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At the 2018 congress in Leipzig, the Cataloguing and Metadata section sponsored two presentation sessions. The first, "Music and Linked Open Data," featured presentations on various linked data ontologies and projects. The second, "Recent Developments in Music Cataloguing," featured a presentation on the new RDA Toolkit, as well as projects happening at the Deutsche Nationalbibliothek and the Bibliothèque National de France.

Additionally, the section held two business meetings led by chair Frederic Lemmers, with vice-chair Kimmy Szeto and secretary Chris Holden participating via Skype. The participants in the business meetings discussed cataloging developments, such as the mapping of medium of performance terms, and the Performed Music Ontology. The business meetings also included conversations on how to carry on the work of the section throughout the entire year, whether through a PBworks wiki or some other mechanism.