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Computational Science As A Service: A new institutional model for research software engineering

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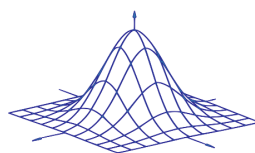
PS0.17a Seminar room, Physical Sciences

Abstract: For five years, the UK Community of Research Software Engineers has been working to improve the quality of scientific software by advocating for those who create it. One aspect of this has been the creation in several UK universities of Research Software Groups, a shared pool of skills in scientific programming. In these groups, programmers are fully part of the research community, but collaborate with researchers across the university to build readable, reliable and efficient scientific software, offering “computational science as a service”. In this talk, Dr James Hetherington, head of the UCL Research Software Development Group, will describe the experience of founding the first of these groups in 2012, and the lessons learned since.

A buffet lunch is available from 12:45 pm.



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