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Terminology

Concept : General term for describing a documentation entity.

Dialect : A particular form of the documentation language that is specific to a community.

Recommendation: A set of concepts that a group believes is required for achieving a documentation goal.

Spiral: A set of concepts required to support a particular documentation need or use case.

Collection: A group of metadata records, commonly organized by data center, organization or project and often stored in a database or web accessible folder.

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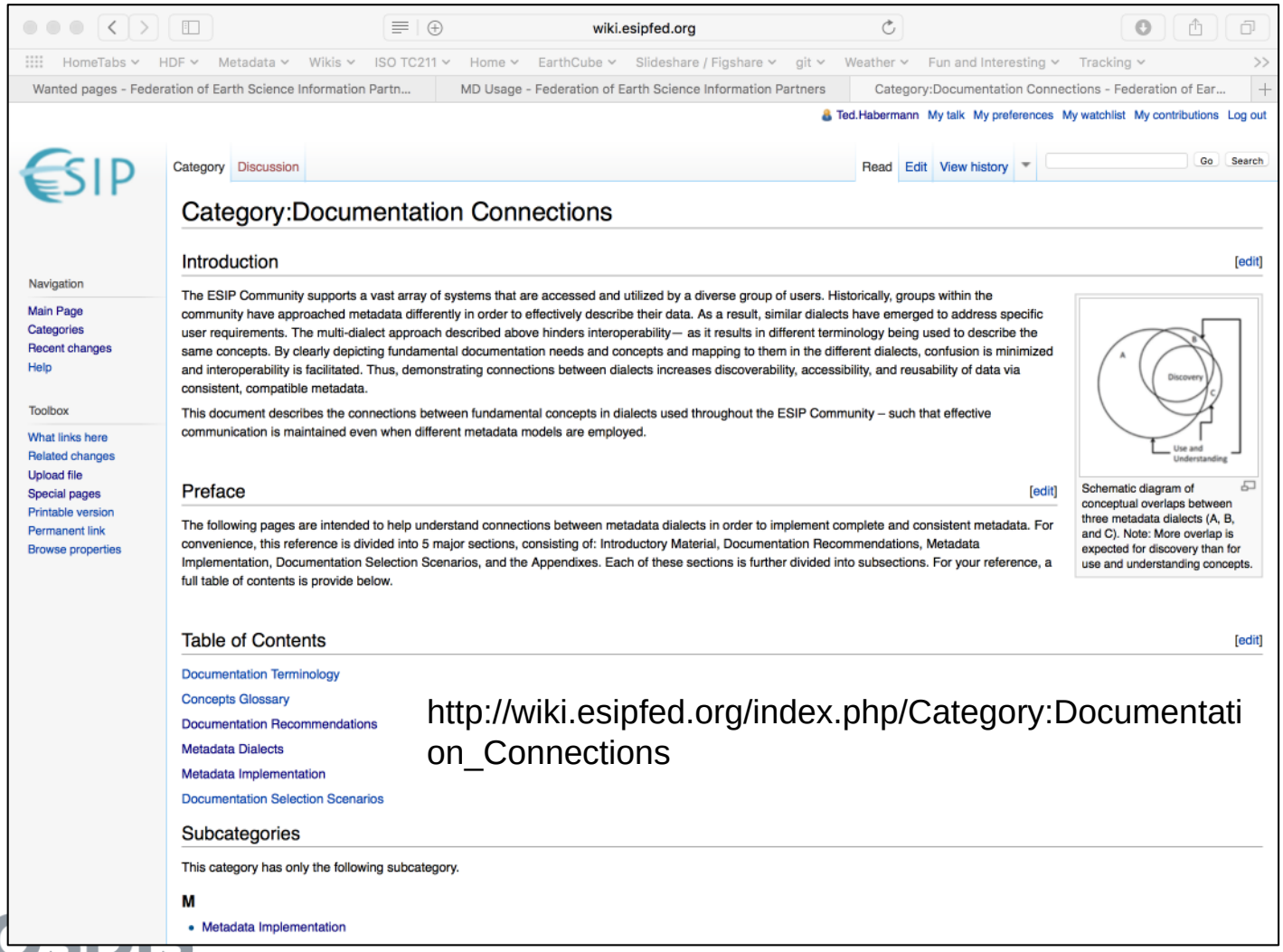

