DevMtg 2012-09-05

Developers Meeting on Weds, September 5, 2012

Agenda

Regular Items

- ~~JIRA Reviews – starting with issue DS-1082~~
  - ~~Search for all Unresolved Issues (since DS-1082)~~

- First 15 minutes: Forgoing the normal JIRA review for our first DCAT Cross-Discussion
  - DCAT is wondering if there's any way they can help / support 3.0 in coming weeks

Discussion Topics

1. 3.0 Release Schedule & Discussions
   - Are we still on for Feature Freeze on Fri?
   - 3.0 Tasks List: https://wiki.duraspace.org/display/DSPACE/DSpace+3.0+Tasks
     - Any last features to be committed / voted in?
   - Outstanding questions:
     - Do we want to pull LNI out of the "main codebase" and release as a separate 'dspace-lni' module?
     - Should Discovery be enabled by default? The question posted to dspace-devel had some good discussion, but no consensus yet.
2. Other topics?

Additional Ongoing Topics

1. How can we "catch up" with JIRA Backlog?
   - Do we need to "split up" the tickets & do quick reviews on our own? Or perhaps just split up tickets & do a very quick ranking & schedule ones with patches for 3.0?
   - Perhaps we schedule a "JIRA Backlog Bash" event (via IRC or similar) where we work together to decrease the backlog over a few days or a week (think of this like a "Test-a-thon" but instead we'd be working to just clear out the backlog as best we can).
2. Brainstorming Features/Changes for future. Can we work towards development teams around any of these projects?
   - Larger DSpace projects which seem to have a lot of recent support:
     - Moving towards a Common "Business Logic" / Business Services API. (I.e. avoiding duplication of business logic in all UIs)
     - Metadata For All (i.e. metadata on all objects), SubTopic: Getting us up-to-date how we use Dublin Core / DCMI. (Support from DCAT)
     - AuthN & AuthZ issues, including: DS-994, DS-1006, DS-1007, DS-1088, and developer meeting on May 2, 2012
   - Other DSpace projects receiving mention recently
     - Migrate Search and Browse to DSpace Discovery
     - "Change which UIs come out-of-the-box" (and which are optionally installed later)
     - Move configurations to DB or similar (so they can be managed/edited from Admin UI)
     - Context Guided Ingest (or Item Type based submissions)
     - Other Development Proposals

Individual Status Updates

If you have status items to report, please enter them below at least 1 hour before the meeting starts.

Meeting Notes

- DSpace 3.0 RT welcomes a new member: helix84
- RT pushes back the Feature Freeze deadline by a week. New deadline: September 17

Meeting Transcript

- Full IRC Transcript is available at - http://irclogs.duraspace.org/index.php?date=2012-09-05

Action Items

- An email will be sent to DCAT detailing how they can help testing 3.0 features (helix84)
- update 3.0 release schedule (RT)
- 3.0 tasks multivote will be sent (helix84)
- review remaining 3.0 tasks (everyone)
- merge remaining 3.0 pull requests by September 17 (commiters)