Creating Digital Scholarly Editions: An Introduction to the Text Encoding Initiative (TEI)

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It’s easy to confuse the terms element (tag), attribute, value, and content.

Elements may have zero, one, or more than one attribute. Attributes, if present, are only on the opening tag, never the closing tag.

Some elements are empty—they have no content. They can be written in either of the following ways:

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<milestone type="pagebreak" />
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