

# Women Poets of the Romantic Period: University of Colorado Boulder's PCC Wikidata Pilot Project

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Project Page:

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Women Poets of the Romantic Period (CU Boulder):

<https://cudl.colorado.edu/luna/servlet>

- first and early editions of poetry by women writers of the British Romantic Period (1770-1839)
- 425+ volumes; written by women of every class of society

Stainforth Library of Women's Writing (Santa Clara):

<https://stainforth.scu.edu/>

- digitized version of Francis Stainforth's (1797-1866) private library catalog
- 7100+ editions, 2800+ writers

While some of the writers in these collections are very well-known, many are women who have been left out of literary and book histories.

# WPRP and Wikidata

- CU Boulder team's involvement with WPRP originated as a NACO/VIAF authority record project
  - greater exposure for the little-known women poets
- Evolved into a convergence of all our identifier work
  - NACO/VIAF, ISNI, Wikidata
- Folded into PCC's Wikidata Pilot
- Creating new NACO and ISNI records as needed
- Creating new Wikidata entities
- Adding NACO, VIAF and ISNI identifiers to existing Wikidata items
- Adding URLs to WPRP and the Stainforth Library of Women's Writing collections to all Wikidata items

## Progress to Date (initial cohort of 200 poets)

- 38 NACO records (ca. 20% of cohort)
- ca. 50% needed new or revised ISNI records
- 86 new, 39 enhanced Wikidata items (ca. 60% of cohort)
- Adding Wikidata id to NACO 024
- [https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:WikiProject\\_PCC\\_Wikidata\\_Pilot/University\\_of\\_Colorado\\_Boulder](https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:WikiProject_PCC_Wikidata_Pilot/University_of_Colorado_Boulder)

# Meet Cousin Clara! (Q89132109)



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## Cousin Clara (Q89132109)

English poet



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Language	Label	Description	Also known as
English	Cousin Clara	English poet	
Spanish	No label defined	No description defined	
Traditional Chinese	No label defined	No description defined	
Chinese	No label defined	No description defined	

[All entered languages](#)

## Anticipated Outcomes

- Current pilot participants
  - Anna Ferris, Carole Griffin, Donna Hamilton, Jim Kalwara, Emily Semenoff, Chris Long
- Greater Web presence for the poets, WPRP, and the Stainforth Library
- Refining lessons learned for Wikidata work with a larger set of women poets
- Training trainers for larger-scale Wikidata projects involving more participants
- Hands-on linked data experience for our staff