## OFPD/X Open Floor Plan Display \& eXchange

## Progress Update October 2009

## Simple, Lightweight File Format



Building Information Display

## Basic Layer Composition



## Simple Functionality





Open Floor Plan Display
Project Prospectus

Presented by
SFC MapLab Project
Golden Gate Safety Network
and
Building Service Performance Project
Ontolog Forum

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## Progress Since April

## Organization

- Forming an expanded informal consortium with Golden Gate Safety Network, Carnegie Mellon, NASA, plus additional developers and emergency response practitioners
- Seeking a sponsor for funding


## Progress Since April

Ontology creation and standardization

- Creating a new OASIS Technical Committee
- Working with the EDXL and NIEM emergency management groups to provide a compatible open floor plan model
- Began formalizing and augmenting the current Open Floor Plan Display syntax into an ontology


## Plans

- First major prototype will be OFPD for FireFighter Tracking (with CMU \& NASA)
- Looking for the right opportunity to demonstrate OFPD/X for Energy Analysis
- We expect to have a stable ontology completed by summer 2010, for submission through OASIS and harmonized with NIEM


## Indoor / Outdoor FireFighter Tracking

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## Open Floor Plan Display <br> $\qquad$ <br> FireFighter Tracking

CMU is collaborating with the Golden Gate Safety Network to develop a format for displaying floor plan related building data for First Responders.

Major Benefits include:

- Interior Knowledge of a Complex and Dangerous Situation
- Ability to Plan the Best Route of Approach to Fire
- Quick Visibility of the Best Route to Exit
- Background for Real Time Tracking
- Powerful Tool For:
- Training and Exercises
- Damage Assessment
- Search and Rescue


CMU Building 23 - "Milk Carton Model"


CMU B23 Floor 2 - Open Floor Plan Display

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## Example: Ontology Requirement (Spatial Structure)

A "space" in a facility is where an event occurs. Understanding and responding to an event requires knowledge of the space's function, associated building elements, associated objects in or near the space, and relationship to other spaces within the facility with respect to the context of the event.

- Facility's spatial structure elements
- Identifiable
- Classified by function and (optionally?) by form
- Associated with building elements
- Relationship to other spaces


## Spatial Decomposition

Spatial Structure Use Definition

```
F-Thing
* ObjectDefinition
    Context
    \ TypeObject
        * BuildingElementType
            WallType
    ` Object
            VirtualElement
```

```
            BuildingElement
                Wall
            * SpatialElement
            `"SpatialStructureElement
                BuildingStorey
                    Building
                            Space
                            Site
                SpatialZone
    Relationship
    `- RelAssociates
        RelAssociatesClassification
    `-RelDecomposes
        RelAggregates
    RelAssigns
    * RelConnects
        ReIContainedInSpatialStructure
```

```RelSpaceBoundary
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## Spatial Connection

ObjectDefinition

- Context
$\checkmark$ TypeObject
- BuildingElementType

Wallitype
$\checkmark$ Object

- VirtualElementBuildingElement
- OpatialElement
$\dagger$ SpatialStructureElement
BuildingStorey
Building
Space
Site
SpatialZone
Relationship
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RelAssociatesClassification
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*Image from IFC2x4 documentation


## Information Exchange Package Documentation Life Cycle



* http://www.niem.gov/pdf/HLTA-1_1.pdf