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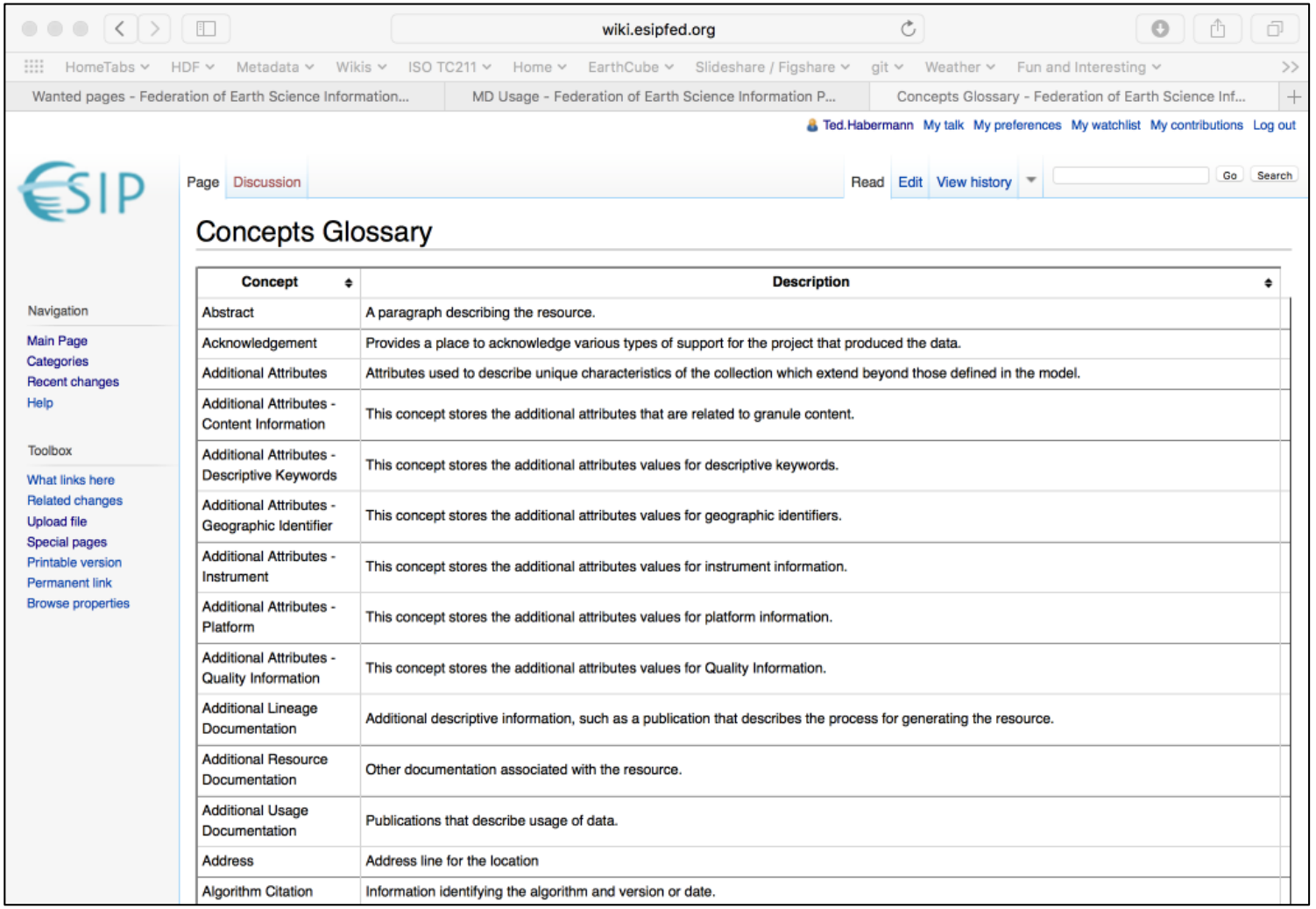
Concept Glossary



