

# Annotating Narrative Images

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# Jataka tale of the nine-colored deer



- It is a mural image and the original mural was located at No. 257 Mogao cave in Gansu province and painted during the Northern Wei dynasty of China



1. The nine-colored deer walked along a river

2. It saved a drowning person from the river



3. The drowning person gave his thanks to the deer on his knees,.....





4. The queen talked about her dream about a nine-colored deer to the king

5. The Drowning person told the whereabouts of the deer to the king and the queen in the palace and snatched on the deer .





6. The king made an order to hunt the deer with his army

7. At the same time,  
the deer was sleeping



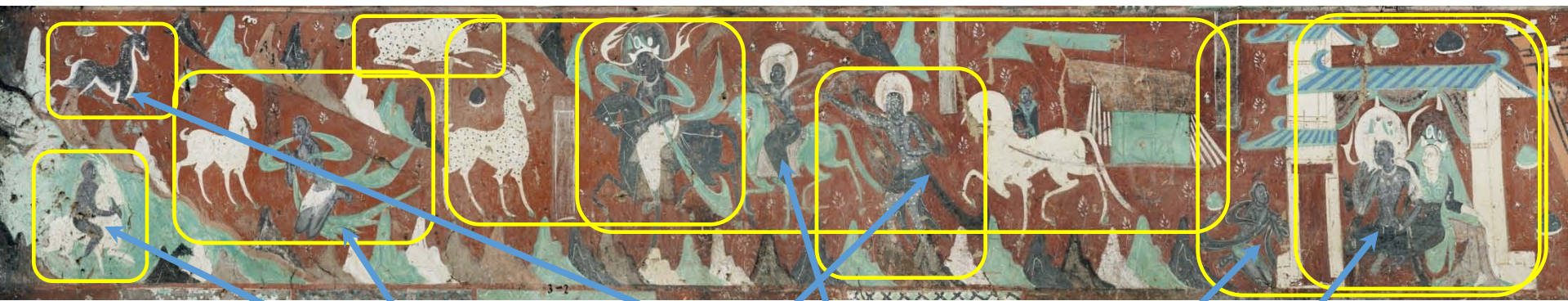




8. The deer got caught and confronted with the king. it told the cause and effect of the whole thing to the king

9. the drowning person got punished due to his dishonesty





The nine-colored deer saved a drowning person when it walked along a river. The drowning person gave his thanks to the deer on his knees, and the deer told the drowning person not to disclose its location. At the same time, in the palace, the queen talked about her dream about a nine-colored deer to the king. After the drowning person came back home, he told the whereabouts of the deer to the king and the queen in the palace and snitched on the deer. Then the king made an order to hunt the deer with his army. At last, the deer got caught and confronted with the king, and it told the cause and effect of the whole thing to the king. Finally the drowning person got punished due to his dishonesty.



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The **nine-colored deer** saved a **drowning person** when it walked along a **river**. The **drowning person** gave his thanks to the **deer** on his knees, and the **deer** told the **drowning person** not to disclose its location. At the same time, in the **palace**, the **queen** talked about her dream about a **nine-colored deer** to the **king**. After the **drowning person** came back home, he told the whereabouts of the **deer** to the **king** and the **queen** in the **palace** and snatched on the **deer**. Then the **king** made an order to hunt the **deer** with his **army**. At last, the **deer** got caught and confronted with the **king**, and it told the cause and effect of the whole thing to the **king**. Finally the **drowning person** got punished due to his dishonesty.



