OOR Panel Discussion:

Getting OOR Development Off the Ground: Identifying Synergies & Gaps

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Agenda

- Information:
  - Today's call (August 22, 2008):
    - http://ontolog.cim3.net/cgi-bin/wiki.pl?ConferenceCall_2008_08_22

- From Discussion to Action

- Guidelines for Panelists & Participants

- Panelists

From Discussion to Action

- We need to move the OOR effort from discussion to action
  - Need to identify usable programming code/services now
  - Need to firm up implementation commitments
    - Who can provide what now and in the future?
  - Need to identify existing software that can be packaged into OOR modules
  - Need to identify programmatic interfaces to existing repositories that can be used in a federation approach

- Can we demonstrate the federation of existing repositories such as BioPortal, XMDR, SemanticMediaWiki?

- We also want to ensure that Common Logic and its tools are included in the OOR realization

Guidelines for Panelists and Participants

1) Describe the capabilities and services that your existing repository software has

2) Share design, code, and resources on an ongoing basis

3) Expose your programmatic interfaces that would support federating the software modules as a part of OOR

4) What is your own perspective on "synergies and gaps" for OOR?

   – What possible synergies do you see among the prospective contributors to OOR (repositories and other efforts)?

   – What are potential capabilities that no current repository provides (gaps) but which would be useful for OOR?

Panelists

- **Mr. MikeDean (BBN)**
  - A Modular Software Architecture for OOR

- **Professor MarkMusen (Stanford)**
  - BioPortal: An open ontology repository for community-based ontology management and review

- **Dr. LiDing (RPI)**
  - Search and navigate online ontologies

- **Mr. BruceBargmeyer (LNBL)**
  - XMDR Contributions

- **Mr. BillAndersen (Ontology Works)**
  - Common Logic: Tools and Prospects