2018-11-08 DSpace 7 Working Group Meeting

Date
08 Nov 2018 from 15:00-16:00 UTC

Location: DSpace Meeting Room

Agenda

- General development / planning updates (Tim)
- Quick updates on Angular UI tickets and/or PRs (Art)
- Quick updates on REST API tickets and/or PRs (Andrea)
- (Last 15mins) Development planning/updates in Development Planning Spreadsheet.

Attendees

- Art Lowel (Atmire)
- Andrea Bollini (4Science) (unavailable)
- Tim Donohue
- Lieven Droogmans (unavailable)
- Pablo Prieto (unavailable)
- Mark H. Wood
- Giuseppe Digilio (4Science) (unavailable)
- Ben Bosman

Notes

(Notes below copied from last meeting. Details will be updated during this meeting.)

- General Updates (Tim)
  - DSpace Leadership team had a meeting yesterday 2018-11-07 DSpace Leadership Group Meeting
  - Looking less and less likely we'll push for a DSpace 7 "preview" release in 2018. A subgroup of the Leadership group will meet next week to discuss DSpace 7 release planning/strategies.

- Angular Team Updates (Art)
  - Merged PRs: none this week
  - In Progress tickets / PRs:
    - Lotte working on the menus (based on mockups)
    - Wiki page for side menu mockups: Menu Mockups
    - Kristoff creating & editing Communities, Collections & Items
    - Angular 6 PR (ready for early reviews, but won't be merged until Submission UI is merged): https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/320
      - Art noted that Angular 7 was just released this week. However, no rush to upgrade yet, as we'll need to wait on our dependencies to update to v7 compatibility
      - However, this notes that we really should work to get to Angular 6 soon (waiting on Submission PR still, see below)
  - Tickets / PRs requiring review:
    - Several small PRs from Bram (reviewed by Art, waiting on updates)
      - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/324
      - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/322
    - Entities PR: https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/315 (Needs reviewers/testers)
      - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/279
      - This ticket is also waiting on Tests/Specs to be implemented
      - 4Science notes they can get these implemented by end of November.
      - It's possible it could be done earlier (will try for early November). But having more contributors could help here
    - When visiting /submit, even if I'm already logged in, I'm prompted to login a second time.
      - Will be fixed with X-Forwarded Header fix: https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2207
      - Configuration on server side is incorrect (for second describe box). Giuseppe will fix

- REST Team Updates
  - Open PRs: https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pulls?q=is%3Apr+is%3Aopen+label%3A%22REST+API+v7%22+sort%3Aupdated-desc
  - Merged PRs:
    - https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2206
    - https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2207
  - In Progress tickets / PRs:
    - https://github.com/4Science/DSpace/pull/37 (Still waiting on Andrea to find time to create a PR from this)
      - After that PR, we also will have a MyDSpace PR to complete the REST API side of Submission & Workflow
    - Atmire will be creating separate PRs for each Content Mgmt feature (see our spreadsheet for full list)
      - Still in the design phase
    - Atmire looking at dynamically adding HAL links (making it more configurable).
  - Tickets / PRs requiring review:
    - https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2258
      - Needs reviewers
    - https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2173 (Reviewed by Andrea, waiting on updates)
• https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2128 (Updated by Oliver, waiting for final review from Andrea?)
• https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2129 (Needs updates from Mark)
• Tickets to update our DSpace Java dependencies. Tim & Mark W have started working in this area, and this is important for DSpace 7 as some dependencies are very outdated or even EOL
  • https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2244 (Update to Commons Config v2 – important for better Spring integration)
  • Also a Solr upgrade in the works: https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2058
  • And a log4j upgrade in works: https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/2241

• Development planning/updates in Development Planning Spreadsheet.
• The Next Meeting will be Thursday, Nov 15 at 15:00UTC (10:00am EST) in DSpace Meeting Room