

# 2017-02-26 VIVO Updates

**VIVO Camp Registration extended.** We have a great group signed up to learn about VIVO at VIVO Camp, April 6-8 in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Registration has been extended and will remain open until we're full. [Register today for Camp here](#). An [itinerary is available](#). Drop us a note at [info@vivoweb.org](mailto:info@vivoweb.org)

**Improving the VIVO ontologies.** We'll have a call Monday, February 27 at 11 AM regarding improving the VIVO ontologies. If you are interested in the ontologies, particularly in change management regarding the ontologies, please consider joining the call. Here's [the Webex link](#). Here's [an agenda](#).

**Put your thinking caps on.** Ready for some strategic planning? VIVO has a strategic plan ([available here](#)) for the period 2015-16. We're drafting a plan for 2017-18. We need your help. In particular, what can the VIVO community do over the next two years to make VIVO the obvious choice for everyone? We'd love to hear from you on the VIVO Google Groups or contact one of the [Steering Group](#) members.

**Outreach and engagement call this Thursday** Interested in building community around VIVO at your institution? The [Outreach and Engagement Interest Group](#) shares experiences, answers questions, and discusses building support for VIVO. The call will be this Thursday, March 1 at 1 PM US Eastern time. Here's the [WebEx Link](#).

Go VIVO!

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