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**topi.link** - A graph-based topology  
for vague geographical relations



# Cheers!



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**modelling  
topological relations  
with a degree of connection  
to make automatically  
rule-based conclusions**



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# What?

JavaScript library for modelling and reasoning of vague graph data

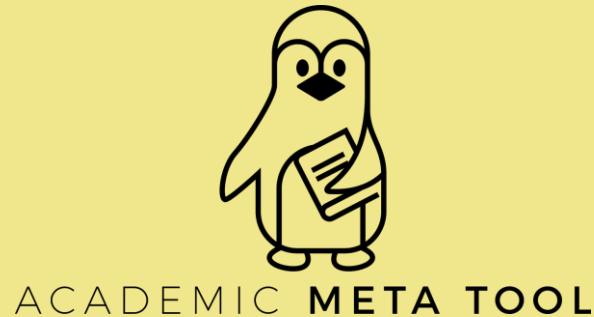
# Who?

Mainz Centre for Digitality in the Humanities  
and Cultural Studies (mainzed)  
Martin Unold, Florian Thiery

# Where?

<http://academic-meta-tool.xyz>

<https://github.com/mainzed/academicmetatool-js>





modelling a trip  
from the North of Sweden  
around Scandinavia  
using topological relations  
and a modelled degree of  
northness to enable reasoning



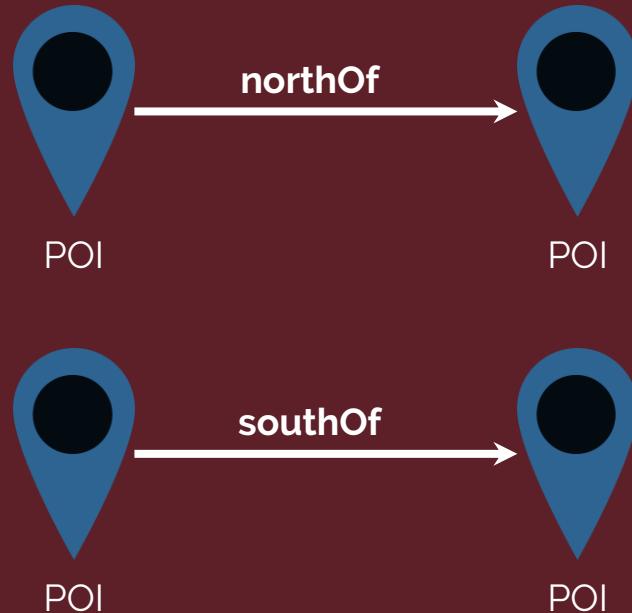
specify  
nodes  
**>>CONCEPTS<<**



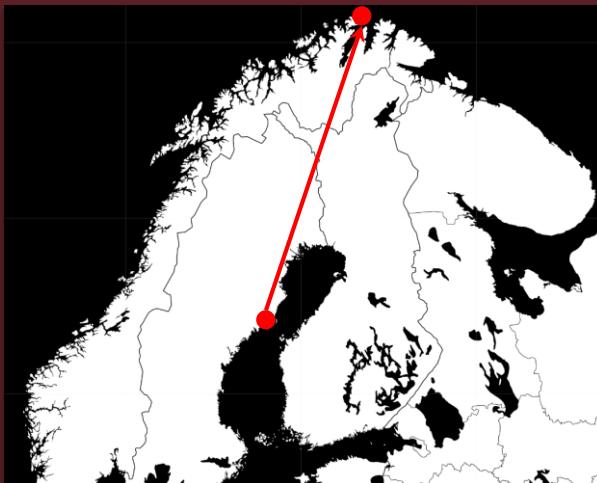
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specify  
edges  
**»ROLES«**



specify  
degree of  
northness  
 $\Rightarrow$  *normalisation*





# specify Role-Chain axioms





# specify Inverse axioms



# *Let us model the Scandinavian trip of Flo and Emil!*





Umeå  
63.8270°N





Lycksele



64.5944°N

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P O L C I R K  
Napapiiri  
Arctic Circle  
Cercle Polaire  
Polarkreis



