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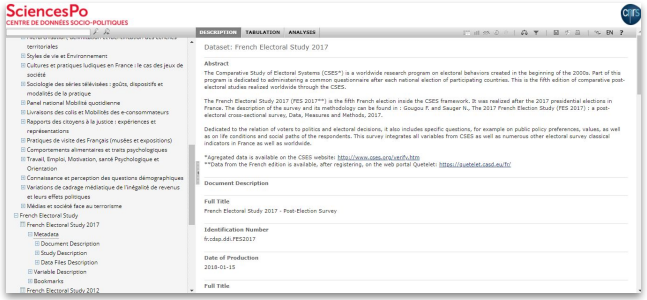
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CDSP's *old* data platforms

- More than 375 SSH surveys and data bases (sociology and political science)
- First users of Nesstar in France for data documentation
- Nesstar data visualisation and data download
- Question bank & data downloading platforms

CDSP’s Nesstar (2006-2020)

- Secondary users appreciated it, especially for teaching
- “Easy” to document data with
- Import/export XML functionality
- PDF Codebook - researchers happy with it
- No PIDs, no search engine
- No metadata reuse/CVs
- Not safe anymore
- Not maintained



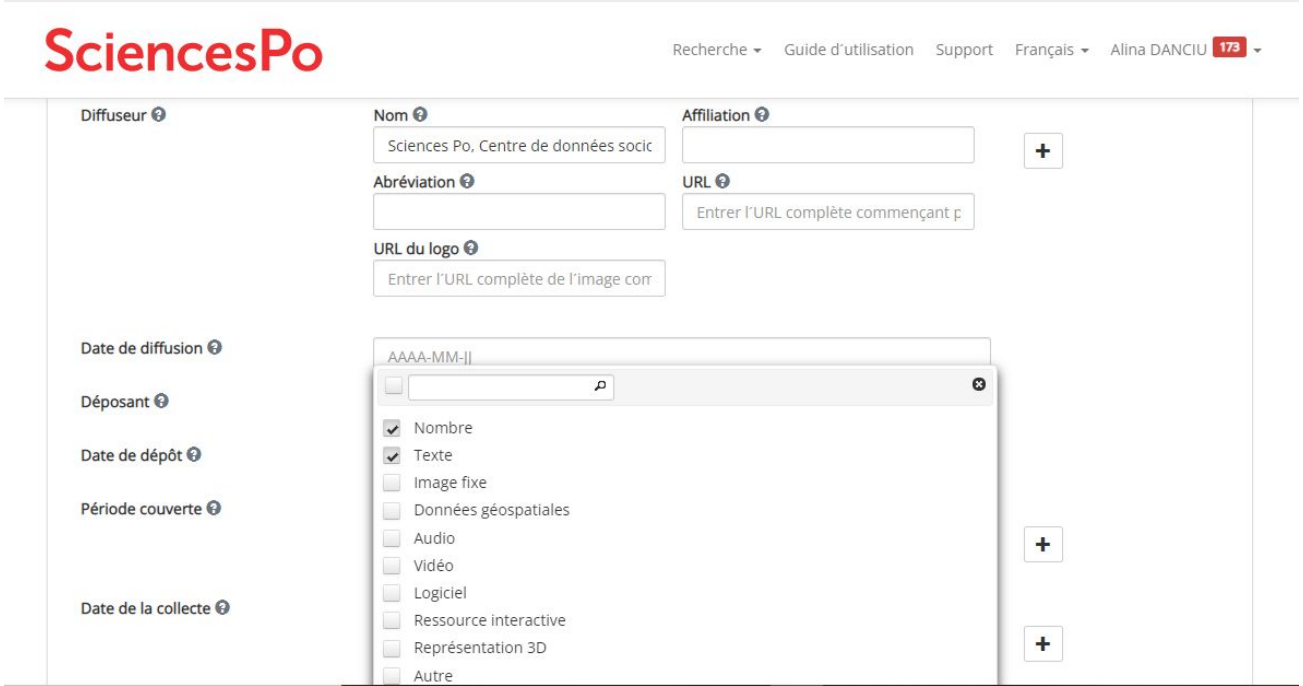
Migration from Nesstar to Dataverse

- In-house scripts to implement controlled vocabularies (R)
- In-house scripts to migrate metadata and add PIDs (Python)
- A lot of manual checking
- Team work (Metadata managers and IT)
- F-UJI score : 63 (FINDABLE 6,5/7)

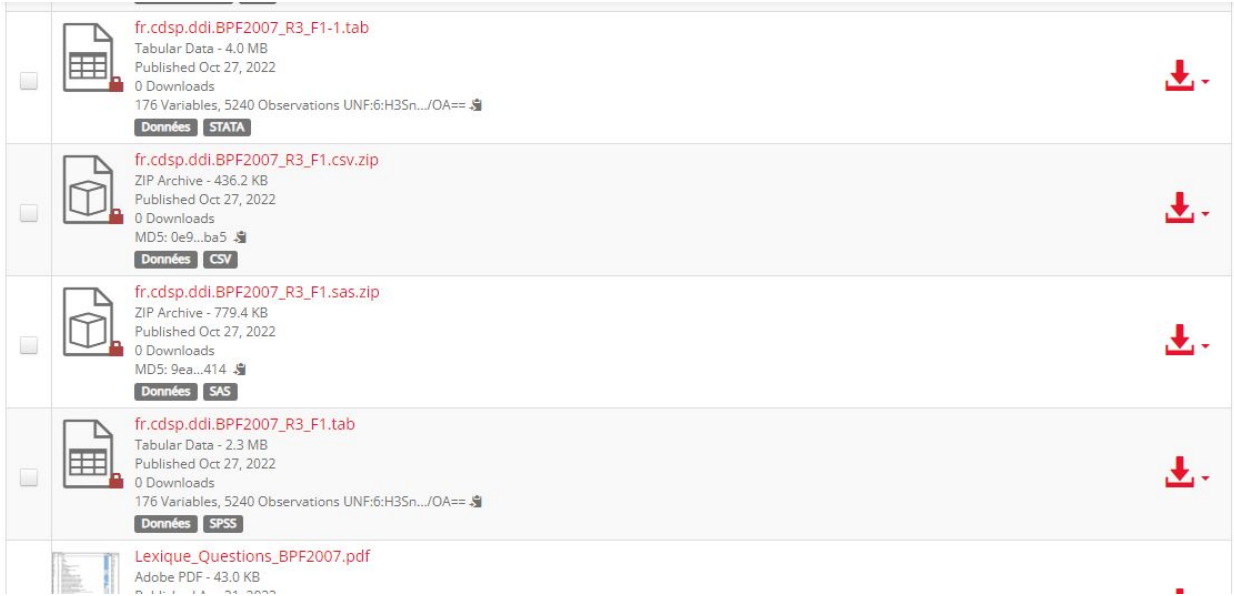
New workflows

- Dataverse for the study description (CESSDA and DDI Alliance controlled vocabularies, PIDs)
- Nesstar Publisher for variable description
- Dataverse for data download
- A data explore tool not yet installed : Data Explorer to come soon

Study-level metadata edition



Data request: General terms of use acceptance



Variable documentation workflows

- For **variable-level metadata**, we continue to use Nesstar Publisher
- We have also been using **Colectica** for **longitudinal studies (funded project)**
- The pending question : “single” studies, for which we continue to use Nesstar.

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