

Emerging Centers call #28, August 2022

[Emerging-Centers Track](#) (third Wednesdays)

Wednesday August 17, 2022 12p ET/ 11a CT/ 10a MT/ 9a PT

AGENDA:

- CaRCC Single-slide overview:  CaRCC One-Slide r2.pptx
- [EC future topics](#)/facilitators call-out

HPC Leadership Institute overview with Andrew Jones

Linux Clusters Institute Workshops overview with TBD

Specialization and Silos, Positioning and Potential: How should you decide what your RCD team does and doesn't do? discussion facilitated by Jonathan Dursi.

Wednesday, August 17th, 12p ET/ 11a CT/ 10a MT/ 9a PT/ 7a HT

Like a lot of us, Jonathan started his career doing research, and realized he could have a lot more impact (and fun!) supporting others research instead. Initially thinking that whole research computing and data (RCD) world was more or less like his large 3D fluid simulations, working at an HPC centre (and then coordinating HPC centres) introduced him to the much broader range of research problems relying on RCD resources and expertise. He then spent several years in genomics, first helping develop methods and run pipelines, and then running a national platform and software development effort connecting genomics and clinical data in a federated manner across Canada. Seeing the impact that RCD teams have had across so many fields, he's become both pretty passionate about their importance in driving science and scholarship forward, and pretty frustrated by the lack of support and training new managers and leaders get when they step up and take on responsibility for these teams. RCD managers typically already have pretty advanced skills - but nobody shows them the basics of being a manager, or positioning an RCD practice. Now, in addition to his day job working at NVIDIA, he writes a newsletter for a slowly growing community of current and potential RCD managers and leaders, aiming to help them be more effective and less stressed managing these important teams of experts.

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