

# Implementation and Development Call 20140529

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## Announcements

- [Ontology Working Group](#): next call is Thursday, June 12 at noon EDT
  - Today's call included a demo from LASP, and hope to be involved in a subgroup for data sets
  - Agenda to be determined -- look for an announcement or review the last call notes at <http://goo.gl/AHPqoe>
- [Apps & Tools Working Group](#): next call is Tuesday, June 10 at 1pm EDT
  - Agenda to be determined
- [VIVO Bootcamp](#) at [ELAG 2014](#) (June 10 at University of Bath, United Kingdom)
  - Violeta Ilik from Texas A&M (workshop co-organizer) and Ted Lawless from Brown will be attending -- final planning call next week.
- VIVO Conference: August 6-8 Austin, TX
  - [Registration is open](#) – early bird rate through June 20 and lodging discount at venue (Hyatt Regency) through July 3 is based on availability
  - Submission responses went out today, and organizers hope to have the full schedule available by the end of next week

## Working Group Activities

- First annual survey of VIVO sites due Thursday, **May 29**
  - The survey: <https://www.formstack.com/forms/?1704676-gIMWIsYzom>
- VIVO 1.7 development
  - Code freeze scheduled for Friday, June 7 -- found a VIVO 1.6.1 memory leak which will be included in a VIVO 1.6.2 patch release and 1.7
  - See [VIVO v1.7 release planning](#) and [notes from last call](#)
- Next themed weekly call topic – June 5
  - Theme to be confirmed: Performance follow up from [April 24 call](#) (also see [Performance Troubleshooting Guide](#)) OR VIVO Annual Survey-a-thon?

## Site Updates

- [Brown](#) (Steve)
  - No major updates on production site, some slowdown in activity with summer break
- [Colorado](#) (Don)
  - Currently focused on ORCID integration to register most CU-Boulder faculty. Sent out a batch email to faculty about ORCID plan, and had no notable negative feedback (~1 opt out)
  - Hoping to add awards data to VIVO CU-Boulder, and a 1.6 upgrade planned for late summer
  - Paul: question about feedback from faculty on ORCID interop. Don replied that the current focus is on minting ORCID iDs for use internally, and not bi-directional data feeds.
- [Cornell](#)
  - Simeon Warner demoed VIVO/ORCID integration at last week's ORCID call -- code that will be distributed in VIVO 1.7
  - Cornell VIVO has been on VIVO 1.6 for two weeks -- quick demo of updated site on call: major UI change for public users is geo map, found and fixed memory leak, VIVO conversion shrine as a best practice (pics needed ;)
  - Auto-restart script when VIVO becomes unresponsive -- was helpful that this was in place during memory leak issue. Alex: could this be shared? Brian thinks so.
- [Duke](#) (Patrick and Sheri)
  - Getting non-faculty imported into Scholars@Duke -- about ready to go out. Could be students, affiliates, or staff -- anyone in the Duke LDAP directory is a candidate. Custom UI that supports opt-in pulls from LDAP
  - Working on a tool to replace one piece of faculty reporting for Duke schools -- as an open source project on GitHub (Clojurescript with Facebook's React.js): [https://github.com/OIT-ADS-Web/vivo\\_widgets\\_reporter](https://github.com/OIT-ADS-Web/vivo_widgets_reporter) - basically like a simple CV builder
- [DuraSpace](#)
- [Florida](#)
- [Fundação Getulio Vargas](#)
  - Alexandre will not be able to attend. "No significative change in our side."
- IFPRI -- International Food Policy Research Institute
- Memorial University (Max)
  - Waiting for some UI graphics design for the frontend Drupal integration as we will have a beta release in June.

- working on new ontology structure to integrate with Yaffle, and will submit a finalized version to the Ontology group this week.
- Collecting map data to build a visual module.
- Smithsonian (Alvin)
  - No significant update. Have been testing/working with the API in 1.6.x some successes but mostly failures--need to investigate. Lots of administrative work--identifying data sources, candidates for import, privacy issues, IT departmental requirements, etc. Looking forward to 1.6.2 since we have performance issues and I assume they are related to the memory leak that Jim B. mentioned.
  - Asked if Cornell's restart script will be relevant after memory leak patch is available with 1.6.2/1.7
- Stony Brook
- Symplectic (Alex)
- RPI/Deep Carbon Observatory
- Texas A&M
- UCLA (David and Vivek)
  - Vivek: trying to implement a profile management system at UCLA (internal/private and external/public profiles) -- would like internal changes to be reflected in public VIVO profiles (adds/updates/deletes). Trying to use SPARQL update queries and have this happen in real-time. Brian: this seems like the right approach, using SPARQL updates (the API). Vivek: Query runs always indicates accepted "success" (200 code) -- but if they check in the VIVO, and not seeing the change. Overview deletions working, but email delete not working.
- Virginia Tech (Julie and Keith)
  - Implementing Symplectic Elements with basic faculty elements. VIVO is somewhat on hold.
  - Testing Elements with faculty to see what kinds of info they want displayed in their profiles
- [Weill Cornell](#) (Paul)
  - Attended conference in D.C., organized by Katy Borner, "Linking International Academic Databases to Find Collaborators and Emerging Trends"
  - Looking to set up a Vagrant instance for testing/dev purposes
  - Eliza working on updating Harvester for 1.6
  - Our VIVO is a lot healthier these days. Look Ma, no downtime.

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## Notable List Traffic

- TBD

See the [vivo-dev-all archive](#) and [vivo-imp-issues archive](#) for complete email threads

## 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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