

Plenary 1

Grid and Web Services Working Group

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PDL Status

- PDL – Parameter Description Language TCG review is finished with all the approvals from the WGs
- If it is approved by the EXEC we will probably start a work around the use of PDL in another WGs



First GWS Session (Wednesday afternoon)

- A session dedicated to workflows
- In Heidelberg we had a session dedicated to workflows
- In Hawaii we had a discussion about the fact to maintain the workflows in the frame of GWS. We decided to keep it in GWS and to have dedicated sessions when needed
- We will have 3 presentations from the Spanish and the Italian VOs
 - **The ER-flow project and astronomical workflows** : current status and future perspectives, Claudio Vuerli
 - **Creating a workflow with Taverna Workbench for the first time**, Francisco Jiménez-Esteban
 - **AstroTaverna and VO workflows**, Julian Garrido Sanchez



Second GWS Session on Thursday morning

- This session is dedicated to VOSpace update to 2.1
- Brian Major prepared a dedicated page on the IVOA wiki :
 - <http://wiki.ivoa.net/twiki/bin/view/IVOA/VOSpace21Spec>
- It is still possible to add your comments or needs
- We will also start a reflexion about the future of VOSpace
 - 3.0 ?, another standard, ...

Third GWS Session on Thursday afternoon

- This session is dedicated to UWS update to 1.1
- We had requests concerning (at least in Pune and Heidelberg) the update / evolution of this standard to clear some points or to add functionalities
- Paul Harrison prepared a dedicated page on the IVOA wiki :
 - <http://wiki.ivoa.net/twiki/bin/view/IVOA/UWSEnhancement>
- Like for VOSpace it is still possible to add your comments or needs
- If we have remaining time we will also have a discussion about the future : is a UWS 2.0 necessary ?

Roadmap (from Hawaii Plenary 2)

- Now
 - Push PDL to a recommendation
- For the next Interop in Madrid
 - Prepare a UWS 1.1 version (with the needs which require minors changes)
 - Prepare a VOspace 2.1 version (at least one need from CADC concerning parameters)
 - Note about “Abusive users” : as a set of experiences more than a Best practice
- For the coming years
 - UWS 2.0 and VOspace 3.0 : in a first step we will evaluate all the needs out of the scope of 1.1 and 2.1 versions