Building a Metadata Portfolio for CESSDA

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• The CESSDA Metadata Management project (CMM)

• The Importance of the CESSDA Metadata Portfolio
CMM Project

- Objective: to develop, promote and implement a standardised metadata design, content and practice for all CESSDA data assets.

- CESSDA Work Plan 2015 Project

- Project period: November 2015 – April 2017
  - 27.5 PMs
The CESSDA Portfolio v1 will...

- Incorporate work from previous projects (PPP, DwB, DASISH etc.)
- Cover study-level and variable/question-level metadata
- Be extensible
- Support multilinguality
- Support resource discovery
- Use and include controlled vocabularies
- Enable Service Providers to retain independence yet interact with an integrated CESSDA service
- Be based on standards
- Be compliant with DDI
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- Good common metadata model and unified use of it are essential for building services like the Product and Service Catalogue and Euro Question Bank
- The Portfolio solves common challenges > lower costs for CESSDA’s Service Providers
- The Portfolio can solidify CESSDA’s leading role in the field of digital research data
- Standards-based solution enables cooperation with other research infrastructures
- Enhanced services for the research community
Thank you!

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