

The Question of Quality

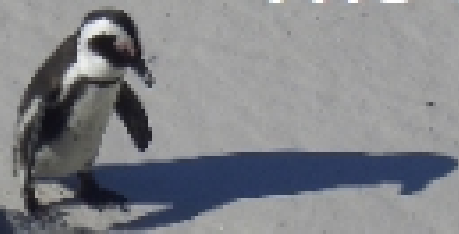
Week 9

Most of this presentation is based
on the work of Marcos Goncales
as cited in the references



Goals for this class

- Consider quality in digital libraries
 - How do we define quality
 - How do we measure quality
 - How does quality control impact a user?
- The role of logging
 - Helpful information
 - Privacy issues
- The status of DL logging



Understanding Quality in a DL

- Quality indicators: proposed descriptions of quantities or observable variables that may be related to quality
 - “measures” = stronger term. Requires validation
 - Gonçalves et al provide analysis of quality conditions and recommend specific quantities to be used.
 - Dimensions of quality
 - Proposed indicators
 - Application to DL concerns

