

2018-01-21 VIVO Updates

Slack and Zoom. With the new year come new technologies for use by the VIVO project.

- Slack is a popular team collaboration tool. You can join VIVO Slack here: <https://goo.gl/forms/JxQFkut4TYj4Ehww1> We have channels for development, ontology, camp, and more. Join the collaboration!
- Zoom is a popular web-based video conferencing tool. VIVO has moved from WebEx to Zoom. All future VIVO on-line meetings will be held in Zoom. We are updating the wiki, calendars and other notes to reference new Zoom meetings locations.

Development. The [Development Interest group](#) will meet every Tuesday at 11 AM US Eastern. All info here: <https://goo.gl/oz39Nj>

Ontology. The [Ontology Improvement Task Force](#) will meet every other Tuesday at 10 AM US eastern. All info here: <https://goo.gl/2u6jDg>

Apps and Tools. The [Apps and Tools Interest Group](#) will meet this Thursday at 1 PM US Eastern at its new Zoom location: <https://duraspace.zoom.us/j/685993966>

Webinar: VIVO and the Role of Librarians. From [Violeta Ilik](#): I wanted to share with all of you two upcoming webinars that are scheduled to happen in February and March. They relate to VIVO and the role of librarians. I am very happy that American Library Association is acknowledging the role of librarians in implementation and continuous support of this project and I am truly honored to have been asked to teach these two webinars. Hope you can join in or recommend to someone.

For more information please visit these two links:

<http://www.ala.org/alcts/confevents/upcoming/webinar/022818>

<http://www.ala.org/alcts/confevents/upcoming/webinar/031418>

Ideas about VIVO? Please share your ideas about VIVO and Vitro with us. You can share on a list, on Slack, directly with a member of the [VIVO Leadership Group](#), [VIVO Steering Group](#), send directly to me – [Mike Conlon](#). We are always looking to hear from you about ways to make VIVO and Vitro better.

Go VIVO!

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