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Motivation

- **Human Language Technology (HLT) research is international**
 - **need to share experiences**
 - **US DARPA HLT programme**
 - **EU HLT programme under FP5-IST**
 - **Francophone AUF programme**
 - **European 6th Framework program (FP6), planned for 2003**
- **Commercial, government, and academic needs for coordination and collaboration (e.g., localisation industry (LISA and LRC))**
- **Sharing resources and plans is cost effective and will accelerate progress**

Purposes

- 1. Share information, experiences, and plans**
 - 2. Identify collective concerns and needs**
 - 3. Identify opportunities for further collaboration**
- Existing resources and ones under development
 - Evaluation methods and benchmarks
 - Unresolved research problems and/or areas

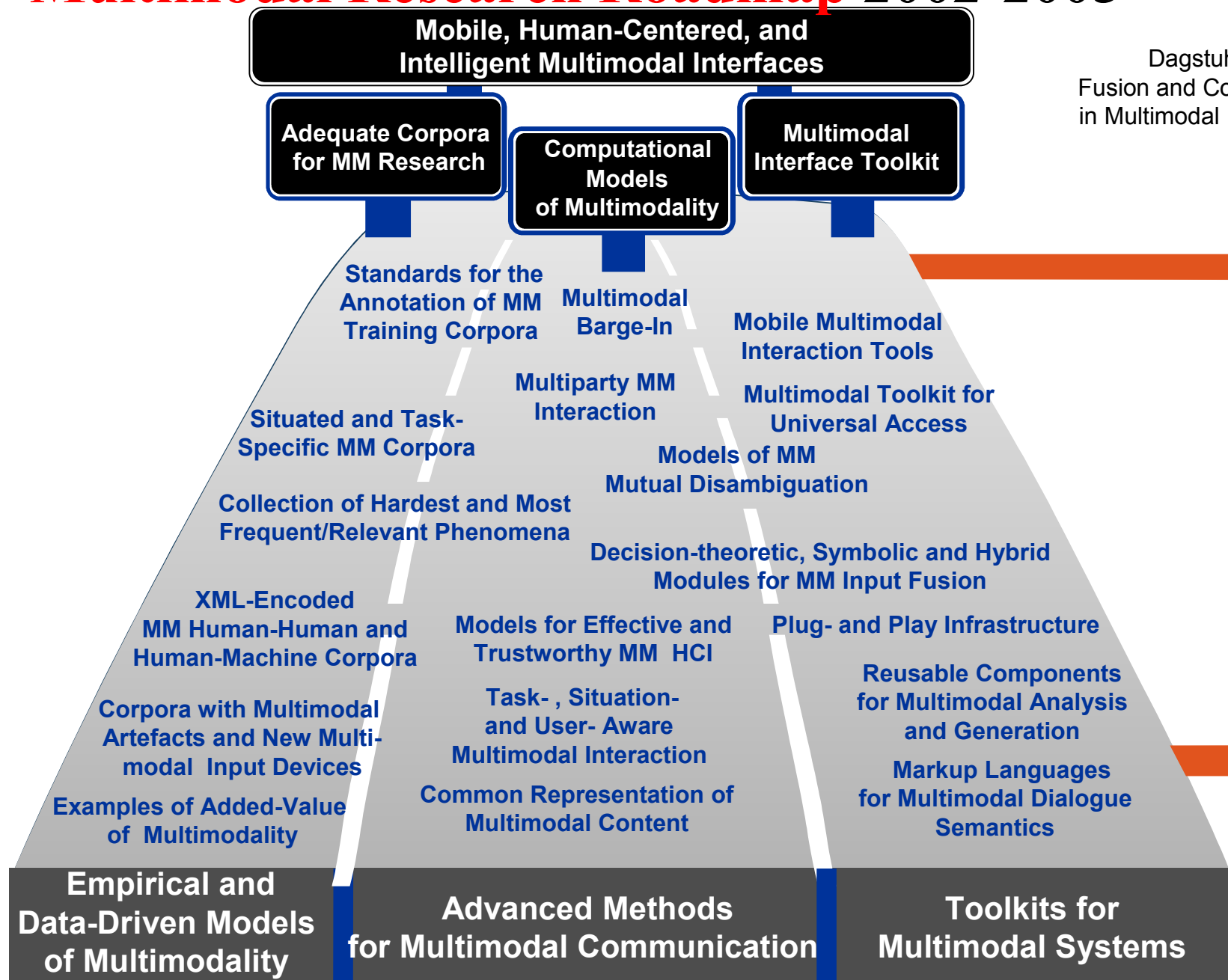
Questions

- 1. What language resources (LR) and evaluation are your programs and institutions relying upon?**
- 2. What should be a minimal LR set for each language?**
- 3. What are your current programs in the collection, creation, and dissemination of LR?**
- 4. What are impediments to advancing LR (financial, technical, legal) and evaluation?**
- 5. What tools, reusable components and abstract architectures are available or being planned?**
- 6. Are there any successes in international sharing and cooperating regarding LR and evaluation?**
- 7. What are your future plans for LR and evaluation?**