Arctic Circle

66.34°N



# Arctic Circle

66.34°N







# Rognan



67.0972°N

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Rognan  
67.0972°N





# Lofoten



68,3331°N





# Lofoten

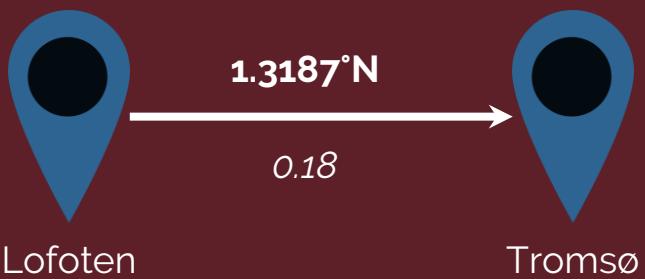
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# Lofoten



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# Tromsø

69,6518°N





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# North Cape

71,1725°N





North Cape  
71,1725°N





Inari   
68,9056°N

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Inari

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# Inari



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# Santa Claus



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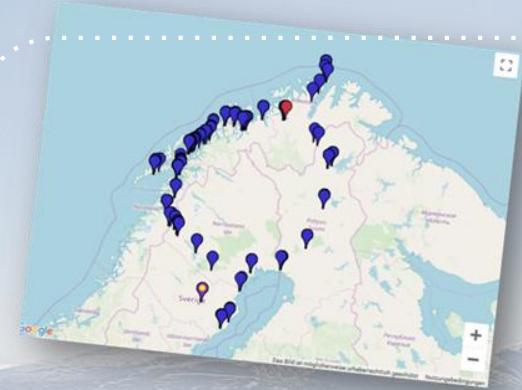




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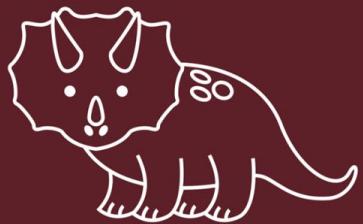




**Thx Anne for  
the great  
experience!**



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**model the trip via topi.link ...**



choose ontology

North-South-Network	Place
Topi-Small-Network	Geografical Feature

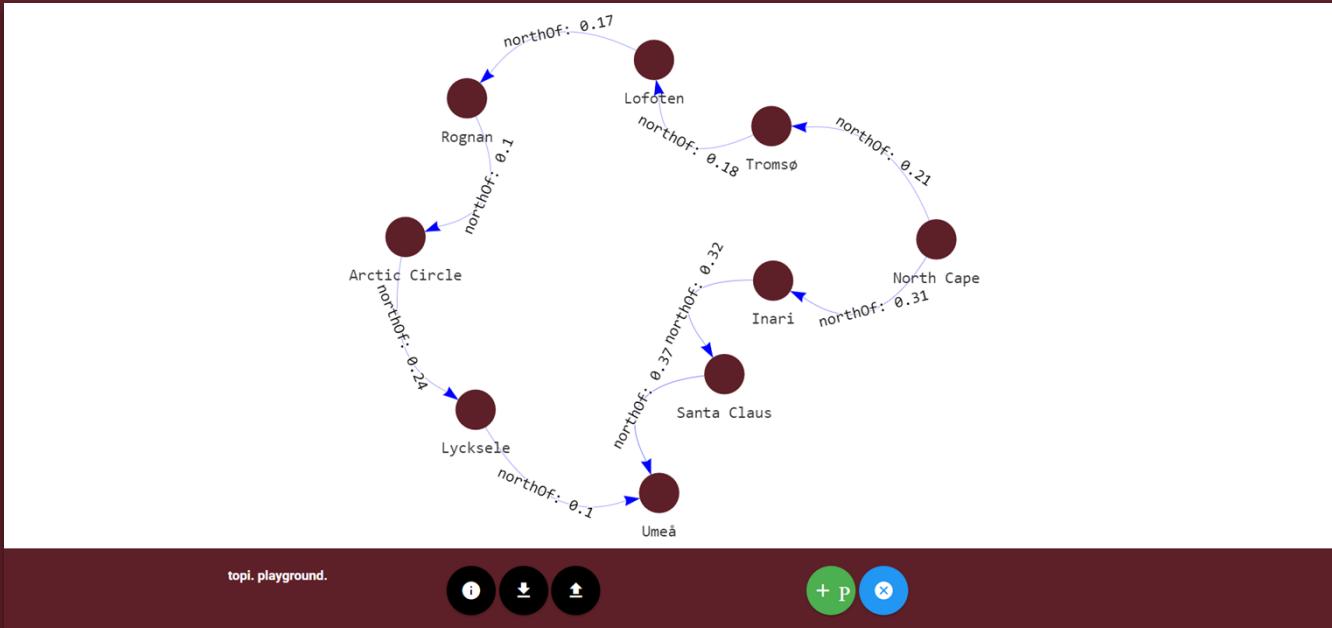
ontology  
North-South-Network

topi. playground.

