Ontology Summit 2012 Launch

ONTOLOG – opening remarks

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Older and Wiser ...

- We are into our 7th year of OntologySummit

- and, entering a second decade for ONTOLOG (which started in Apr-2002)

- Kudos to all the efforts that have come from amazing individuals in the community

Counting our blessings ...

- May-2006 – AdamCheyer (SRI) presented CALO at Ontolog; Adam and TomGruber then followed that up with the "Siri: An Ontology-driven Application for the Masses" presentation in Feb-2010; the Apple iPhone 4S launched with Siri in Oct-2011

- May-2006 – DaveFerrucci from IBM presented UIMA, and in Feb-2011, IBM's Watson defeated the all-time best Jeopardy players on TV

- OntologySummit2010 - our Delphi study indicated that Ontology and its applications is likely to become mainstream in 5 to 10 years (wrt Q1/2010)

From experiments to "Big Systems" ...

- This will be the challenge
- We want to team up with the systems community and the "Big Systems" stakeholders to tackle this together
- This will be a pivotal year

Virtual Sessions

See the OntologySummit2012 event calender at:
http://ontolog.cim3.net/cgi-bin/wiki.pl?OntologySummit2012#nid30B7

- ALL virtual session for the summit will be scheduled on Thursdays – mostly 2-hour sessions starting at:
9:30am PST / 12:30pm EST / 6:30pm CET / 5:30pm GMT / 17:30 UTC

- Look out for our event announcements on the [ontolog-invitation] list and under "News & Announcements" section on the OntologWiki

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If you have any question,

feel free to contact the Track Champions, the Summit chairs, or email me:

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