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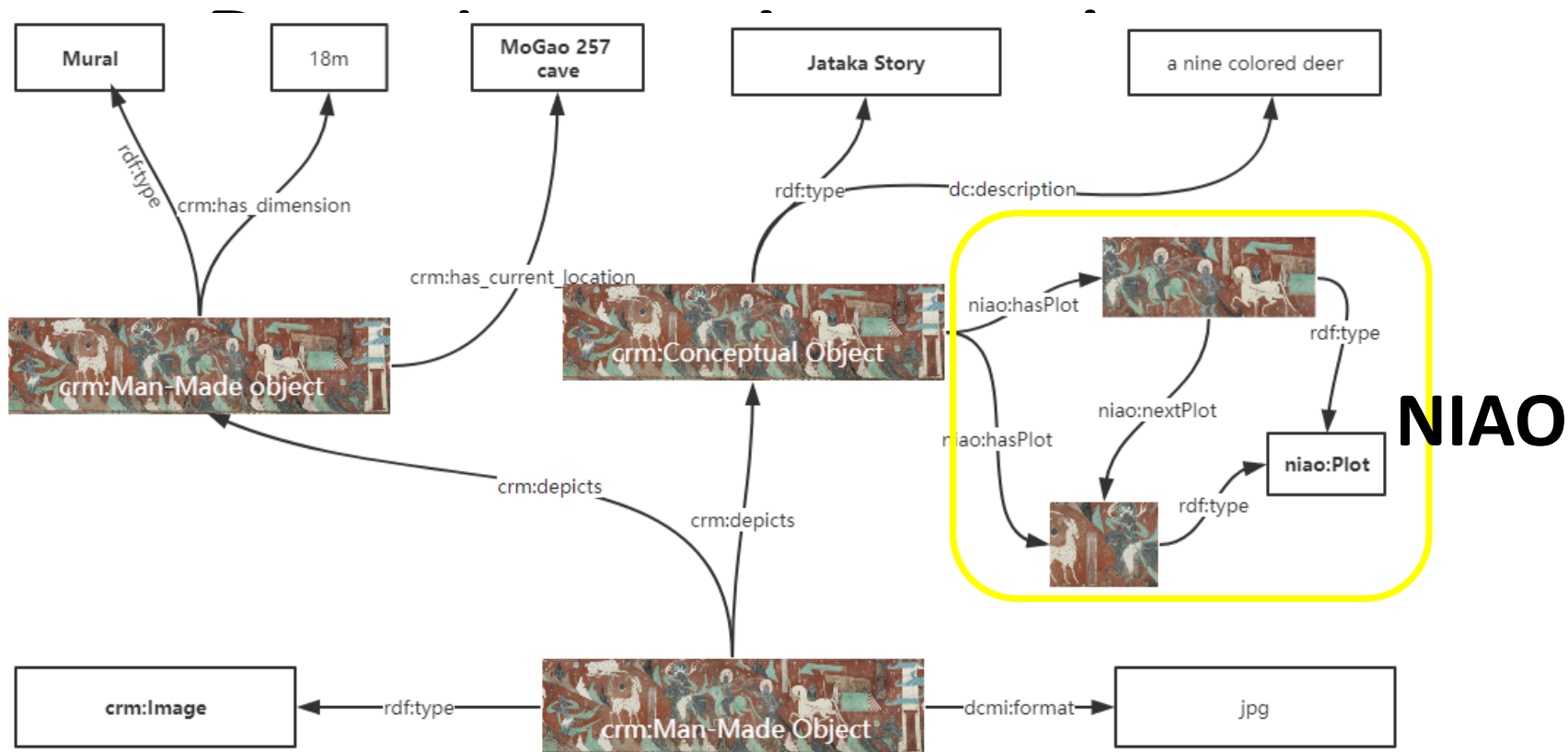
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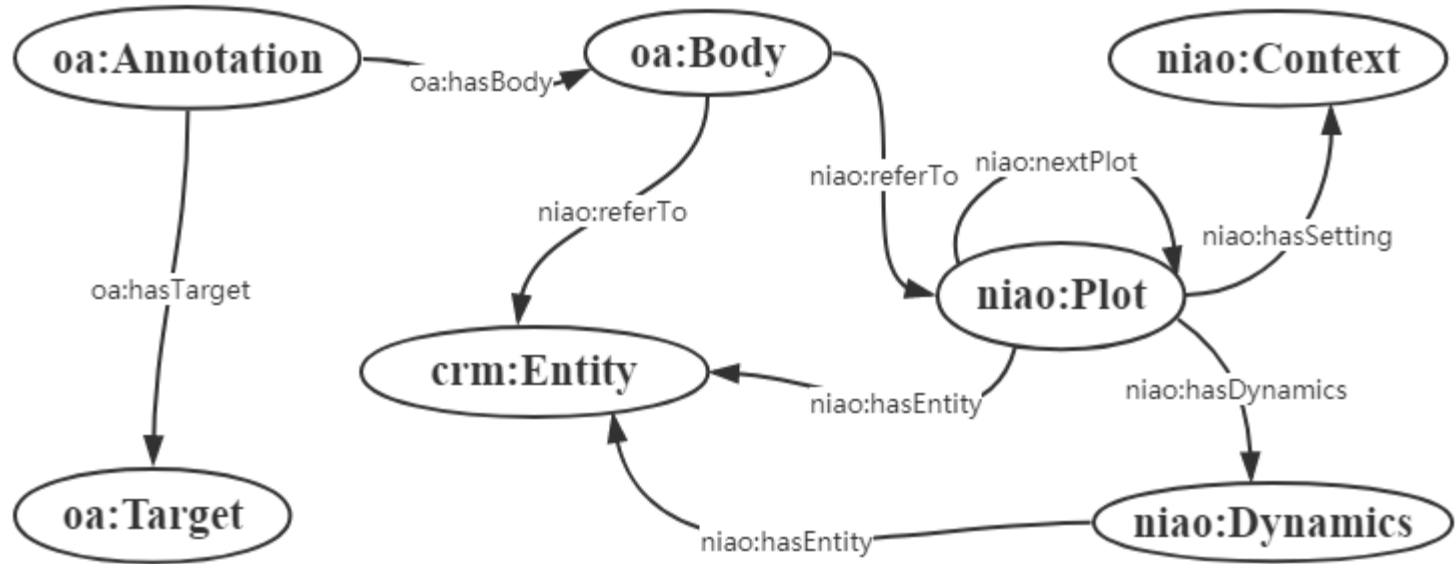