Concepts Glossary

Concept	Description
Abstract	A paragraph describing the resource.
Acknowledgement	Provides a place to acknowledge various types of support for the project that produced the data.
Additional Attributes	Attributes used to describe unique characteristics of the collection which extend beyond those defined in the model.
Additional Attributes - Content Information	This concept stores the additional attributes that are related to granule content.
Additional Attributes - Descriptive Keywords	This concept stores the additional attributes values for descriptive keywords.
Additional Attributes - Geographic Identifier	This concept stores the additional attributes values for geographic identifiers.
Additional Attributes - Instrument	This concept stores the additional attributes values for instrument information.
Additional Attributes - Platform	This concept stores the additional attributes values for platform information.
Additional Attributes - Quality Information	This concept stores the additional attributes values for Quality Information.
Additional Lineage Documentation	Additional descriptive information, such as a publication that describes the process for generating the resource.
Additional Resource Documentation	Other documentation associated with the resource.
Additional Usage Documentation	Publications that describe usage of data.
Address	Address line for the location
Algorithm Citation	Information identifying the algorithm and version or date.

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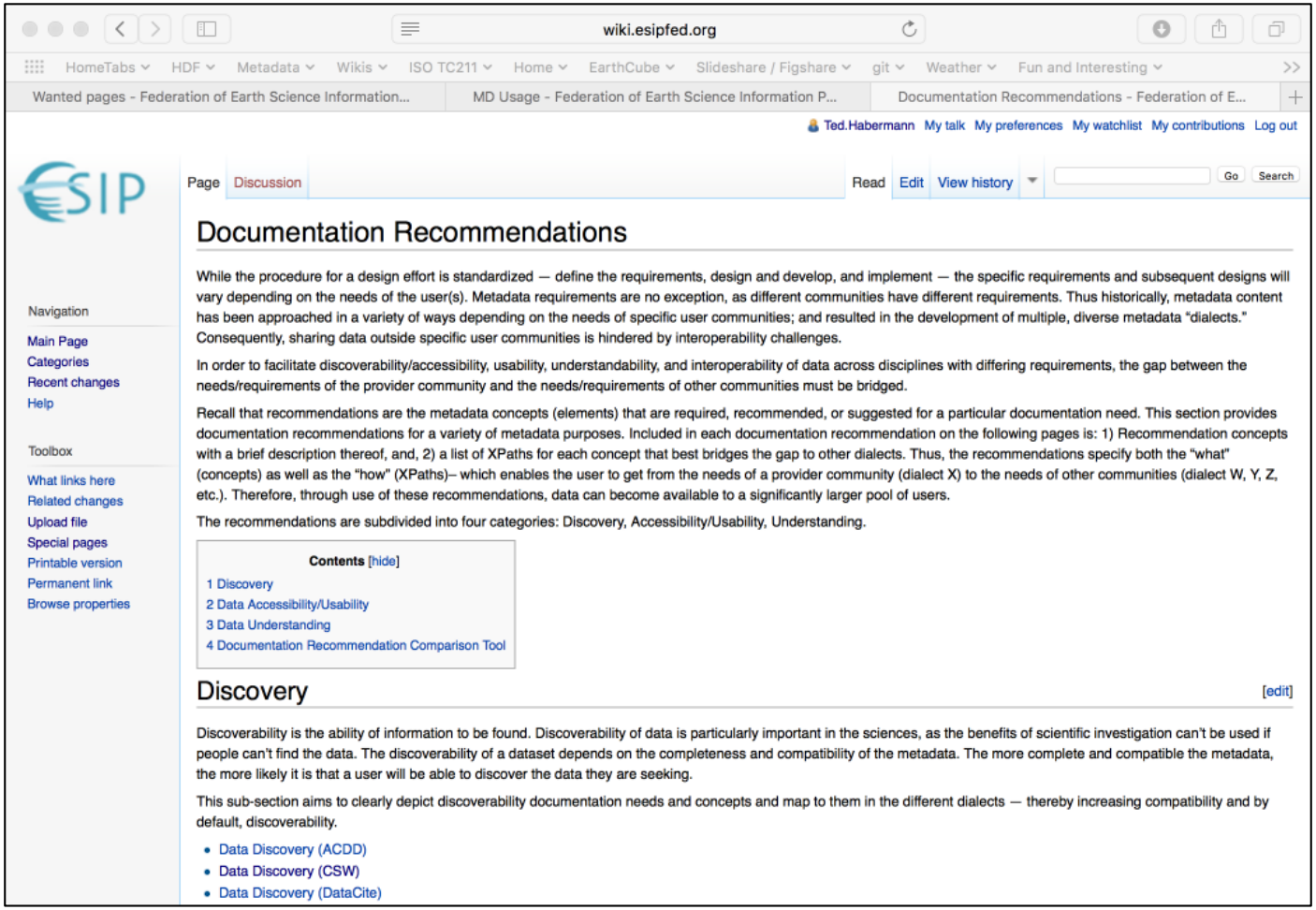
Recommendations



