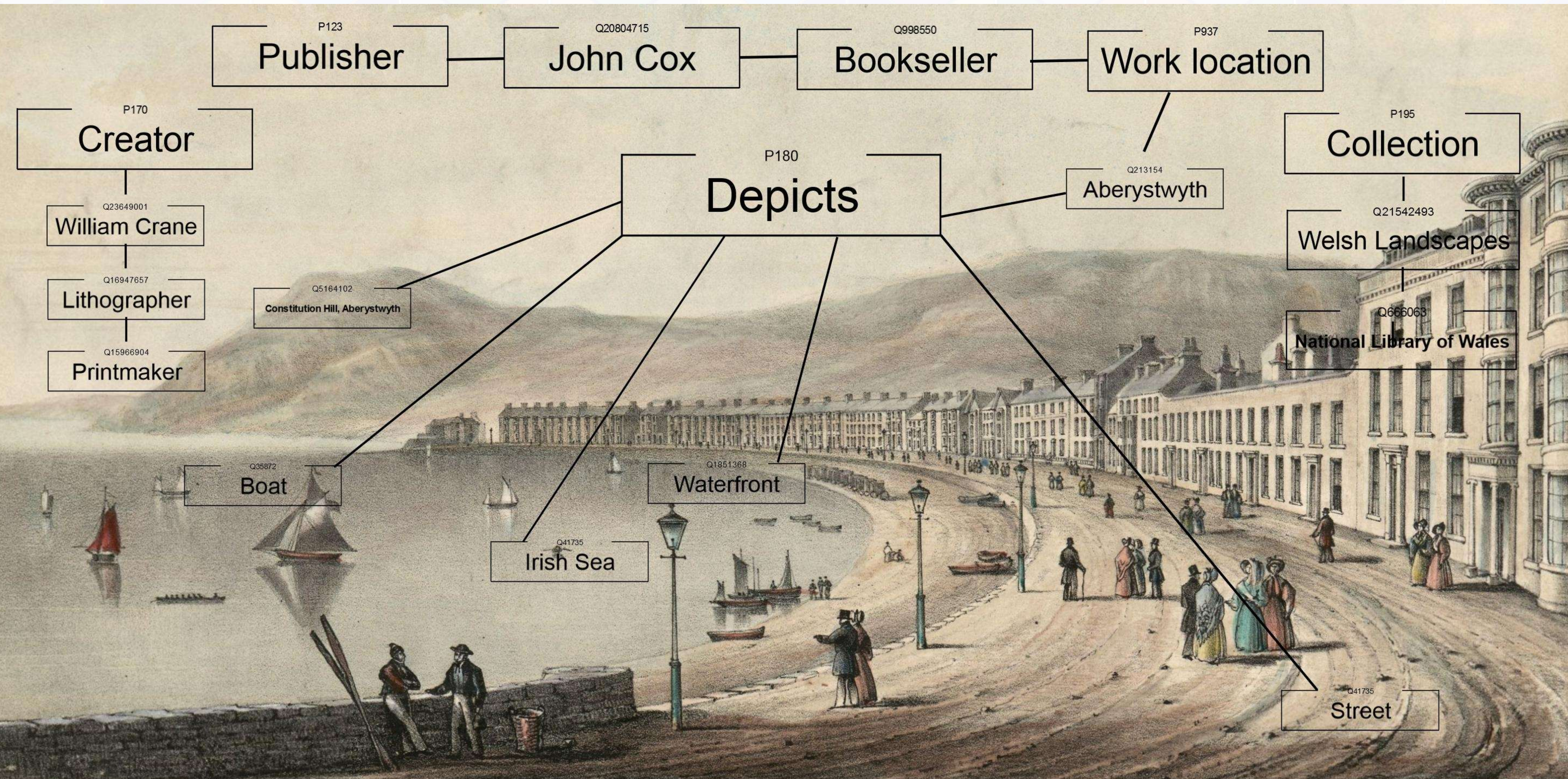


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