Models	Main classes and core properties between events
Event ontology [4]	Event, Agent, TemporalEntity, SpatialThing sub_event(Event, Event)
Tuffield [5]	Fabula, Story, Narrative
Stories Ontology [6]	EventList, EventSlot, Interpretation, Story events(Story, EventList), item(EventSlot, Event) slot(EventList, EventSlot), sub_story(Story, Story)
Storytelling Ontology [7]	Story, Scene, Agent, Event, Role, Concept
Fabio Ciotti [8]	Actant, Action, Actor, Event, Quality, Object, Place
Rossana [9]	Story, Entity, GeographicalPlace, Dynamics TemporalCollocation, Artifacts
ABC Ontology [10]	Entity, Actuality, Temporality, Abstraction Event, State, Action, Agent Situation as an intermediary and properties like follows and precedes are designed
BBC storyline ontology [11]	Event, Storyline, StorylineSlot, Topic follows(StorylineSlot, StorylineSlot)
SEM [12]	Type, Actor, Object, Role, Temporary, Even, Place Time, hasSubEvent(Event, Event)
Activity ontology [13]	Activity, Person, PhysicalEntity, Area hasSubActivity(Activity, Activity)
Event Pattern [14]	Event, SpatioTemporalExtent, ParticipantRole InformationObject, SubEventOf(Event, Event)
LODE [15]	Event, TemporalEntity, Space, Participation
Event-model F [16]	Event, Situation, Role, Quality, Object, Description isEventIncludedIn(Event, Situation)
WikiTimes Ontology [17]	Story, Event, Entity, Storyline, Location subEvent(NewsEvent, NewsStory) superEvent(NewsEvent, NewsStory) belongstoStory(NewsEvent, NewsStory)