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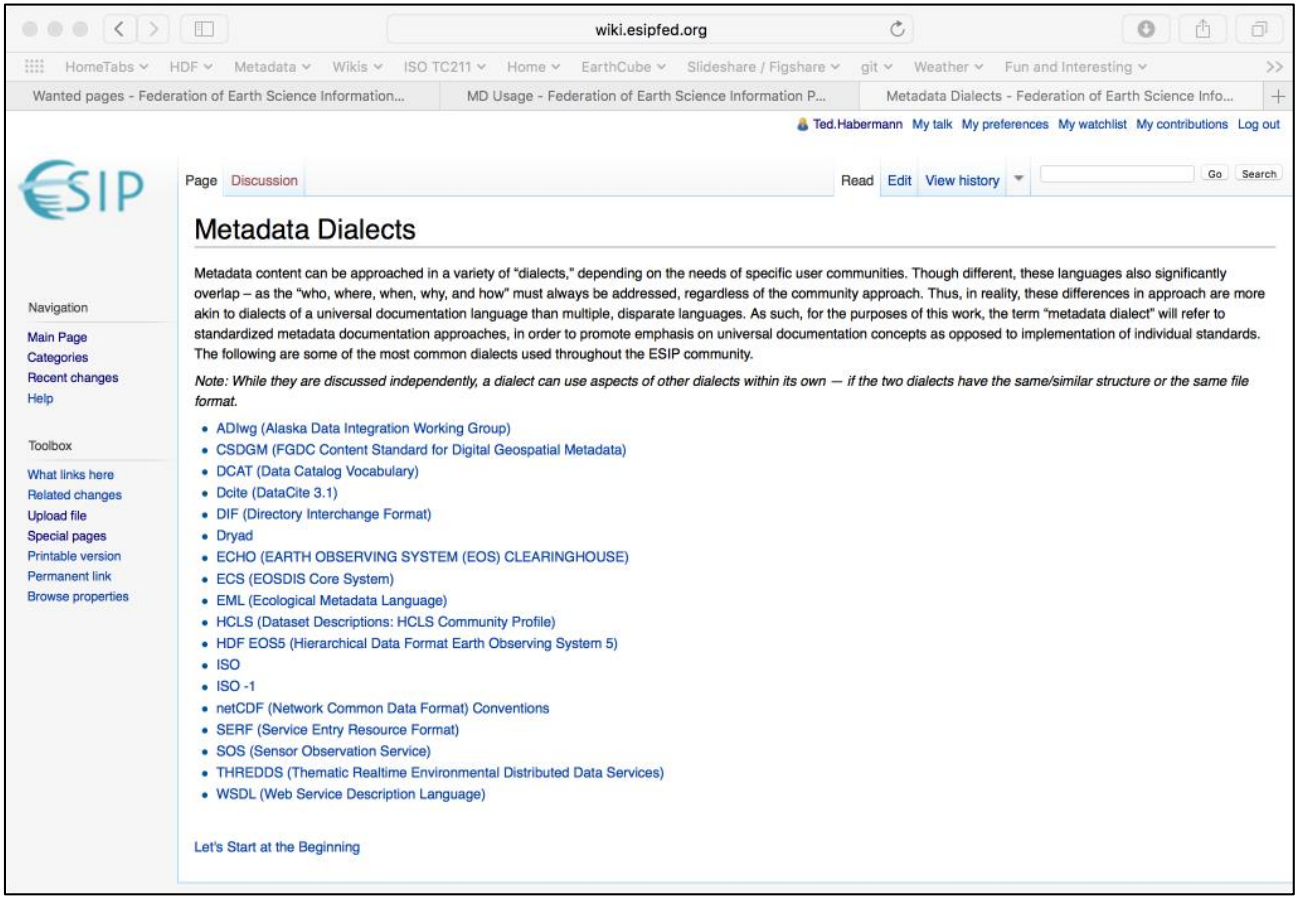

