http://www.clarin.eu/files/concept_registry-CLARIN-ShortGuide.pdf
Title: Concept Registry Service
Date/Version?: 2009-02
Content: In this A4 shortguide, some introductory information is provided on the Concept Registry Service following the generic shortguide layout of "*What is it?*", "*What is it for?*", "*Who can use it?*", "*When can it be used?*" and "*How does it work?*".

http://pubman.mpdl.mpg.de/pubman/item/escidoc:131099:4/component/escidoc:131101/Kemps_Snijders_ISOcat_IMSO_2009.pdf
Title: ISOcat: remodelling metadata for language resources
Date/Version?: 2009
Content: Abstract: The Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics in Nijmegen, The Netherlands, is creating a state-of-the-art web environment for the ISO TC 37 (terminology and other language and content resources) metadata registry. This Data Category Registry (DCR) is called ISOcat and encompasses data categories for a broad range of language resources. Under the governance of the DCR Board, ISOcat provides an open work space for creating data category specifications, defining Data Category Selections (DCSs) (domain-specific groups of data categories), and standardising selected data categories and DCSs. Designers visualise future interactivity among the DCR, reference registries and ontological knowledge spaces.

http://dev.clarin.nl/sites/default/files/ISOcat-20100208_1.pdf
Title: ISOcat A short introduction
Date/Version?: 2010-02-08
Content: This is a presentation given at a Clarin-NL meeting. Among other things also presented in the next mentioned presentation, it features information on the status of ISOcat at that moment in time.

http://dev.clarin.nl/sites/default/files/ISOcat-introduction_0.pdf
Title: ISO 12620 Data Category Registry An introduction
Date/Version?: 2010-03-25
Content: In this presentation given at an ISOcat workshop in Utrecht, information was offered about standardization, data categories and their models.

http://www.clarin.eu/system/files/cmdi_isocat_Paper.pdf
Title: A Data Category Registry- and Component-based Metadata Framework
Date/Version?: 2010-05-19
Content: We describe our computer-supported framework to overcome the rule of metadata schism. It combines the use of controlled vocabularies, managed by a data category registry, with a component-based approach, where the categories can be combined to yield complex metadata structures. A metadata scheme devised in this way will thus be grounded in its use of categories. Schema designers will profit from existing prefabricated larger building blocks, motivating re-use at a larger scale. The common base of any two metadata schemes within this framework will solve, at least to a good extent, the semantic interoperability problem, and consequently, further promote systematic use of metadata for existing resources and tools to be shared.