

JSR 352 Expert Group Meeting
March 7th, 2012
Minutes

Meeting Time: 9-10:00AM ET

Attendees:

Kevin Connor
Mahesh Kannan
Wayne Lund
Simon Martinelli
Michael Minella
Joe Pullen
Chris Vignola

References: EGAagenda-7Mar2012 (slides)

Discussion Summary:

- The group discussed Chris' post to the public mailing list on 3 March, entitled "LifeCycle Events and Listeners". This was intended to be a brief follow-up review of the outcome from the last working session, in which the group recognized that listeners and artifact lifecycle events were distinct and needed to be separated one from the other. The discussion that followed took the entire session. It is clear the listener topic requires further development. More was said than what I could capture in my notes, but here are some of the major points:
 - (Joe, Simon) Listener annotations as fields seem wrong. Seems like they belong at class level.
 - (Michael) Should be a way to specify multiple listeners. Likes the idea that listeners can be attached to any of the 4 main artifacts (job, step, reader, writer)
 - (Simon) Should be a way to establish global listeners.
 - (Joe, Simon) We should consider borrowing from the JPA model.
 - (Chris) Expressed concern that using class level annotation for listeners precludes use of DI to instantiate the listener.
 - The group agreed to move the discussion to the mailing list and address it more thoroughly during specification review.

- The group meets again on Friday, 9 March 2012. The main topic of discussion will be repeat, retry, skip.

Submitted,

Chris Vignola
March 9th, 2012