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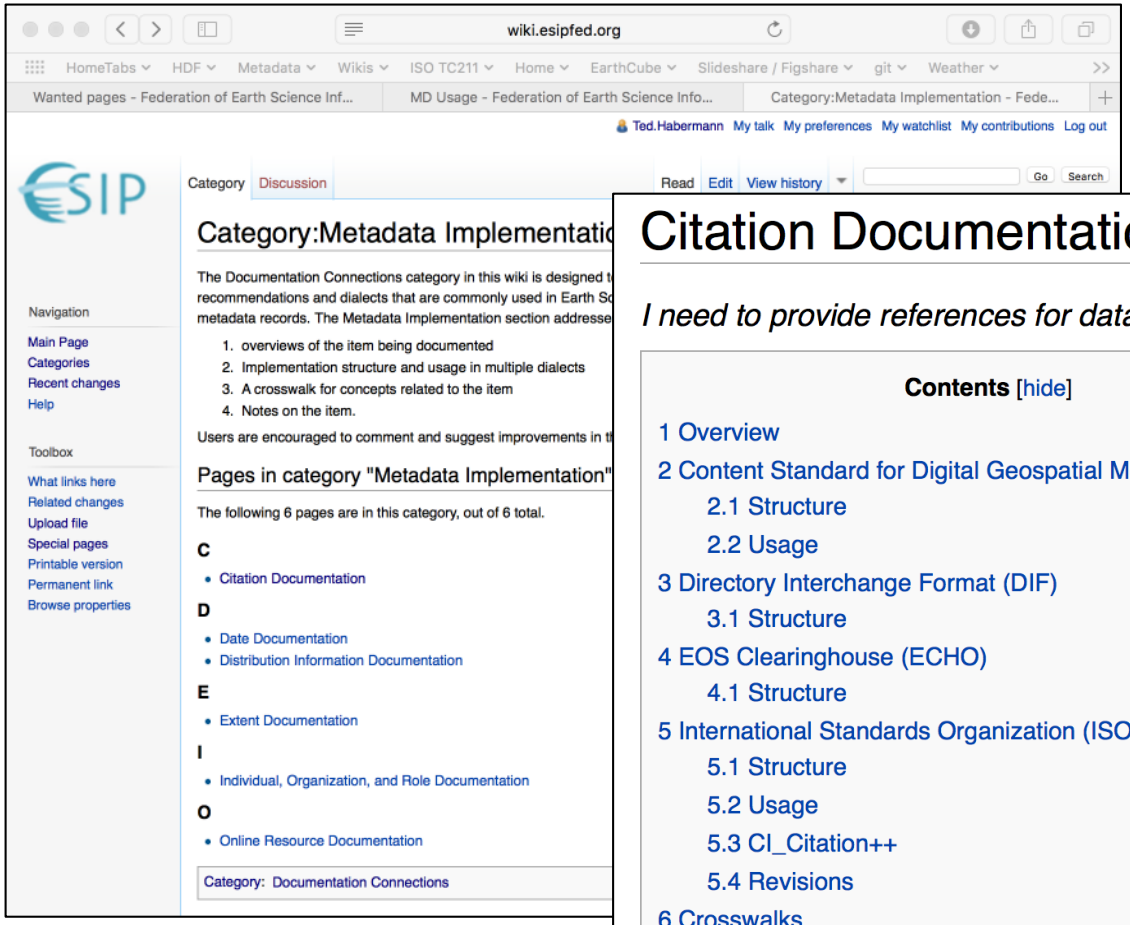

