Implementing JCP 2.8

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Overview

- Changes to jcp.org
- New processes
- Training/Education
- Schedule
- Open discussion/Q&A
Changes to JCP on the web

- Creating four additional ballot types: JSR Renewal Ballot, JSR Transfer Ballot, Appeal Ballot, Maintenance Review Ballot
- Links to JSRs' public mailing lists and issue trackers on JSR Summary page
- Adding a 2.8 section to the Spec Lead Guide, updating the FAQ page
- Updating milestone templates sent to Spec Leads
- Section of site discussing public mailing lists and issue trackers, with examples
- Public EC aliases will be created on java.net
PMO is creating a recommended format for EG nomination updates
Spec Leads will be encouraged to use recommended format in posting their Expert Group nomination updates to the public JSR mailing lists
PMO will monitor that these postings are happening as part of its EG nomination process
Implementing a mechanism for delaying JSR Approval Ballot on jcp.org if there is EC consensus that proposed license terms are incompatible with guidelines.

Setting JSR submitter expectations that the JSR Approval Ballot might be delayed

EC process:
* raising a concern
* determining consensus
* communicating consensus to PMO before close of ballot
Educating Spec Leads that issues must be addressed, and milestones may be delayed if they are not addressed to the EC's satisfaction.

When JSRs are first submitted, links to JSR mailing lists and issue trackers will be provided for JCP 2.8 JSRs in the weekly ballot reminders (as well as being linked from the public JSR page).

EC process: review issues for in-flight JSRs and raise concerns with how issues have been addressed as they occur; do not wait until the next JSR milestone is submitted!
At each EC meeting, Patrick will provide notification to the EC when/if any EC Members are in danger of losing their voting privileges and/or are in danger of being removed from the EC.

PMO is preparing a mechanism to remove voting privilege without removing the EC Member.
* Looking at 18 October for launch of 2.8: new JSRs may start with 2.8 on that day. Specification Leads and their Expert Groups may agree to move to JCP 2.8 for in-flight JSRs.

* PMO will hold a number of conference calls to help Spec Leads understand their changed responsibilities

* PMO will post audio recordings of the new processes

* PMO is creating separate 2.8 section of the Spec Lead Guide, as well as updating the FAQ
Thank you, merci, grazie.
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bedankt, kiitos, xie xie.