# 2020-06-03 DSpace Marketing Working Group Agenda/Notes

- Carol Minton Morris (LYRASIS, co-chair) 🜟
- Bram Luyten (Atmire)
- Susanna Mornati (4Science)
- Pascal-Nicolas Becker cannot attend
- Jose Carvalho
- Heather Greer Klein (LYRASIS)
- Michele Mennielli (LYRASIS)
- David Corbly

#### Unavailable:

The \( \phi \) represents who will be taking notes for a given meeting.

#### Meeting Details

• Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android: https://lyrasis.zoom.us/j/529967804

#### Background

• Marketing Strategy Report from 2015: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1L66WSPTqJZRmTlweTljDq7oeksTL-av4/view?usp=sharing

### **Discussion items**

Item	Who	Notes
<ul> <li>Upcoming communications</li> <li>Beta 3 may be released this month</li> <li>Other communications?</li> </ul>	Heath er, Carol	<ul> <li>Aiming for DSpace 7 Beta 3 release at end of June or beginning of July</li> <li>Timeline slipping and working to correct</li> <li>Perhaps changing/eliminating Beta 3 features to speed up release</li> <li>Protocol on releases has been that Tim sends announcement and we pick it up, light edit, Carol Minton Morris sends through LYRASIS channels</li> <li>Bram Luyten (Atmire) will create lightning videos of key Beta 3 features to include</li> <li>Maureen Walsh presented at OR2020 Repository Rodeo about DSpace 7, but no mention of planned final production release date</li> <li>Heather presented at SMIRC: https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1HitRw6XB4Dmxku7BIZCiyhxBQm1e0L6XY6K3K0Hx2vs/edit?usp=sharing</li> <li>Michele Mennielli working on Spanish versions of DSpace 7 presentations with Bram Luyten (Atmire) Susanna Mornati (4Science) and others</li> </ul>

endorsements we collected  Encourage upgrades of current DSpace 6 to DSpace 7. Could we launch a communication campaign, who could we reach?  Possible opportunity to look for an upgrade to 6 migration grant  Long timeline; bring to internal DSpace meetings  Catalyst Fund application process has concluded for 2020  Possible promotion of Cat Fund to DSpace community for 2021 for innovative DSpace uses  Campaign for upgrade to 6 inappropriate at this time  Possible source for immediate migration from early versions of DSpace to 6 or 7 funding; https://www.imls.gov/grants/apply-grant/notices-funding-opportunities  General upgrade to DSpace 6 campaign so that you can easily upgrade to DSpace 7?  Upgrade to DSpace 6 as a good way to prepare for DSpace 7  Wany issues: languages and more  DSpace 6.4 is a good and stable release but UI advances are limited Carol Minton Morris Heather Greer Kleinto work on announcement  Providers could put an upgrade "package" together?  Unlikely, existing customizations are an issue with upgrades, expensive  How to help users wrap their brains around the new UI possibilities?  Nich What needs to be considered philosophically?
Other business, news to share All

## **Action items**

Item	Who