HuC implementation: AnnoRepo

https://github.com/knaw-huc/annorepo

• Functional scope

- W3C Web Annotation protocol: full implementation
- CRUD for Annotation Containers
- Annotation search: globally or per container
- Find annotations with overlapping targets (currently only for text targets)
- Authentication and authorization
- Batch upload
- Read-only API access
- URLs for custom queries: dynamically add annotations to manifests/canvases
- Python and Java clients libraries
- Used in all projects mentioned

Pilot (starting): store and share ATM annotations

- ATM: Amsterdam Time Machine
- Pilot: apply and test our Annotation Infrastructure by/for NDE
 - Netwerk Digitaal Erfgoed Network Digital Heritage
- Use case: collect diverse information *about* 'things from Amsterdam' from diverse sources, as sets of annotations
 - Georeferencing annotations on Amsterdam maps
 - Text recognition on scans
 - Image classifications using some thesaurus
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- Work on standardisation for comparability, searchability
- Collect and show annotations per object, from different contributors
- Work on 'groupware', authentication and authorization
- Work on usability

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