ATTENDEES:
- Monica Martin
- Rand Anderson
- Frank Ryan
- Yin-Leng

Pre-meeting discussion (waiting for others to join the call):

Use Case clarifying Abstract vs Executable is needed.

- Wasn’t Alex going to work on this? – need to confirm
- Clarification needed: What is the role of abstract processes in relation to the executable?
- Monica expressed concern about ad-hoc decisions being made without specific examples being made available.
  - Monica: Targeted decisions are being made regarding abstract processes (e.g. BEA discussing opaque activity, others want to remove start activity)
- Issue 4 may be able to provide some guidance on abstract BPEL
- Rand: Can we get Tony Andrews involved to help clarify abstract BPEL? Perhaps he could give us some straw man use cases.
  - John will follow up with Tony via email.
- Monica’s swag on issues related to Abstract BPEL (There may be others as well
  - Monica is still catching up on email):
    - 4, 96, 107, 82, 99, 24, 91, 97, 109

AGENDA / MINUTES:

The call started at 4:10 PM ET.

1) Review of Action Items:

John Evdemon:
- Published a new Use Case: MS-02 (Shipping Service)
- Frank indicated that the sample BPEL for MS-02 is executable, not abstract. John will follow up and replace with an abstract example.
- Sample WSDL for MS-02 is available
- Still need to finish cleaning up and posting the following Use Cases:
  - Simp1-01, BCF-01.

Monica Martin:
- Still working with Sid on Nuperus-01. Monica may submit additional info as it becomes available.
- Discuss possibility of creating a Use Case based upon Monica’s F2F presentation.
  - Monica indicated that Endpoints will be discussed soon by the TC. Monica may not have time to work on the Use Case until May.
  - The Use Case would illustrate possible alternatives to WS-Addr
Yin-Leng:
- Followed up with various people at HP to get some additional
  narrative/explanations for the slides she contributed (see http://www.oasis-
  open.org/archives/wsbpel-uc/200403/msg00009.html).
- Yin-Leng is still awaiting feedback from internal sources at HP.
- Others at HP have sent her additional Use Cases that she needs to go
  through these and may submit one or more to replace her earlier submission.

Frank:
- Write up and submit the scenarios (using the template at http://www.oasis-
  open.org/committees/download.php/5997/WSBPPEL-UC-Template.rtf) used
  by the Implementation subgroup and submit to the BPEL Use Case mailing
  list for discussion.
  - Frank has not done this yet because the Impl. Subgroup hasn’t
    assembled their scenarios yet. There are some simple examples, but
    nothing worth posting just yet.
  - The subgroup has not met in a while and Frank is unsure about
    when the next meeting will be held.
  - Frank offered to work with Phil Rossmundo on a Use Case for
    Abstract BPEL clarification.

David Webber and Monica:
- Work to revise the description of the CAM-01 and CAM-02 Use
  Cases. Submit to the revised templates to the Use Case mailing list
  for discussion.
  - Monica sent comments to David but had no reply.
  - John will follow up with David

David Webber:
- Send out a link to the semantic content management (SCM)
  subteam’s Use Cases. – part of the Registry TC
  - David did not do this. John will follow up with David

All:
- Review and comment on Use Cases as they are posted to the BPEL
  Use Case mailing list
  - No one had time to take any action on this task.
  - Rand offered to contact some external sources for possible Use
    Cases.

2) Discuss Pending Use Cases:
- Should we drop WSI-01 off the list?
  - The WS-I Supply Chain Use Case will be dropped. No one has time or
    interest to work on it.
- Permeable/impermeable scopes:
  - There was interest in this as a Use Case at the F2F
  - John contacted those expressing interest but had no feedback.
  - Monica indicated that Satish plans to provide examples to the TC

3) Moving ahead
- We’re all very busy and the group seems to be stalled at the moment due to a
  lack of participation. How can we fix this?

4) New Business
The group decided to stay focused on finishing the Use Cases we currently have before trying to solicit more.

**The meeting ended at 4:56 PM ET.**

**ACTION ITEMS:**

- **John Evdemon:**
  - Clean up Use Cases (ongoing)
    - Drop WS-01 from list
    - Post what we have for Nuperus-01 (more may be coming from Monica & Sid), Simpl-01, BCF-01.
  - Revise sample BPEL for MS-02 to make it abstract. Add links to MS-02 resources (BPEL, WSDL).
  - Contact Tony Andrews for some general advice/guidance on building Use Cases for abstract BPEL, share this info with the subgroup.
  - Follow up with David Webber regarding CAM-01/CAM-02 business context and pointers to RegRep metadata subgroup Use Case examples.

- **Yin-Leng:**
  - Continue to follow up with various people at HP to get some additional narrative/explanations for the slides she contributed (see http://www.oasis-open.org/archives/wsbpel-uc/200403/msg00009.html).
  - Review additional HP Use Cases, determine if any can be submitted.

- **Frank:**
  - Start working with Phil Rossomando on a Use Case to clarify Abstract BPEL.
  - Assume Implementation subgroup scenarios are unsuitable. This action item will be removed.

- **Monica:**
  - Determine if any additional issues apply to Abstract BPEL Use Case.
    - The following were named but there may be more: 4, 96, 107, 82, 99, 24, 91, 97, 109

- **David and Monica:**
  - Continue to work on revising the description of the CAM-01 and CAM-02 Use Cases. Submit to the revised templates to the Use Case mailing list for discussion.
  - A Use Case based upon Monica’s F2F presentation is not possible until May. This action item will be dropped.

- **David:**
  - Send out a link to the semantic content management (SCM) subteam’s Use Cases (ongoing).

- **All:**
  - Review and comment on Use Cases as they are posted to the BPEL Use Case mailing list (ongoing)