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**The Value of Registration**

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- Register digital works of any type
- Preferring CC licensed works
- Time-Stamp Service (provided by A-Cert) trusted 3rd party
- Timestamp allows proof of publication date & time
- Unique certificate as an enhanced Commons Deed
- Author may define Moral Rights
- Verification of authors identity - email and Ca-cert trust levels
- Compatibility to CC licensing scheme
- Rich Metadata Set - RDF

A registration service offers added value to the open content community. Both creators and users may benefit, if reliable licensing is required.



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# Challenges

- Establishing policies for registries
- Determining best use practices
- Registry Authority
- New business models

As new registries emerge, clear standards for trust and security should emerge.

## Moving Forward

- Limited free and paid registrations
- New Business Models - vouchers for universities and chambers of commerce
- Branded versions of RC - CreativDepot
- CC+ and 3rd party content clearing service

Registered Commons is emerging from a research project to a player in the market.



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