

2012-02-21 Outreach Call

Minutes

Introductions

- Kate Anderson - Mizzou
- Theodora Bakker - NYU
- Kathryn Masten - UNT
- Christa Modschiedler - U Chicago
- Ruth Reingold - Northwestern
- Pam Shaw - Northwestern
- [Kristi Holmes[<http://vivo.wustl.edu/display/n4754>] - WashU

Resources to support outreach/adoption activities

- Project website: <http://vivoweb.org/>
 - Updates about project activities: check out the [blog](#) and [press releases](#).
 - Connect with other VIVO sites at meetings and events: see the [calendar of events](#) and feel free to [send the project an email](#) or [email Kristi](#) - we can coordinate a meet-up or dinner plans or something similar.
 - Materials: some good background materials are available on the [Support page](#) and there are other materials on the SourceForge wiki (NOTE: moved to [DuraSpace wiki](#)). Of particular note is a [current flyer about VIVO](#) that you can print off and use locally.
- Open source community on [SourceForge](#)
 - [Adoption and Outreach resources](#)- including:
 - [VIVO Benefits](#) - Information about how the power of VIVO can be leveraged, by role.
 - [VIVO FAQs](#) - Frequently Asked Questions that have been raised during local outreach presentations, conferences, and emails to project members.
 - [Semantic Web resources](#) - Resources to learn about the semantic web, linked open data, and more.

Questions, future agenda items of interest to the group

- Is there a copy of the original proposal to read to better understand the scope of the work? Maybe a link to the development timeline?
- Meeting Frequency
 - call participants agreed that a monthly call around adoption and outreach topics is sufficient. Perhaps it might be easiest to remember that calls are the third Tuesday of the month. The next call is scheduled for March 20th, 12:00 noon ET.
- Listserv
 - the group decided that a listserv (such as what exists for [development, ontology, and implementation](#)) would be helpful. Kristi will get this set up.
- Topics for discussion
 - connecting with data sources (local data sources and broader data sources such as publishers, granting info, institutional repositories, and so on)
 - potential data sources - what are people doing? where are sites getting data?

Call Details

Adoption calls are open to everyone. We will use a GoToMeeting account which limits the number of connections to 15. If it appears that we need more seats, we'll make the appropriate arrangements. If you find you are unable to join the call, please send a message to the [vivoweb.org contact form](#).

Please join the meeting: <https://www1.gotomeeting.com/join/181562577>

- Use your microphone and speakers (VoIP) - a headset is recommended. Or, call in using your telephone.
- Dial +1 (786) 358-5418
- Access Code: 181-562-577
- Audio PIN: Shown after joining the meeting
- Meeting ID: 181-562-577

Agenda

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