

Development process **problems**

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Let's face it: Not everything is great.

We know of problems and
finally **need to face them.**

20% myth

How much time do committers spend on Opencast?

- Is it 20 percent?
 - No. That's long gone.
- Committers today are
 - Responsible for local installations
 - Not necessary developers at all
 - May have other obligations

Reviews

We talked about this last year...
and the year before... and the year
before that...

- Reviews are great!
- Reviews don't work for Opencast
- Two devs doing ~90% of reviews
- Reviews can take forever
- Rules restrict reviews

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Fix Search Capability in Documentation #2330

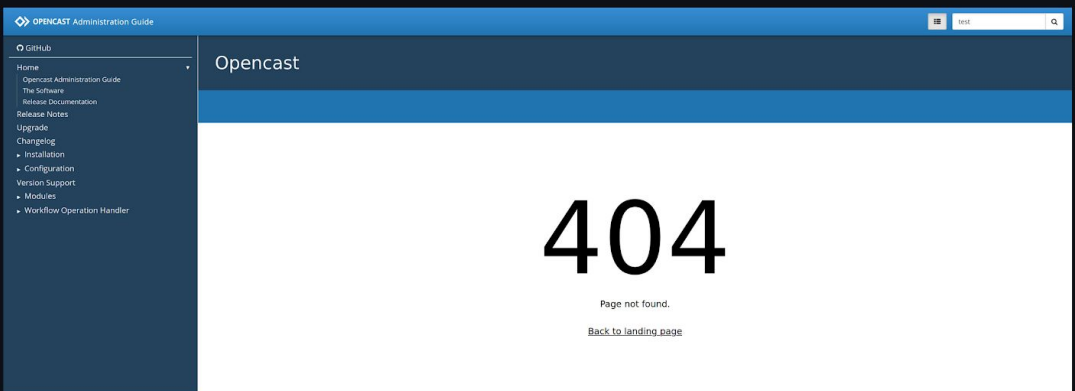
Merged gregorydlogan merged 1 commit into opencast:r/9.x from lkiesow:docs-search on Mar 2

Conversation 0 Commits 1 Checks 8 Files changed 1 +1 -0

lkiesow commented on Feb 15 • edited

This patch fixes the capability of the documentation built with `mkdocs` to search through the documentation.

To see the broken state, go to <https://docs.opencast.org/r/9.x/admin/> and try using the search functionality. The result will be:



Reviewers: Arnei ✓

Assignees: gregorydlogan

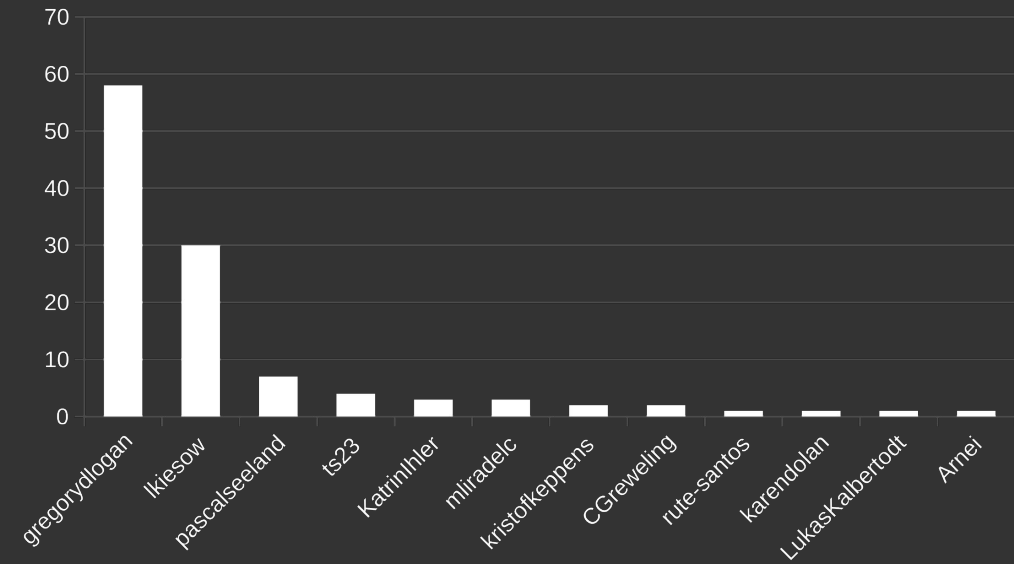
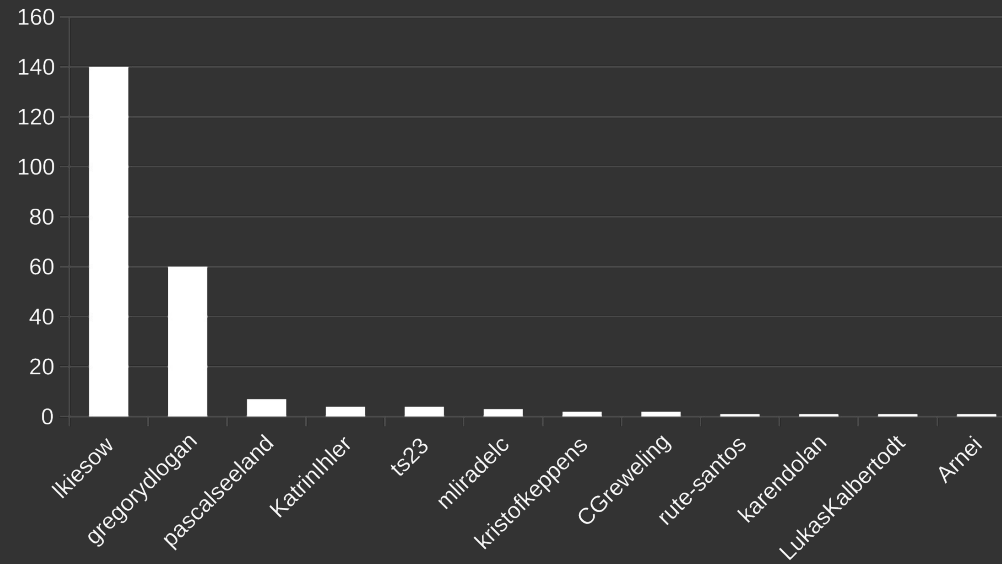
Labels: ELAN, bug, documentation

Projects: None yet

Milestone: No milestone

Linked issues: Successfully merging this pull request may close these issues.

Two weeks of broken docs



for p in (merged pull requests):
 select assignee if exists else merger

Review in 2021 (with/without dependencies)

Rules

There are certain restrictions on doing pull request reviews

- Pull request must be discussed at technical meeting
- Pull requests must not be reviewed by someone from the same organization
 - Restriction is lifted after one month
 - **Most active developers cannot do most reviews**

Community Manager

Opencast has one developer paid
by the community

- Should help users
- Should fix bugs
- Should fix architectural problems

- Is spending most of the time on reviews

We want a check on
controversial changes to
Opencast.

Proposal

Change the rules?

- Discussion at technical meeting
 - Catch potentially controversial changes early
- Anyone may do reviews
 - Technical reviews are fine
- Option to subscribe to modules
 - Get notified on changes to particular parts of Opencast

Open discussion