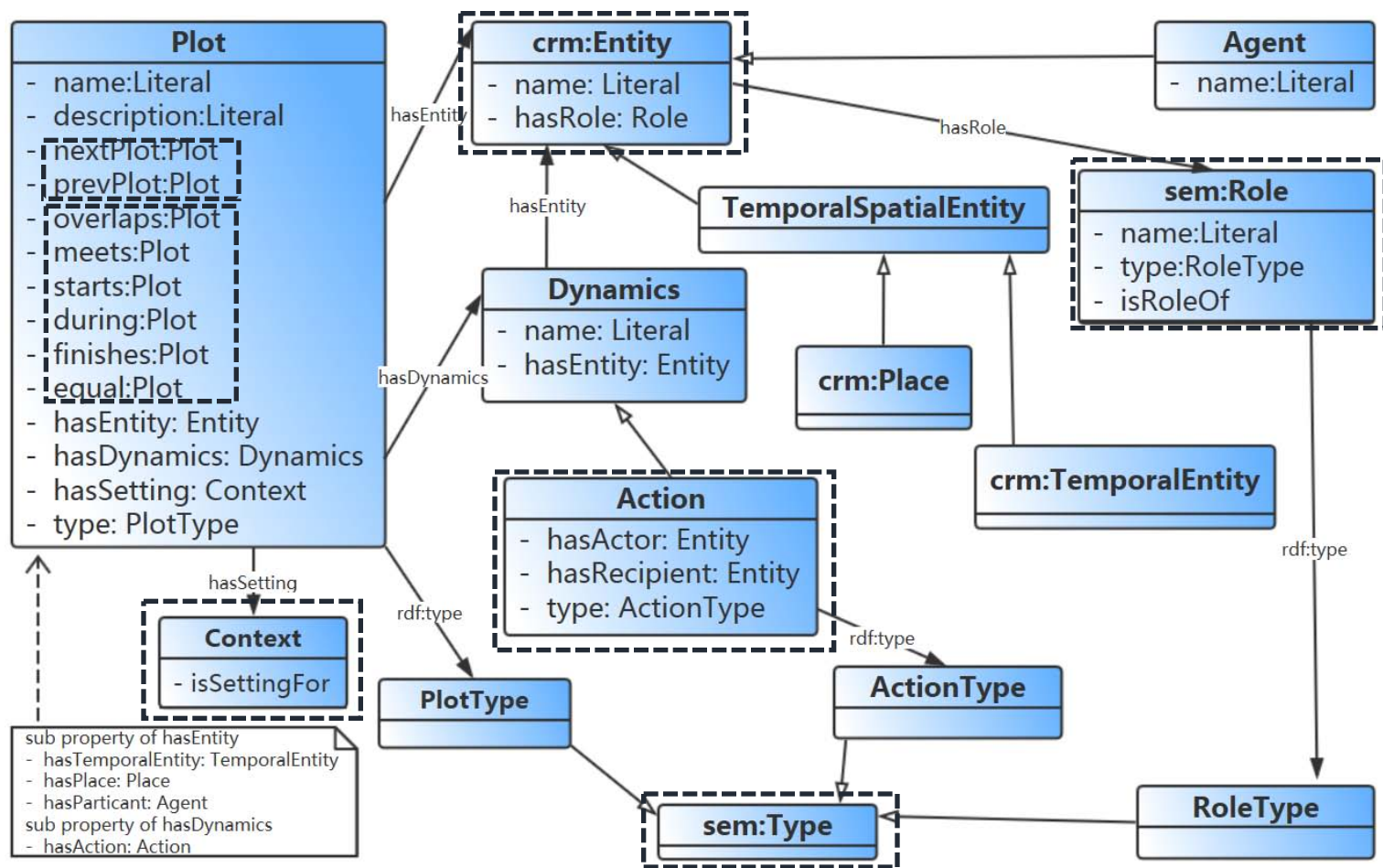
- *Event Detection, Representation and Exploitation*
- Dive+
- NewsReader
- Linked open piracy
- Event detection from YouTube videos, Wikipedia, Twitter , news articles.....

