Implementation and Development Call 20131114

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Release update

Jim: RC3 should go out Monday

Current blocker issues

Join the release test mailing list if you wish to be informed of release candidates, plus the final distribution -- and we'd love to have help testing -- subscribe here: https://lists.sourceforge.net/lists/listinfo/vivo-release-test

Apps and Tools Group

The next call is next Tuesday, November 19 at 1 pm ET, led by Chris Barnes from the University of Florida.

Upcoming Events

VivoCamp pre-conference at SWIB13 conference, November 25-27 in Hamburg https://sites.google.com/site/vivocamp13/

- short presentations and demos on a number of topics by a couple of experienced people, followed by discussion, Q&A, panels etc.
- Organized by Valeria Pesce, Lambert Heller, and Lukas Koster
- John Fereira from the U.S. will be attending

Duke will be hosting the **2014 VIVO Implementation Fest** from March 19-21 – reserve your hotel room today and stay tuned for more information in coming weeks

Updates

- Brown (Ted)
  - Finalizing data load process from existing profile system for December rollout to faculty, starting with campus availability
    - Stephen: please share results of your focus groups
  - Working with Provost's office on displaying organizational structure in VIVO, thus filling a real need on campus.
- Colorado (Stephen & Alex)
  - Working on testing 1.6 of VIVO starting with our UCCS data. We'll send in tickets to Jira later today (and confirm tickets if they already exist)
  - Beginning to wireframe visualizations using D3.js and Google's API and our VIVO data.
  - 2013 curation in Elements is finished and our curators are going back in time
  - Will be looking at Harvester integration with VIVO 1.6
  - Working on getting the Harvester examples translated to 1.6. API integration slated for 1.7.
- Cornell (Jim, Brian, Huda)
  - Working on 1.6RC3 for early next week
  - Huda continuing to work on DataStar
- Duke (Patrick, Richard & Sheri)
  - Continued work on artistic works looking at legacy data from previous systems.
  - Looking at the Library of Congress Subject Headings and getting those included into our instance.
  - Sheri: will version 1.6 include an LCSH service call? Answer: yes!
- EPA (Zac)
  - No updates again today, sorry.
- Memorial (Max)
  - Working on a Drupal application…[sorry didn't catch the details]
  - Correction: Memorial is continuing to work with Stella as a migration analyst.
  - Looking for third party VIVO consultant as Stella who was consulting on a project basis with them, but has moved to a full-time job -- also VIVO docs need updating for 1.5/1.6
    - Stephen recommended posting this to the VIVO dev list, as some older VIVO NIH project developers might have interest and availability
    - Alex to follow up with Max offline about tracking down a possible consultant; it's important that the project (DuraSpace) maintains and provides a list of consultants, vendors, or interested former VIVO developers
    - Paul: what's the best way to publicize your need and solicit consultants?
      - There are a lot of other semantic web developers outside the VIVO community (see LinkedIn Semantic Web groups -- is there a VIVO wiki page for this?) who might be drawn into the VIVO project.
- RPI - Patrick out today, but interested in possible VIVO/CKAN integration demo next week
- Scripps (Michaeleen) - no update today
  - Does the Implementation Fest rate apply to Saturday night? Who should I contact?
  - Stephen: try calling the hotel
  - Alex: still working out a schedule, but considering a hackathon on Tuesday; possible Friday sponsor meeting
  - Update: Julia Trimmer at Duke will contact the Hilton to discuss the possibility of extending the VIVO rate to include Monday and Saturday nights
- Stony Brook (Tammy) - loaded data on to VIVO Stony Brook Medicine, converted from VIVO 1.5.2 to VIVO 1.6 rc 2. I know rc2 is not officially "ready" yet, but… I'm happy to report that it appears to be working very nicely!

- Although, one strange little thing happens - when you log in, a few rogue predicates are visible under "Other" ("bearer of", "has contact info", "participates in", "related by"). "Related by" shows some good things -- the labels for grant name and position name. But it also shows only the URI for the authorship(s).
      - First look at a VIVO 1.6 instance with data?
      - Paul to talk with Tammy about modeling medical expertise data
      - Might be a 1.6-specific bug modeling organizations
  - UCSF (Eric)
      - Would be willing to do an OpenSocial demo at a future implementation call
      - Alex: you should try to attend the Implementation Fest -- interest in OpenSocial and ORNG, and Profiles' VIVO RDF
  - Virginia Tech (Julie)
      - No major updates; been working on other projects
      - Beginning of the search process to find two systems engineers (one for VIVO and Symplectic Elements and another for cloud management)
  - Weill Cornell (Paul, Eliza)
      - VIVO is in Large Pilot stage
      - Struggling to remove/subtract data from graphs using site admin tools
      - Stephen: this has been a recurring bug in Harvester; Eliza: but we are using the site admin tool
      - Brian: normally this should work; we might have to go offline and see what the problem is
      - Eliza to send out message describing the problem to dev-all list
  - any others?

Next Thursday's call

- Alex: what about two demos next week - VIVO/CKA and OpenSocial?
- Stephen: sounds good; we should do the release update, the two demos, and then the updates pending time

Notable list traffic

See the vivo-dev-all archive and vivo-imp-issues archive for complete email threads

- CAS and VIVO – (John from Memorial) – Is anyone using it, and if so, do you have any good anecdotes or documentation to share? Our institutional single sign-on is built on a stock CAS install.
      - Notre Dame may have done so in the past but is not pursuing it.
      - Tammy is using CAS.
      - I hear no
- How are user accounts associated with profile pages?
- JRuby code that performs the equivalent of creating inferences in the process of assembling a Jena resource: https://gist.github.com/patrickmcelwee/7377676 (Patrick)
      - This is awesome. Thanks, Patrick!

Call-in Information

- Date: Every Thursday, no end date
- Time: 1:00 pm, Eastern Daylight Time (New York, GMT-04:00)
- Meeting Number: 641 825 891

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