Software Architecture Minutes - 11/2/2015
Attending: Ananthan, Beard, Marker, Mills (recorder), Morgan, Triggs, Yu

Agenda

1. Announcements - All
2. 7.7 Status - All
3. Issue Tracking System - All
4. Jobs & Reports - Triggs

1) Announcements and updates

The libraries technical staff met with OIT regarding LDAP to CAS migrations. The RUcore single sign-on already complies with the new mandate since it depends on Shibboleth as its NetID authenticator. LDAP queries for user information will still be permitted. OIT might implement a broad Grouper installation. For community/guest accounts in RUcore we may want to start using the Guest account capability offered by OIT. This will need a discussion in CISC. CAS doesn’t offer a logout method. When working on migration projects from LDAP to CAS contact IIS for all preliminary CAS setup queries.

A new university wide email and calendaring system will be implemented starting next calendar year.

Scholarly deposits have increased to approximately five to ten a week.

2) R7.7 Status

Ananthan sent a test plan to the group for review. This release has a few feature enhancements and many bug fixes. Testing begins next week with the first session on Tuesday, November 10th.

3) Issue Tracking System

Redmine and Jira evaluation information was sent to the group earlier in the week. Everyone has until next Monday to try out Jira. Consensus so far is that both products look rather good. Some commented that Jira has progressed greatly since it was evaluated some years back.

4) Jobs & Reports

The scripts to move the technical metadata from “inline” to “managed” have been created and packaged for Hoover to run on staging and production.

Next focus is to move all RARCH datastreams to “managed” datastreams. Approximately 511 resources accounting for 3.2Tb of space will be affected.