

AI4CRIS Working Group - Second Online Meeting

24th April 2025

Artificial intelligence for Research Information Systems

“any [natural] intelligence that performs an activity that can be improved by being performed by another [artificial] intelligence, will eventually be replaced by the latter”.

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- **Welcome & Introduction**
- **Presentations**
- **Discussion**
- **Conclusions & Next Steps**

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AI4CRIS Working Group – Objectives

- Explore AI applications that enhance data management and streamline workflows in CRIS
- Identify key use cases for AI integration in research information systems
- Address challenges institutions face when implementing AI technologies
- Foster discussion around best practices and ethical considerations

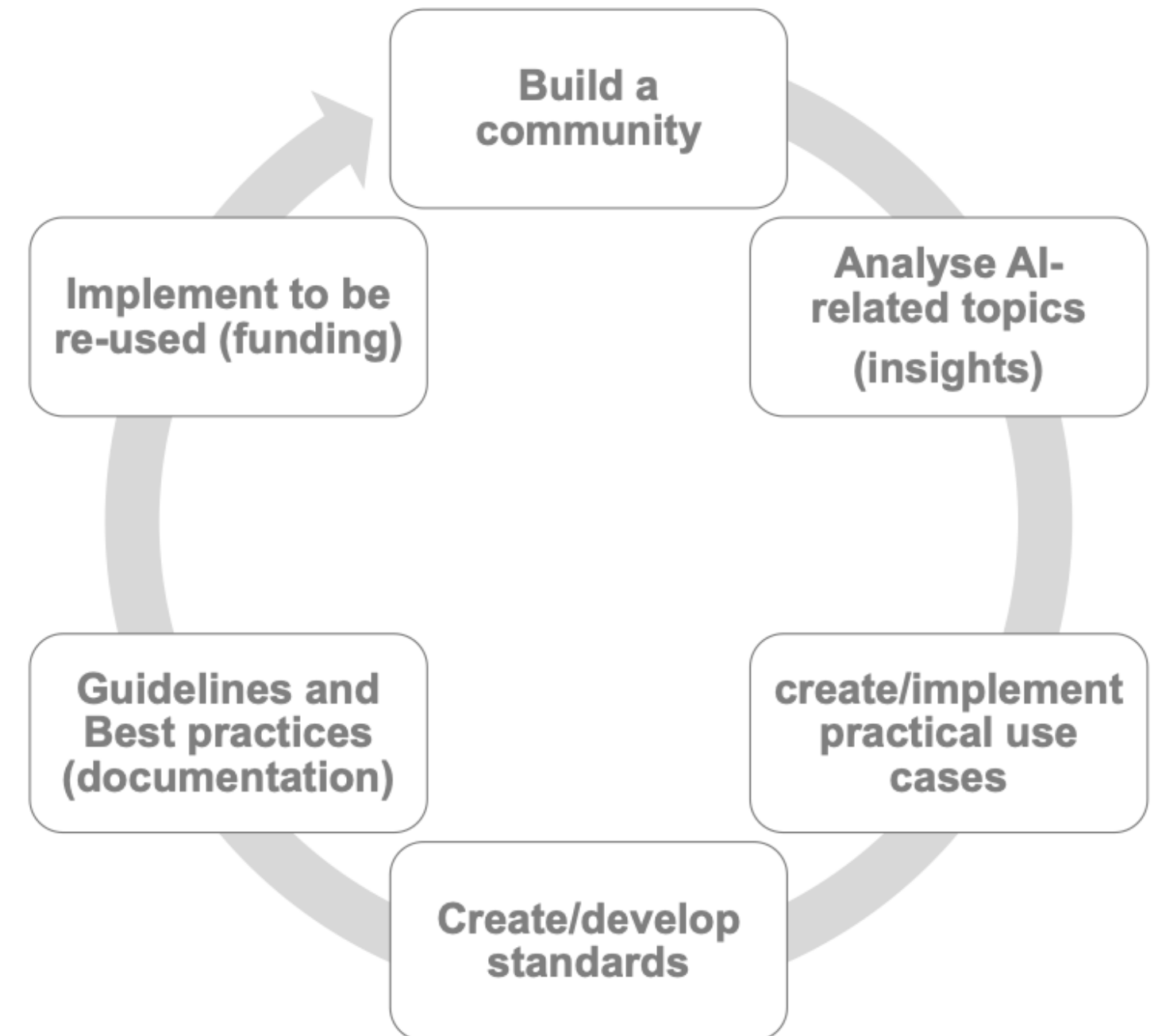
1st AI4CRIS Working Group Online Meeting (22 Oct 2024)

- 18 Participants
- Presentation of the Group
- Presentation of the survey results
- **Discussion about the main needs for the group and the community**

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Ideas from the participants:

- **Engagement:** Share ideas and best practices as a community.
- **Use Cases:** Improve data quality with narrative CVs and classification.
- **Resources:** Promote cost-effective, open-source AI solutions.
- **Trust:** Advocate for explainable AI.
- **Standards:** Set standards for implementations, ethics and security to ensure reproducibility and manage system load.
- **Expertise:** Share specific experiences.
- **Collaboration:** Support practical implementation through teamwork.



2nd AI4CRIS Working Group Online Meeting (24 April 2025)

2 Presentations:

“AI for Duplicate Record Detection in Current Research Information System”

Joachim Dornbusch, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, France

“Smarter Research: Integrating AI into CRIS Systems”

Joachim Schöpfel, GERiiCO Laboratory, University of Lille, Villeneuve-d’Ascq, France

Otmane Azeroual, German Centre for Higher Education Research and Science Studies, Berlin, Germany

AI4CRIS Working Group – Conclusions

- AI4CRIS → AI4RIS (inclusivity for more general research information systems)
- Next steps
 - Creation of the mailing list with all members
 - Session at the May 13-15 euroCRIS Membership Meeting at Leuven, Belgium
 - Next group online meeting after summer 2025

Please reach out with suggestions/comments/proposals/partnerships!

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