2019-02-05 - VIVO Development IG

Date

05 Feb 2019

Call-in Information

Time: 11:00 am, Eastern Time (New York, GMT-05:00)

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Attendees

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- 1. Don Elsborg
- 2. Ralph O'Flinn
- 3. Andrew Woods
- 4. Huda Khan
- 5. Jim Blake 📩
- 6. Steven McCauley
- 7. Alex Viggio
- 8. Mike Conlon

Agenda

- 1. Notes from the Architectural Fly-in
- 2. Mailing list messages
 - a. Re: help related to facetview in vivo Facet view expertise, anyone?
 - b. jquery.scrollTo error Do we need to upgrade `jquery_plugins`? Has anyone else been able to reproduce?
 c. No Subject "How can I add more associated profiles for that particular editor."

 - d. Freemarker Template Error
 - e. [vivo-tech] help regarding the custamization
 - f. [vivo-tech] Inferencing engine not adding triples needed
- 3. Status of In-Review tickets

type	key	summary	assignee	reporter	priority	status	resolution	created	updated	due
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4. Received



Notes

Draft notes in Google-Doc

- · Notes from the Architectural Fly-in
 - Still needs work
 - Not yet reviewed by the entire team
 - Need more details, from the whiteboards, etc.
 - Ralph is pulling together material from the notes, trying to get the correct terminology for the tools.

- When completed and reviewed, these will be brought to the leadership group and the broader VIVO community.
 Looking to get consensus, and perhaps even buy-in.
 - Ideally, create a calendar to accomplish the action items in sprints.
- Mike: the leadership group has discussed having a sprint starting on March 18, 2019. If we have a plan in place, the leadership will be more able to commit resources.
 - 2019 sprint schedule
 - March 18-29
 - June 17-28
 - September 16-27
 - December 2-13
- Touch lightly on the contents of the (preliminary) summary of the Fly-in: https://wiki.duraspace.org/display/VIVO/2019-
 - 01+Architectural+Fly-in+Summary
 - topics included:
 - Ingest
 - Mike: what was the thinking about "editing in production"?
 - ° Ralph: not part of the first round of tasks. Focus on read-only GUI first, then move on to editing.
 - Jim: there was more focus on the read-only pages. There was some discussion of putting the editing
 - functionality in a component outside of the VIVO frame (or core).
 - · Andrew: again, the concept of "Shapes" or "entities"; i.e., a set of RDF that confirms to the shape of a Person.
 - In some installations, the only permitted edits are in the source systems, not in VIVO itself.
 - Also, if there is an ingest pipeline that includes "shape validation", then edits should come through
 - hat pipeline,.
 Alex: Duke and others are looking at incremental updates, in additional to full ingests.
 - Don, steve: what are the "shapes"?
 - More than the data on the page -- Mike: the backend always contains more data than the page displays
 - Don: if the shape doesn't include all of the data on the page, then we need to do additional calls to create the page.
 - Mike: having the shapes forces us to think about the edges of the graph that represents an entity. "Your graph" overlaps with other people's graphs.
 - It's good to think about this!
 - Decoupling the UI
 - Do the "shapes" play into this as well?
 - Decoupling other pieces of VIVO (Triple-store, search engine, etc.)
 - As much as possible, independent components would be packages as Docker containers.
 - Allows (compels) independent development.
 - Facilitates cloud-based installation.
 - Are shapes customizable? (steve, Andrew) Andrew says this will be true. Steve: if we are going to tighten down the entities, apply schemas, then why not use a relational database? Why not just scrap the existing code base?
 - Ralph: the shapes and schemas are to help with ingest and to help with the UI, without breaking things that we have been supporting.
 - Mike: the LOD is primarily for the RIM application, If you are only interested in putting profiles on the screen, then any application can do it.
 - Mike: also consider, why is a company like MasterCard hiring ontologists? What do they see as the value of semantic tech?
 - Steve: don't you lose that flexibility/power if you start enforcing shapes? Mike: it's a balancing act. Jim: there
 might be other paths that reach around the shapes validation.
 - Steve: After 20 years, do we see any real results from RDF? If anything, the point of a triple-store is that it's schema-less. The developers must accept the burden of data validation.
 - "Blah-blah-blah" maturity of the technology. Hang out with the Europeans.
 - Alex: Justin was talking about SHACL etc as a lesson learned from the RIALTO project. this and other
 - evidence suggests that this is not a wayward concept.
 - Don: shapes could be used to prohibit data, or perhaps just to flag data irregularities.
- Status of in-review tickets
 - There are two tickets that are small changes and that need one more review.

Actions

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Previous Actions

- Brian Lowe confirm LDF server issue with TDB content stores
- Don Elsborg add jira tickets for abox/tbox use cases one ticket for each use case
- Brian Lowe check with ontology group on handles
- Alex Viggio will bring news of Elasticsearch instead of Solr up with Product Evolution.