Multimodal Research Roadmap 2002-2005

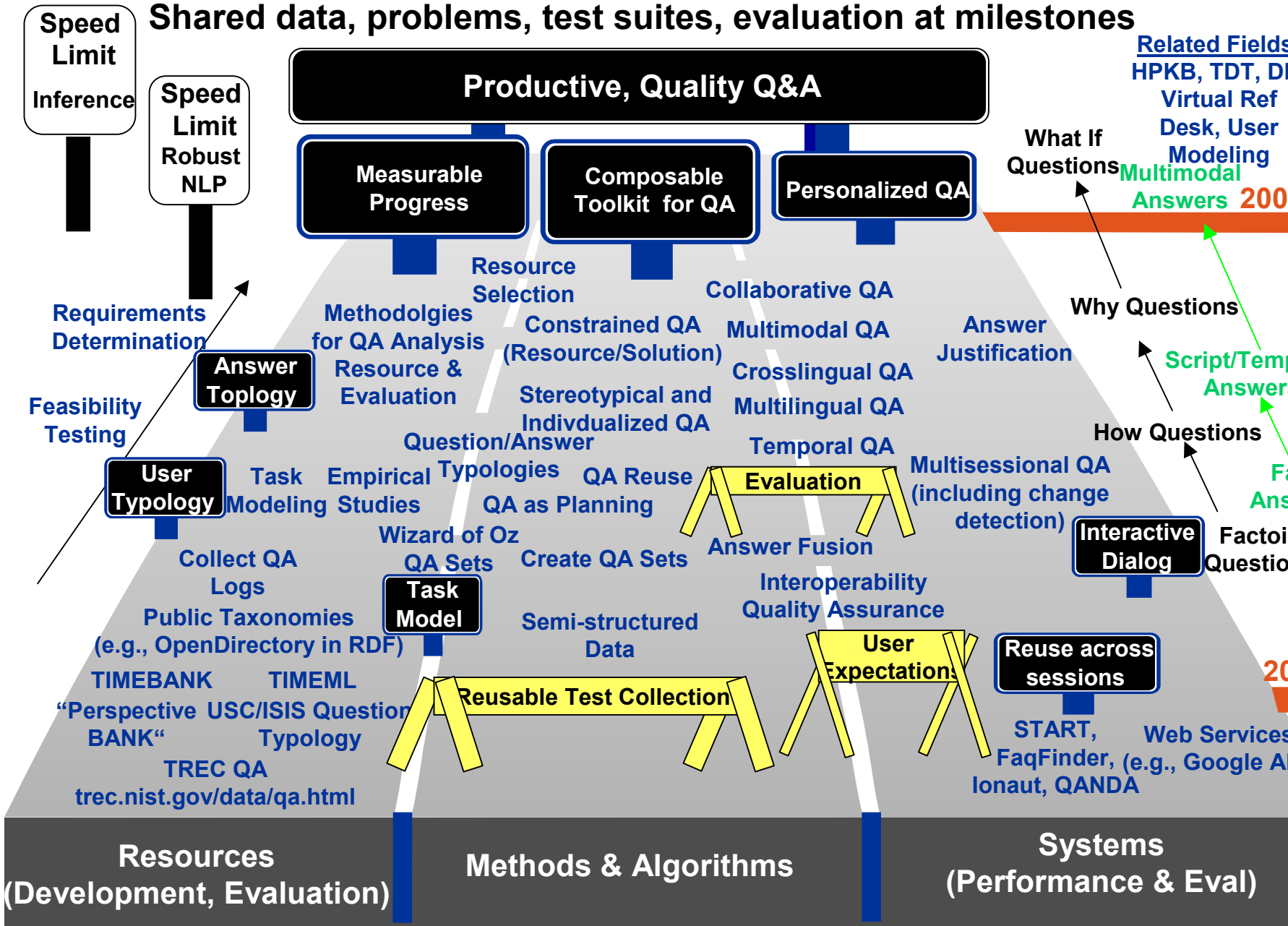


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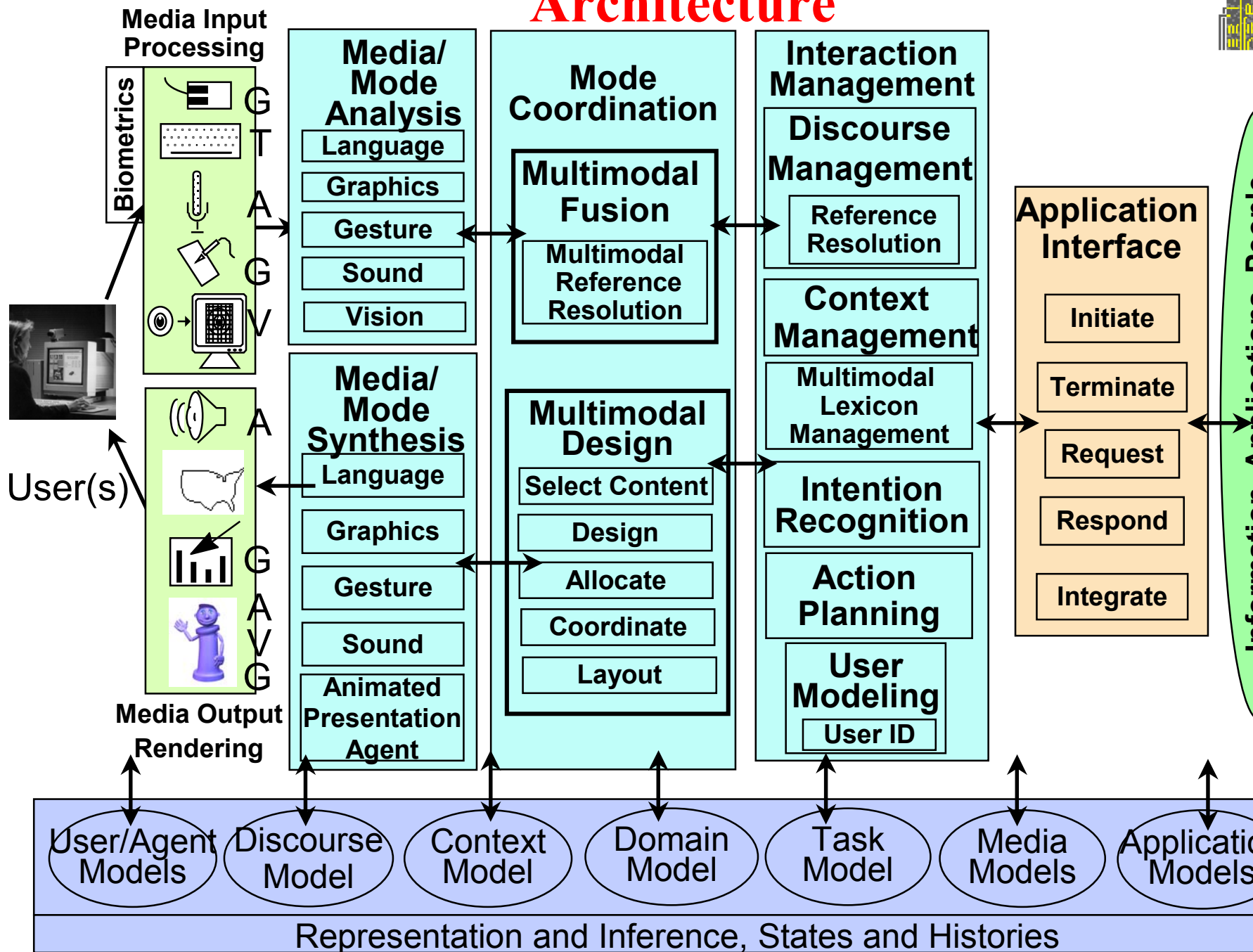


Question Answering Roadmap 2003-2006

Shared data, problems, test suites, evaluation at milestones



Architecture



A-audio, V-video, T-text, G-Graphics



An Example: Communicator-Compliant Emergency Management Interface

