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A framework for bidirectional coupling of
social networking sites with scholarly portals

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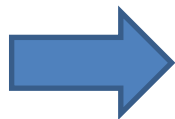
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Background

- social networks are (still) not well established in the academic mainstream
- but increasingly used for scientific work tasks
- consolidation of this trend by young scientists (increasing habituation of the use of social media)



social networks become more and more important as a communication tool in the sciences

see user studies such as:

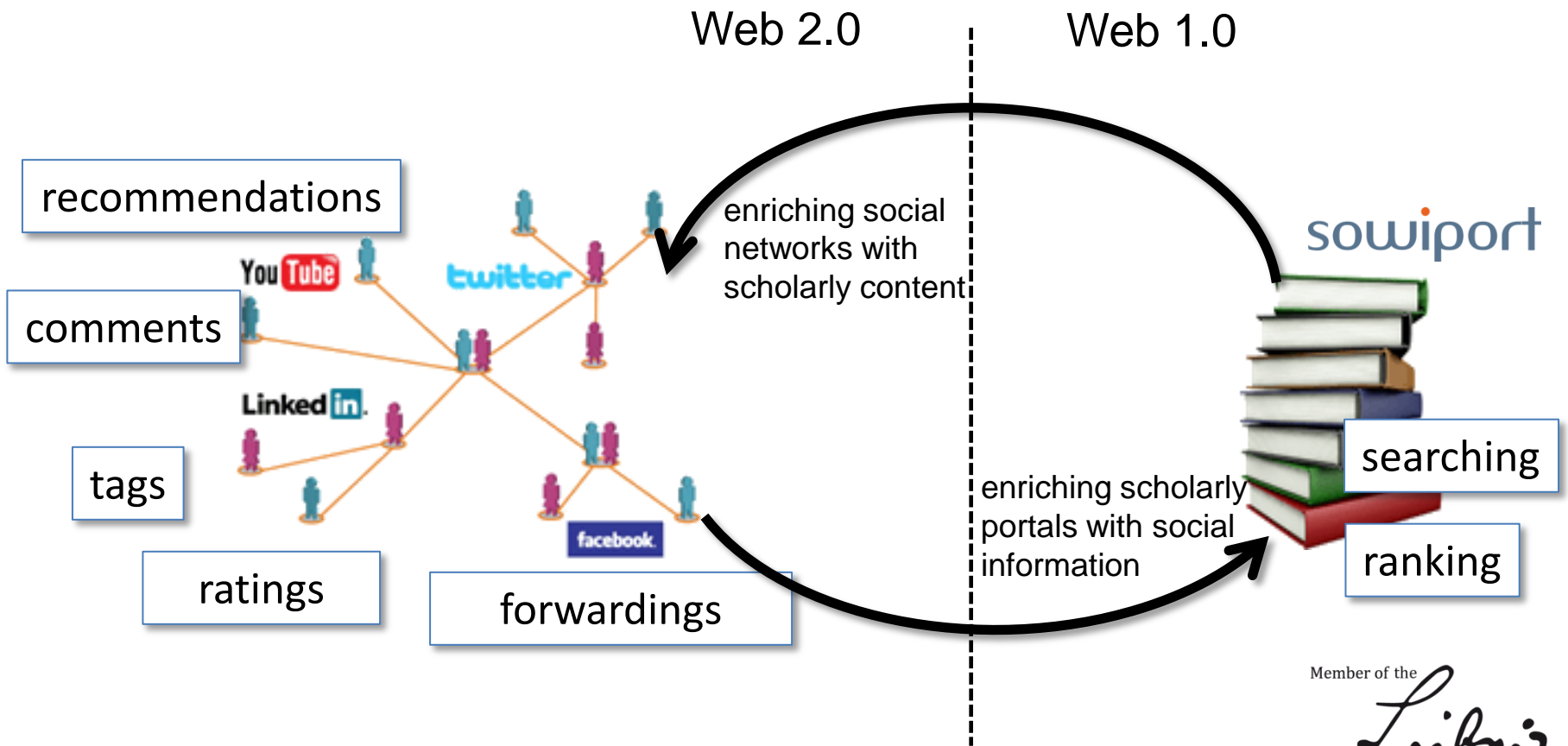
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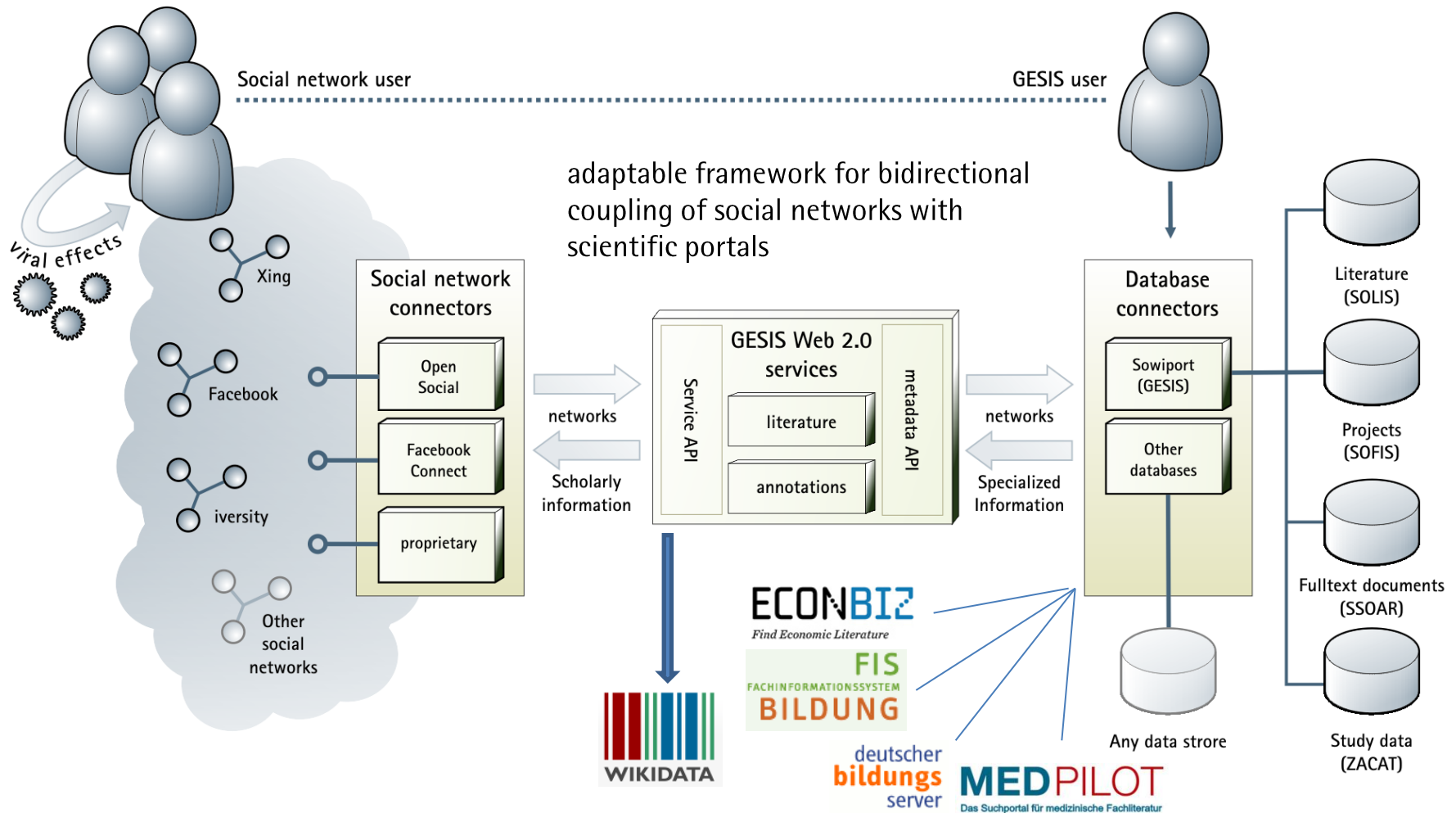
Goals

- making scientific content (provided by scholarly information portals) available on social networking sites (such as Facebook, LinkedIn, ResearchGate)
- enriching scientific portals by social information provided by social networking sites
- contributing to linking social media platforms to conventional communication channels in science

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Architecture



ScholarLib on Facebook



<https://apps.facebook.com/scholarlib/>

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