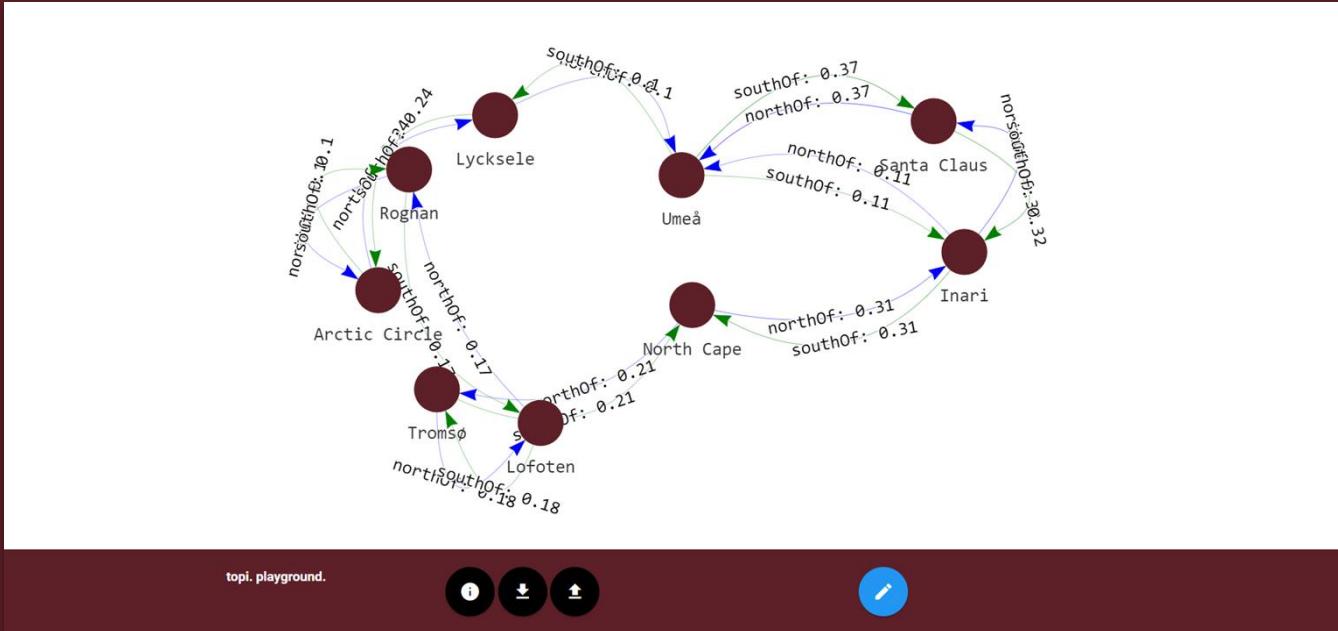
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... using the *North-South Network* ...



... create the trip network ...



... and let us do magic :-)



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<http://topi.link>



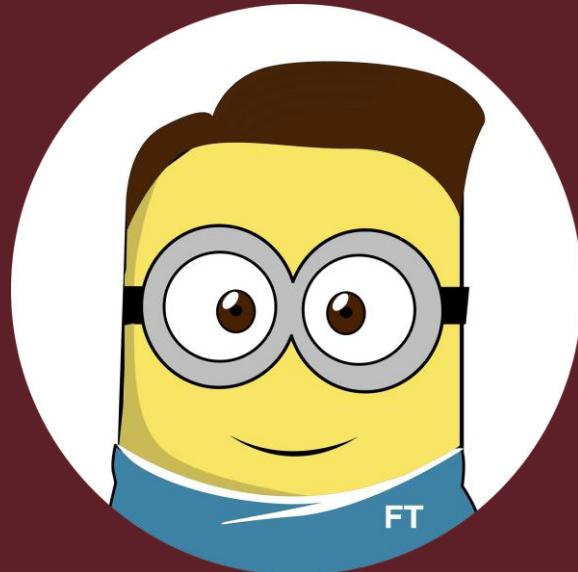
# Thx!

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