

SHORT CV: Egle Butkeviciene

Thematic Area: TA1 -DEFINITIONS

Key areas of Expertise in Digital Heritage:



Citizen science
Social innovations
Civic participation

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