**CIDOC-CRM, ODPs, OAC**

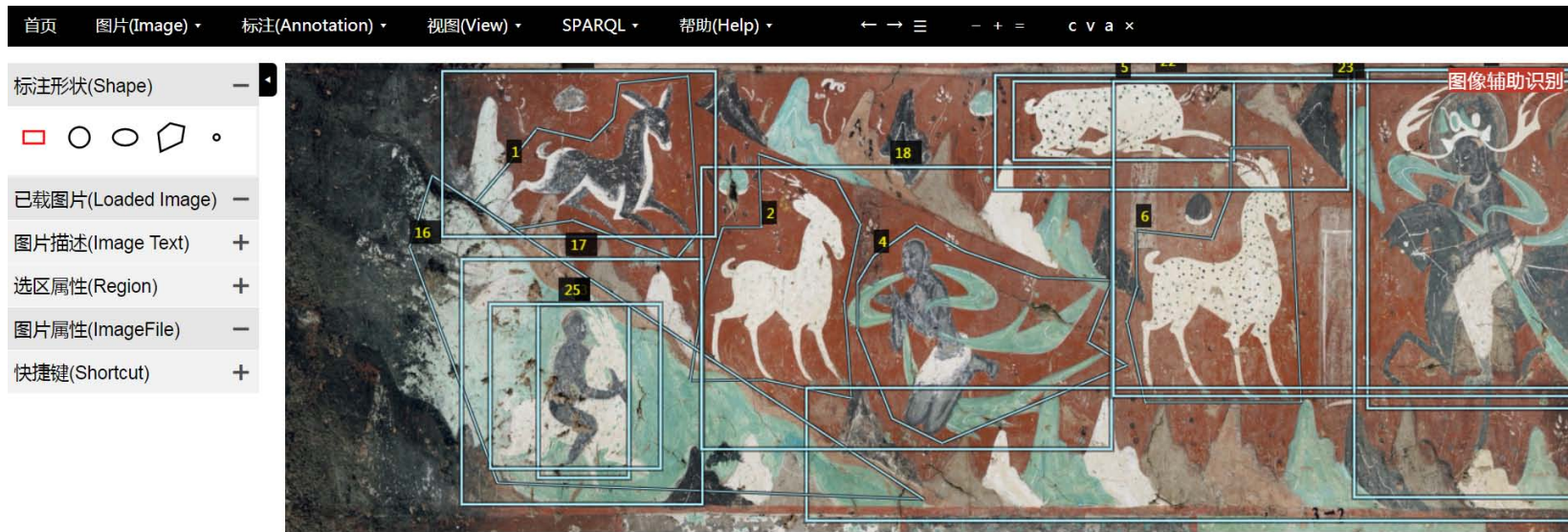
# Narrative Image Annotation Ontology







# Narrative Image Annotation



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original.jpg	九色鹿本生故事壁画	莫高窟第257窟西壁中部	北魏	Lei	<a href="https://baike.baidu.com/item/">https://baike.baidu.com/item/</a>	



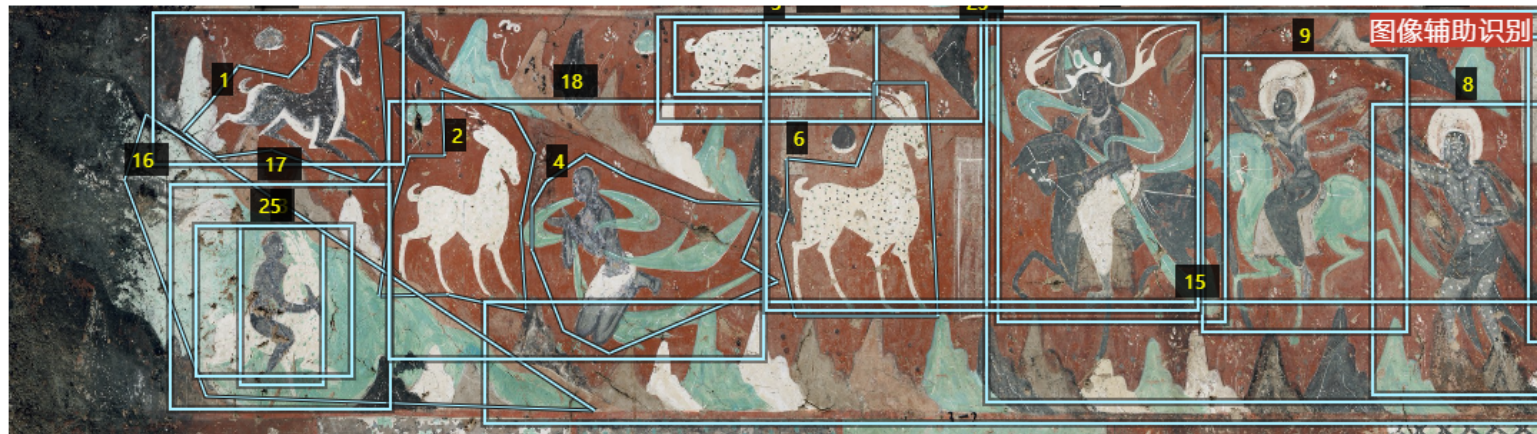
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图片描述(Image Text)

