SHORT CV of Jef Malliet:

Thematic Area: 6
Key areas of Expertise in Digital Heritage:
- System architecture for an aggregator of digital heritage
- Local heritage communities and participation
- Cross-domain aggregation
- Crosswalking between data-formats
- Semantic technology

Is engineer-architect by education, and worked for more than 20 years in various projects and functions at ICCROM in Rome (International Centre for the Study of the Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property). From 2005 to 2017 he was employed at the Province of Limburg (Belgium), for the development of the heritage database/aggregator Erfgoedplus.be, an aggregator for digital cultural heritage data in the province, in particular for heritage managed in small collections by local heritage communities. Since January 2018 he is employed by the Department of Culture, Youth and Media of the Flemish Government, when the management of Erfgoedplus.be was transferred from the provincial to the Flemish administration.
In 2017 Erfgoedplus.be won the European Union Prize for Cultural Heritage / Europa Nostra Award.
Erfgoedplus.be participated in several Europeana projects: EuropeanaLocal (2008-2011), Europeana Awareness (2012-2014), Europeana Inside and LoCloud (2013-2016).
He was chairman of the Ethics Working Group of the Europeana CCPA (Council for Content Providers and Aggregators - 2011).
Elected member of the Council of the Europeana Network Association since its inception in 2015. Member of Working groups of the Council and Association, for governance and data-quality and chair of a Task Force on the Participation Famework of the Association.