



EMBEDDIA: CROSS-LINGUAL EMBEDDINGS FOR LESS-REPRESENTED LANGUAGES IN EUROPEAN NEWS MEDIA

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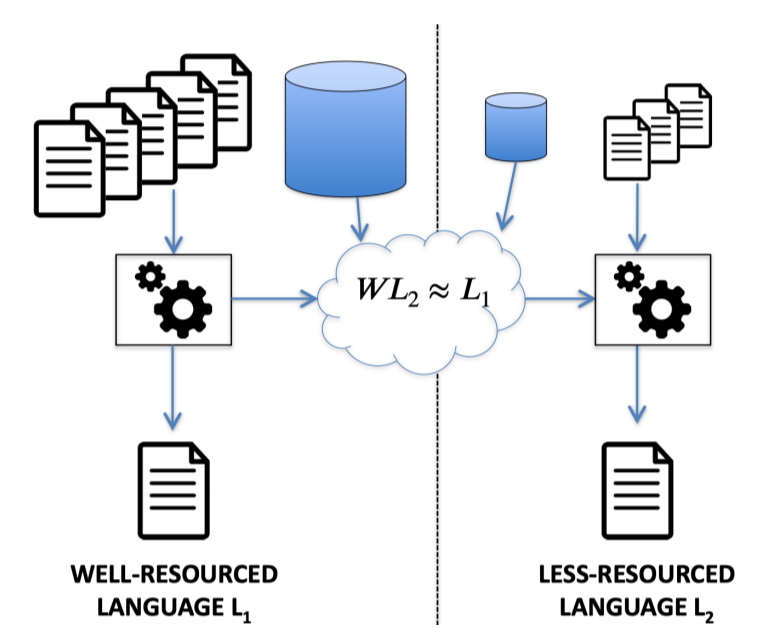
- Trikoder – Styria Media Group (CRO)
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OVERALL GOAL

- Exploit **cross-lingual embeddings & deep neural networks** for news analysis and generation
- Empower **less-represented, morphologically-rich EU languages** to benefit from resources and tools for well-resourced languages



ADVANCES FOR NLP

NEW NLP RESOURCES:

- Contextual embedding models (ELMo, BERT) for multiple less-represented languages
- Benchmark datasets and tasks for evaluation of contextual embeddings in multiple languages

NEW GENERAL NLP TOOLS:

- Cross-lingual semantic enrichment (NER, NEL, event detection)
- Multi-lingual dynamic topic model
- Explanation and visualization tools for deep neural networks

GENERAL INFO

- Duration: 01.01.2019 – 31.12.2021
- Budget: 3m EUR
- Call:
 - ICT-29-2018: A Multilingual Next Generation Internet
 - RIA: Domain-specific/challenge-oriented HLT
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ADVANCES FOR NEWS MEDIA

CROSS-LINGUAL ANALYSIS TOOLS:

- Keyword extraction for news articles
- Sentiment & topic analysis for articles and comments
- Automated comment moderation

MULTI-LINGUAL GENERATION TOOLS:

- Article text generation from structured data
- Creative headline generation
- Summarization and reporting



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