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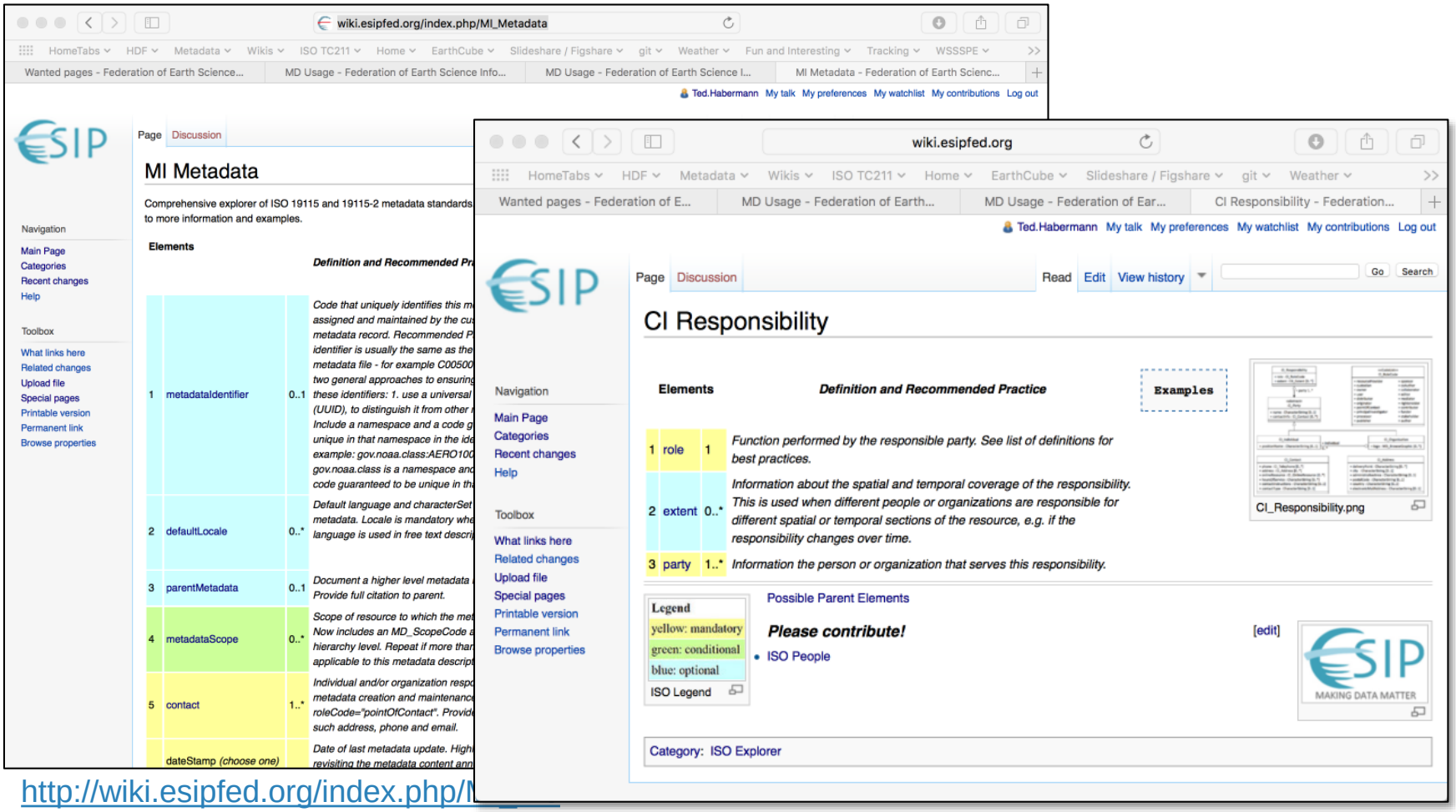