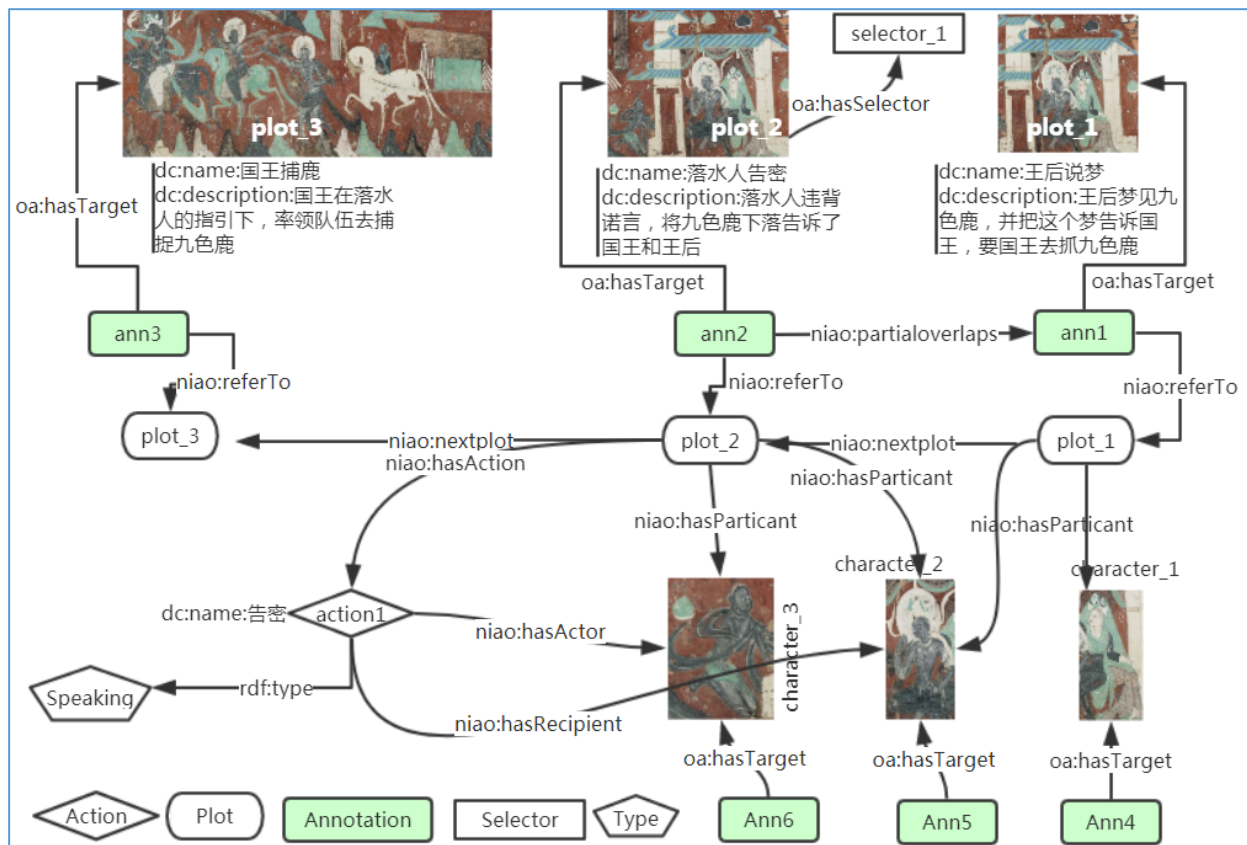
在一片景色秀丽的山林中，有一只鹿。它双角洁白如雪，身上有九种鲜艳的毛色，漂亮极了，人们都称它为九色鹿。这天，九色鹿在河边散步。突然，耳边传来“救命啊，救命！”的呼喊，只见一个人在汹涌的波涛中奋力挣扎。九色鹿立即纵身跳进河中，将落水人救上



