

EVLA Weekly Meeting Notes

Meeting Date: 19May2004

Meeting Participants:

Penticton: Amy, Dave, Rick, Sonja, Zhang, Zoran
Socorro: Tom, Bruce
Jodrell Bank: Did Not Participate

Schedule Discussion – Penticton:

Dave Fort:

- You have 31h left on the Filter Chip Final place & route task, is this ok?
→ Actually doing ASIC work now anyway. Need to go through tasks after meeting.

Zoran Ljusic:

- Have you started working on the Station Board Place & Route [BDP-3] yet?
→ Yes, started yesterday. The station board schematic design & prelim. PAR [BDP-2] task is complete now.

Zhang Heng:

- Did you start on the baseline board PCB preliminary design? And Correlator Chip Pinout investigation?
→ Yes, last Friday.
- Last week at the meeting the number of hours labeled for the correlator chip pinout investigation was misleading, it was actually 100h for Brent and 100h for Lawrence. However, it came up as 200h for Brent which was to be directly transferred to you. Do you have any estimate on how long this task will actually take you?
→ Should ask Brent.

Sonja Vrcic:

- On MCCC Prototype Baseline Board Configuration software you had 68h left before you entered your time from last week, and you still have 68h left now. How much time is actually left?
→ Just leave it as is.

General Discussion – Penticton:

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| Event | • Zoran brought donuts. |
| Comment | • It turns out there were many applications for the technologist position that got lost in a computer somewhere. They are found now. Seven made it passed the initial screening to be looked over by Dave and Ralph. Dave says there is one who is a possibility, but not as good as the other candidate they had already chosen. |

Dave Fort:

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| Comment | • Found flaw in mixer stage II interface. Fixed now. |
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Zoran Ljusic:

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| Comment | • Thinking of buying another Expedition license. There is only one license right now, and too many people want to use it simultaneously. |
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Rick Smegal:

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| Comment | • Doing post-simulation processing on personal laptop right now. This might be a problem after he is gone. Wondering if this should be set-up on the Beowulf cluster. Need to know if he should actually ask Tony to set this up. Will ask Brent later. |
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Schedule Discussion – Socorro:

Bruce Rowen:

- Any word on Project Central?
→ It is low on James' priority list. Nothing new so far this week.

General Discussion – Socorro:

Bruce Rowen:

- Comment
- Nothing done last week, busy with other NRAO issues.