2017-11-21 DSpace 7 Working Group Meeting notes

Date
21 Nov 2017

Discussion (combined Angular UI & REST meeting)

Attendees

- Art Lowel (Atmire)
- Andrea Bollini (4Science)
- Tim Donohue
- Giuseppe Digilio (4Science)
- William Welling

Notes

- General updates (from Tim)
  - Nothing to share today. Outreach meeting canceled because of Thanksgiving holiday in USA
- Angular UI Team updates (from Art)
  - Merged: https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/192
  - In Progress Tickets:
    - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/issues/172
    - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/issues/195
    - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/issues/193
  - All three of these tickets are being resolved in this larger PR: https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/199
  - Giuseppe’s PR looks good to Art. Any other reviews?
    - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/196
  - Jonas at Atmire is working on grid view of search results. PR coming soon
  - Art is working on POSTing data to REST API backend
  - Art also still looking at this issue: https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/pull/191
    - Recommends waiting on Angular 5 upgrade, as some of the code affected by this issue is no longer needed in Angular 5 or may need rewriting.
  - Angular 5 upgrade investigation in progress: https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/issues/194
  - New subissues split off
    - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/issues/200
    - https://github.com/DSpace/dspace-angular/issues/201

  - REST API Updates
    - Contract updates
      - Some open PRs: https://github.com/DSpace/Rest7Contract/pulls
      - Looking for feedback on https://github.com/DSpace/Rest7Contract/pull/15#discussion_r149616518
      - In progress: https://github.com/DSpace/Rest7Contract/pull/13
    - Implementation updates
      - In progress: https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/1873 (Andrea will review)
      - Close to merge: https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/1881 (Could use more reviewers)
        - Once contract is approved (PR#13 above), Andrea will give it a final test/review
      - Giant PR in need of more eyes / review (Tim will look at)
        - https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/1887 (1st step)
        - https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/1888 (2nd step)
        - https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/1889 (last step)
      - Documented in https://github.com/4Science/Rest7Contract/blob/DS-3759/workspaceitems.md
      - Range Header Support PR (from Tom): https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/1884
        - Avoid try/catch in controllers. Could use more eyes
      - Needs feedback / reviewers: https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace/pull/1879
      - Feedback on REST Contract PRs. We should work to accept/merge ASAP. If they wait too long, they can hold up the implementation.
    - All agree

  - Next Meeting will be Thurs, Nov 30 at 15:00UTC via Google Hangouts