

ESMValTool community workshop

18-20 October 2022

(with additional "Iris days" on 17 & 21 October)

Programme

All times in BST. Add 1 hour for CEST. Subtract 8 hours for PDT.

All in-person visitors must bring their passport to reception on their first day. (Or other photo ID if not travelling from overseas.)

All sessions are on floorplate E1 and Microsoft Teams.

Workshop inclusion, etiquette and roles

We all want the workshop to be inclusive. This means enabling all participants to contribute and to know that their contribution is valued. Therefore we ask everyone to observe some key principles:

- Respect the views of others. Understand that others may have different priorities and motivations; help others to understand what your priorities and motivations are.
- Give everyone space to contribute, and be mindful that this is harder for those "not in the room".
- Get to know newcomers and help them feel welcome in our community.
- Keep to time: attendees may have arranged care or other responsibilities around these timings.
- Raise your hand to ask a question or contribute to a discussion. You can raise your hand either physically or in Teams. In-person participants are welcome to use a virtual hand in Teams if they prefer, and to contribute to the Teams chat.
- Mute your microphone when not speaking.

Each session has roles assigned to help with the smooth running and inclusivity of the workshop. The responsibilities of the roles are:

- Chair: keep the session to time (give 5 minute warning before end of talk time and discussion time), enable more people to contribute to discussions, encourage contributions from under-represented groups, make explicit any decisions and actions for the rapporteur to record.
- Chat monitor: a "voice in the room" for remote participants, follow comments in the chat, read out a selection of comments, let the chair know if remote hands are up, think representation and inclusion when selecting hands and comments.

- Rapporteur: note actions and key decisions in this [google doc](#), there is no need to keep notes on the whole discussion.
- Owl keeper: collect an owl from reception first thing and return it at the end of day, connect it to your laptop in a central position for the morning discussions.

Let us know how the workshop is working for you via this [feedback jamboard](#) (or by email if you prefer, though we'll be checking email in slower time).

Gitter:

https://gitter.im/ESMValGroup?utm_source=badge&utm_medium=badge&utm_campaign=pr-badge&utm_content=badge

Here is the project page on Github for the tasks people are working on during the coding sessions: <https://github.com/orgs/ESMValGroup/projects/18/views/1>

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Monday 17 October

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Coding time with Iris developers (optional extra day)

Arrival from 9am.

Tuesday 18 October

[Tuesday's Teams link: click here to join to join the meeting](#) (see [below](#) for help)

Session chair: Birgit Hassler (before coffee), Klaus Zimmerman (after coffee)
 Online chat monitor: Theo Geddes (before coffee), Emma Hogan (after coffee)
 Rapporteur ([google doc](#)): Axel Lauer
 Owl keeper: Alistair Sellar

Time (BST)	Title	Lead / introducer / notes
0900	In-person arrival & registration	Please arrive a little before 9am if possible
0930	Welcome & orientation	Alistair Sellar
1000	Report from User Engagement Team	Lisa Bock / 10-15 mins report + discussion
1030	Coffee	
1100	ESMValTool v2.7 release: status, issues, help that the release manager may need from the community	Valeriu Predoi
1200	Station based observations	Jane Mulcahy
1230	Lunch	Purchase own lunch: Met Office canteen or nearby shops
1330 - 1700	ESMValTool Coding!	Kick off with summaries of individual or group coding plans by anyone / all Here is the project page on Github for the tasks people are working on during the coding sessions: https://github.com/orgs/ESMValGroup/projects/18/views/1
1500 - 1600 (in parallel to coding)	User Engagement Team meeting	Room FG-4 (street)
1600 - 1700 (in parallel to coding)	Tech Lead Dev Team meeting 1	Room FG-4 (street)
1700	Day 1 wrap-up	Birgit Hassler

Wednesday 19 October

[Wednesday's Teams link: click here to join to join the meeting](#) (see [below](#) for help)

Session chair: Alistair Sellar (before coffee), Saskia Loosveldt (after coffee)

Online chat monitor: Sam Voltolini (before coffee), Jon Lillis (after coffee)

Rapporteur ([google doc](#)): Bouwe Andela

~~Owl-keeper: Theo Geddes~~

Time (BST)	Title	Lead / introducer / notes
0845	In-person arrival & online chit-chat	
0900	Intro to day 2	Birgit Hassler
0915	ESGF search interface based on STAC	Ag Stephens
1015	Upcoming funding opportunities (horizon scanning as a community)	Birgit Hassler
1030	Coffee	
1100	Report from Science Lead Dev team	Axel Lauer / 10-15 mins report + discussion
1130	Governance update and next steps	Alistair Sellar
1200	Lunch	Purchase own lunch: Met Office canteen or nearby shops
1300 - 1315	Workshop photo	Out front: outside reception.
1315 - 1700	ESMValTool Coding!	Kick off with summaries of individual or group coding plans by anyone / all Project page for tasks people will work on
1400 - 1500 (in parallel to coding)	Scientific Lead Dev Team meeting	Room FG-4 (street)
1500 - 1505	Fire alarm testing	Don't panic!
1645	Day 2 wrap-up	Alistair Sellar

Workshop meal, Cosy Club Exeter. Meet there at 7pm.

Thursday 20 October

[Thursday's Teams link: click here to join to join the meeting](#) (see [below](#) for help)

Session chair: Birgit Hassler (before coffee), Axel Lauer (after coffee)

Online chat monitor: Theo Geddes (before coffee), Alistair Sellar (after coffee)

Rapporteur ([google doc](#)): Manuel Schlund

Owl keeper: ~~Sam Voltolini~~

Time (BST)	Title	Lead / introducer / notes
0845	In-person arrival & online chit-chat	
0900	Intro to day 3	Alistair Sellar
0915	Backward compatibility policy	Axel Lauer
1015	Report from Technical Lead Dev team	Bouwe Andela / 10-15 mins report + discussion
1030	Coffee	
1100	Report from Technical Lead Dev team (cont)	Bouwe Andela / discussion cont.
1115	Availability of observation data stores at multiple compute sites	Remi Kazeroni & Ranjini Swaminathan
1145	First experiences with iris-esmf-regrid	Klaus Zimmermann
1215	Lunch	Purchase own lunch: Met Office canteen or nearby shops
1315 - 1700	ESMValTool Coding!	Kick off with summaries of individual or group coding plans by anyone / all Project page for tasks people will work on
1400 - 1500 (in parallel to coding)	Tech Lead Dev Team meeting 2	Room FG-4 (street)
1500 - 1600 (in parallel to coding)	Backward compatibility team writing session	E1. Writing contributions from others would be very welcome

1645	Day 3 wrap-up & workshop close	Birgit Hassler & Alistair Sellar
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Friday 21 October

[Friday's Teams link: click here to join to join the meeting](#) (see [below](#) for help)

Coding time with Iris developers (optional extra day)

Arrival from 9am.