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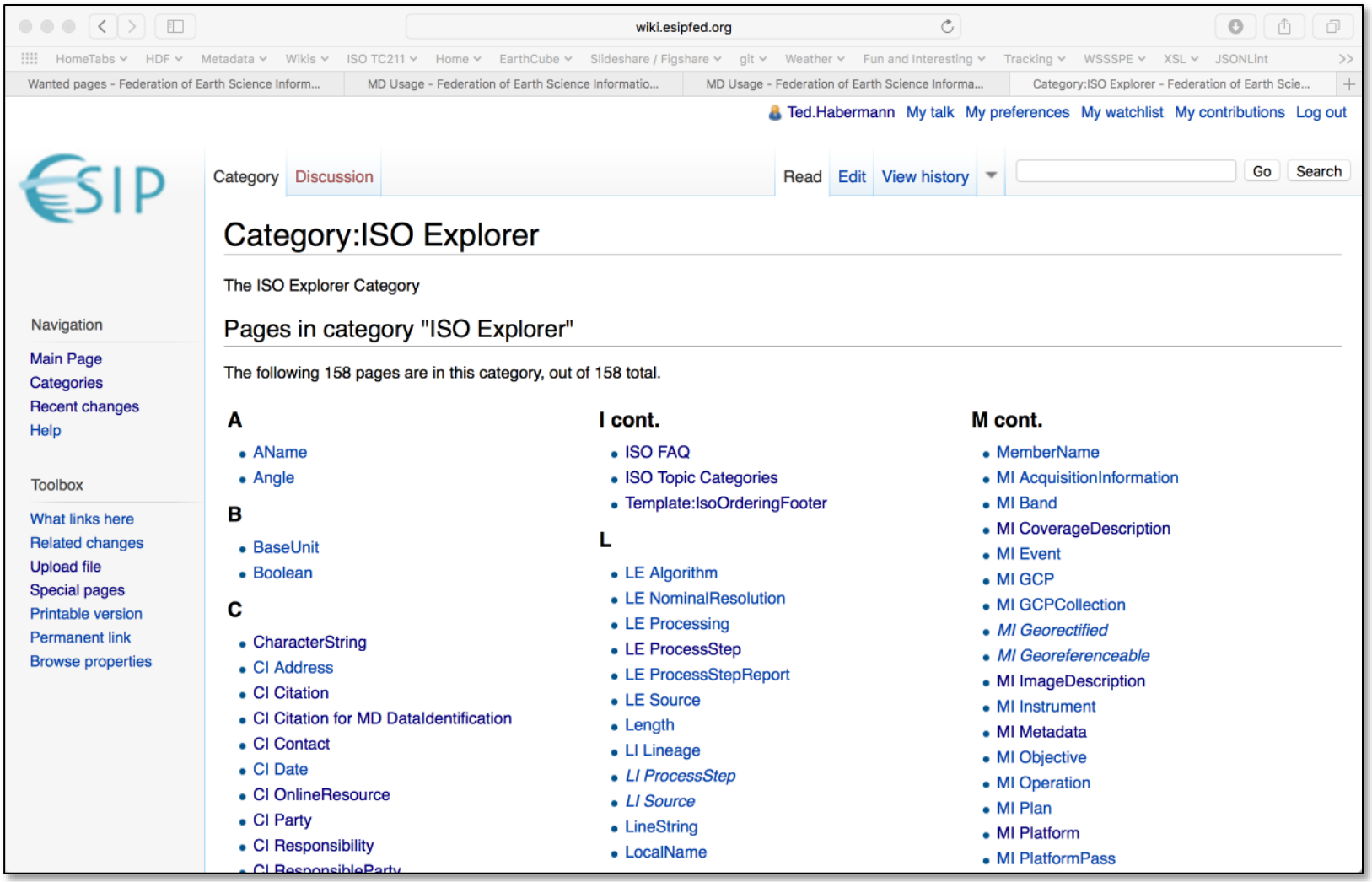

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