图像辅助识别

	number	type	name	hasRole	hasAction	nextPlot	hasEntity	overlaps	hasSetting	hasAction_2	plotorder	Add New
19	19	情节	王后说梦		说梦#13	20	12,13	20			4	
20	20	情节	调达告密		告密#12	21	11,12,13	19			5	
21	21	情节	国王追捕		追捕#14, 指作	22	7,8,9,10	23			6	

# Annotation Results (Cont.)



# Annotation Results

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<http://niao.whu.edu.cn/anno1> a oa:Annotation;  
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  oa:hasTarget <http://niao.whu.edu.cn/thing1>;  
<http://niao.whu.edu.cn/body1>  
  niao:referTo <http://niao.whu.edu.cn/plot1>;  
<http://niao.whu.edu.cn/plot1> a niao:Plot;
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      dcterms:conformsTo <https://www.w3.org/TR/SVG11/> ;  
      rdf:value <svg><circle cx = "120" cy = "150" r = "10"/></svg>  
      cx 120;  
      cy 150;  
      r 10]] .  
<http://niao.whu.edu.cn/body1>  
  niao:referTo <http://niao.whu.edu.cn/plot1>;
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2 PREFIX niao: <http://niao.whu.edu.cn#>
3 PREFIX oa: <http://www.w3.org/ns/oa#>
4 PREFIX rdfs: <http://www.w3.org/2000/01/rdf-schema#>
5 PREFIX iiif: <http://iiif.io/api/image/2.1/#>
6 SELECT ?name ?plotname ?plotregion WHERE{
7     ?i niao:filename ?name.
8     ?i niao:hasAnnotation ?a.
9     ?a oa:hasBody ?b.
10    ?b niao:referTo ?p.
11    ?p niao:plotorder ?o.
12    ?p niao:name ?plotname.
13    ?a oa:hasTarget ?t.
14    ?t oa:hasSelector [rdf:value ?plotregion].
15 }ORDER BY ?o LIMIT 50
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Table Image

Showing 1 to 8 of 8 entries

Search:  Show  entries

	name	plotname	plotregion
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3	original.jpg	落水人调达谢恩	"name": "rect", "x": 554, "y": 139, "width": 545, "height": 374
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5	original.jpg	调达告密	"name": "polygon", "x": [3511, 3508, 2865, 2853, 2694, 2707, 3511], "y": [586, 16, 3, 351, 358, 598, 586]
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7	original.jpg	乌鸦叫醒九色鹿	"name": "rect", "x": 944, "y": 16, "width": 469, "height": 152
8	original.jpg	国王和九色鹿当面对质	"name": "rect", "x": 1102, "y": 25, "width": 627, "height": 418

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2 PREFIX niao: <http://niao.whu.edu.cn#>
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4 PREFIX rdfs: <http://www.w3.org/2000/01/rdf-schema#>
5 PREFIX iiif: <http://iiif.io/api/image/2.1/#>
6 SELECT ?name ?plotname ?plotregion WHERE{
7   ?i niao:filename ?name.
8   ?i niao:hasAnnotation ?a.
9   ?a oa:hasBody ?b.
10  ?b niao:referTo ?p.
11  ?p niao:plotorder ?o.
12  ?p niao:name ?plotname.
13  ?a oa:hasTarget ?t.
14  ?t oa:hasSelector [rdf:value ?plotregion].
15 }ORDER BY ?o LIMIT 50
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No.1	name	plotname
1	original.jpg	九色鹿散步
2	original.jpg	九色鹿救落水人调达
3	original.jpg	落水人调达谢恩
4	original.jpg	王后说梦
5	original.jpg	调达告密
6	original.jpg	国王追捕九色鹿
7	original.jpg	乌鸦叫醒九色鹿
8	original.jpg	国王和九色鹿当面对质



# Summary

- NIAO is suitable for modeling plot and action level content;
- NIA is designed to be used manually;
- Granularity of a plot's region in narrative image may be different by different annotators.



[1]. J. F. Allen, Maintaining knowledge about temporal intervals, Communications of the ACM 26 (1983) 832-843.





# Future Work

- Use computer vision technology to assist in identifying entities or plots;
- Further Evaluation.
- Import specific domain vocabularies and Wordnet.

**VIST(Microsoft, 2016)**

**AVA(Google, 2017)**



The dog was ready to go.



# Thank you!

