

# 2018-02-04 VIVO Updates

**Keep those ideas coming** Have an idea about VIVO? What do we want? How will we get it? Share your ideas here: <https://goo.gl/S2VSGD> We will be collecting ideas through February 19. We hope to hear from you!

**VIVO Conference Call for Proposals is open** Share your work on research information management, open scholarship, and profile systems at the VIVO Conference, June 6-8, Durham, NC. Submit your proposal for a poster, workshop, panel, or presentation here: <http://vivoconference.org/news/callforproposals>

Want to help with the conference? Join Slack (see below).

**VIVO Camp in beautiful San Diego, April 5-7** VIVO Camp is two and a half days of introduction to VIVO for those considering, planning, or leading implementations. Instructors will cover project goals, community buy-in, data sources, data models, ingest, ontology, and much more. [Julia Trimmer](#), Duke University, [Paul Albert](#), Weill Cornell Medicine, [Violeta Ilik](#), Stony Brook University, [Mike Conlon](#) and [Benjamin Gross](#) of Clarivate will serve as your guides, counselors, and instructors. Camp will be held at the Biomedical Library of the University of California, San Diego, UCSD, a stones throw from beautiful La Jolla. Camp registration is now open with an early bird deadline of February 28. To learn more and to register, click here: <https://goo.gl/vh9hm7>

**New to VIVO?** Here's some links:

- Community-minded people subscribe to [vivo-community@googlegroups.com](mailto:vivo-community@googlegroups.com)
- Tech questions and suggestions can be posted to [vivo-tech@googlegroups.com](mailto:vivo-tech@googlegroups.com)
- Is your organization supporting VIVO? You can become a member here: <http://bit.ly/dura-join>
- Join the VIVO Project Slack here: <https://goo.gl/forms/JxQFkut4TYj4Ehww1>
- VIVO Conference is here: <http://vivoconference.org>
- VIVO Wiki is here: <http://wiki.duraspace.org/display/VIVO>
- VIVO web site is here: <http://vivoweb.org>
- VIVO GitHub is here: <http://github.com/vivo-project>
- VIVO Documentation is here: [VIVO 1.9.x Documentation](#)

Hmmm. Maybe we should have a refrigerator magnet.

**Calls this week.** [Development Interest Group](#) meets weekly on Tuesday at 11 AM US Eastern. The [Ontology Improvement Task Force](#) will meet this Tuesday at 10 AM US Eastern time. Agendas and call in information are posted to the lists, and are available in the wiki.

Go VIVO!

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