Customer Newsletter – Summer 2018

With 2018 rushing past quickly, we thought we would take this opportunity to take a look back over the past few months, as well as look forward towards what is coming soon.

Have a great Summer! – EPrints Services Management Team

Open Repositories 2018 and Repository Fringe 2018 – We were recently at both OR2018 in Montana, and the Repo Fringe in Edinburgh. It was great to see the repository community and especially the EPrints community being so active. We had a blast.

German User Group – Graz, Austria, 26th September. We'll be attending the User Group in September, see you there!

Customer User Group meeting in Southampton – We are planning on running a day later in the year for our customers to come and meet up with us, and to discuss all things EPrints. Get in touch if you are interested, and better still if you have ideas of topics you would like us to cover!

GDPR – This is an important and hot topic, it is permeating all aspects of running an institutional repository. If you need help identifying what personal data is held on your EPrints repository, or help removing data, then get in touch.
Visit https://eprints.org/gdpr

ORCID – Uptake of the recent work with Jisc around ORCID support within EPrints has been good for both the light weight ORCID Support plugin, and the more recent ORDID Support Advance plugin.
Visit https://eprints.org/jisc

REF2021 – Our REF Support Package.
With the REF2021 clock ticking, we are already helping customers with their REF activities. If you would like to know more about our REF Support Package, get in touch.
Visit https://eprints.org/ref

Roadmap – We have a number of developments in the works.
EPrints 3.4.1 public release, customers on 3.4 already receive updates automatically.
IRStats2.5 with document level statistics.
Public release of our Impact flavour.
Workflow annotations, for recording notes and provenance information about your metadata.

Goodbye to Jiadi – This month we said goodbye to Jiadi Yao, who has been with us for the past 4 years. Jaidi has helped support many of your repositories over the years. His involvement in EPrints 3.4, improvements in search and statistics features have been invaluable.
Enjoy your next adventure Jiadi!

We're hiring – We are looking to expand our team, spread the word!
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