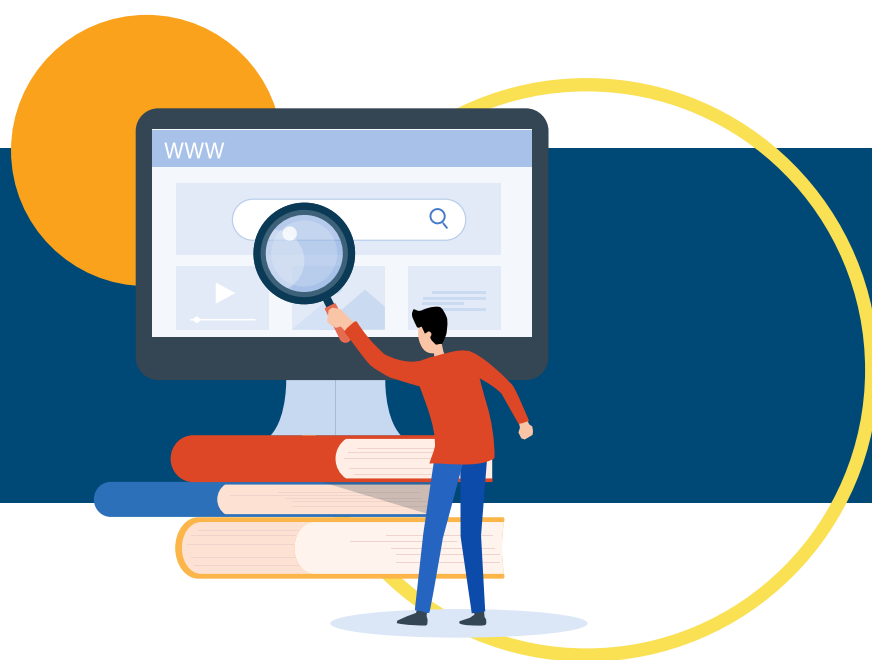


3 WAYS

BIBFRAME can bring big advantages to your library



Anyone who works in the library industry knows that changing the library cataloging standards that have been in place for 50 years won't be easy. But there are plenty of reasons why the transformation of Marc to BIBFRAME will bring big advantages to libraries.

1

BIBFRAME MAKES LIBRARY DATA INTERNET READABLE



BIBFRAME uses data standards and programming languages like Extensible Markup Language (XML), Resource Description Framework (RDF) and universal resource identifiers (URIs) to make library data compatible with the Semantic Web. This means users can find library data in their internet searches.

2

BIBFRAME MAKES IT EASIER TO CREATE CONTEXT

BIBFRAME treats authorities as objects with resources, concepts and people linked to them both inside and outside the library collection. Users can then make new useful connections between resources.



3

BIBFRAME COULD MAKE IT EASIER TO CATALOG COMPLEX RESOURCES



BIBFRAME's framework creates a distinct separation between the physical properties of a resource and its intellectual contents, giving catalogers more autonomy in how they choose to describe more complex resource types.

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