

2003-11-06 WSDM UPlat Conference Call Minutes

Agenda

- 1. Addressing and Name Resolution Discussion (Heather)
- 2. Versioning - Andreas and Andrea
- 3. Attributes - William and Heather

Action Items

- Heather. Soon. Update Addressing What and Why.
- Heather. Soon. Add text for WS-Addressing to How.
- William. Soon. Add text for WSDL addressing How.
- Homayoun. Soon. Add text for current addressing How.
- Andreas D. Before next call. Update UPlat document and send to group.

Motions

- Minutes from previous meeting were approved.

Summary

- Decided to have another auxiliary call. Next Tuesday, November 11th, 10 Eastern, 7 AM Pacific.
- Noted that there will be no Thursday meeting the week of Thanksgiving.
- Discussed Addressing. Combined the best of Heather's write up and Bryan/William's write up, for the What and Why. Came up with three options for How: WS-Addressing, WSDL WG discussion, and what is done today.
- Ran out of time to discuss other submitted topics.
- Decided the subGroup needs to have recommendations in the How section by December. They can be options or specific standards.
- Andreas D. will take the editing job of putting all submissions into the document for now.

Meeting Notes

- Roll Call. William. Heather. John. Homayoun. Igor. Others.
- Approval of the minutes from last Tuesday.
- John volunteered as scribe.
- Everyone available next Tuesday at 11 Eastern? Igor is not. Have OMOD at 1. Maybe 10 Eastern, 7 AM Pacific? All can do that, though not regularly at 7 AM.
- Will decide about any other special meetings after that. Remember that the week of Thanksgiving has no Thursday meeting, either.
- 1. Addressing and Name Resolution Discussion (Heather)
 - Bryan wrote the first draft. William updated it to separate more from Identification.
 - Heather didn't know there was a draft already.
 - Decided to use Heather's draft for WHAT, but include the aspect from the draft of

giving the ability to get the WSDL. (“In the case of a web service, "being accessed" means getting hold of its WSDL description and any extra information that might be needed to route messages to the service.”) The sequence could be you get the address, then the WSDL, then invoke. Or it could be get the WSDL, get the address, invoke. Or already understand the format and go to invoke.

- Heather and William will work out the wording.
- WHY. Not sure if all the things in the document are right. May have identifiers, not addressing. Tie addressing to being able to invoke it.
 - Change Heather's What to “unique web service”.
- HOW. When can people provide these?
 - Are they needed by F2F? William noted that at least the aspects of the platform and recommendations for them. Heather said the recommendations could be options. So the answer is YES.
 - Homayoun. Have the HOW completed to some degree by December.
 - WS-Addressing.
 - William noted discussions in WSDL WG about using Service Element. Allows several endpoints to be in there, typically one. William volunteered to write up a paragraph on how it might work.
 - Homayoun said a third proposal is to do what WS do today, provide the address directly to the consumer, or publish yourself in UDDI. This would allow current practices to work. Further discussion about whether this is needed. Or do we have to have a specific format in the XML? Also, this only applies to manageability. Homayoun will write this proposal up.
 - Do we need “persistable” in the definition? Heather thinks so, to be able to invoke the address later from an event or relationship. William asks whether we need a lifetime or it has to be forever. Heather will take it out for now unless she can bring out a firm requirement.
- Name Resolution. Heather had to leave before we discussed this.
- 2. Versioning - Andreas and Andrea. Ran out of time.
- 3. Attributes - William and Heather. Ran out of time.
- Procedure. Usually indicate one person to have the “pen”. Contributions are sent to the current editor. Current editor has all the responsibilities for the document until someone else takes over.
 - Andreas D. will take the pen for now, as editor, for the near term. He asked all to indicate the section number.

END OF MEETING.