

Preface

This volume contains the papers presented at the first OWL:Experiences and Directions Workshop. The workshop was held in Galway, Ireland, from November 11-12, 2005.

Each submission was reviewed by at least 2 programme committee members. The committee decided to accept 32 papers. The programme committee consisted of the following researchers in both academia and industry:

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– Dmitry Tsarkov

Papers were submitted in two categories: long papers and short papers. All papers were peer-reviewed. In addition, participants were encouraged to submit a short position paper. Position papers have not been reviewed by the PC. We would like to thank the programme committee members and the additional referees for reviewing the papers and providing valuable suggestions to the authors.

Various people helped in the organization of this event: (...)

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Again, thanks to everybody for making this workshop an interesting and stimulating event.

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