On today’s call were

**Sebastian Baba**, Systems Analyst, Ontario College Application Service (OCAS)

**Tuan Anh Do**, Assistant Director, Systems Support Group Undergraduate Admissions, San Francisco State University, CA, Member of the AACRAO SPEEDE Committee, and **Co-Chair of ERUG**

**Bob Hewett**, Principal Software Engineer, Data Solutions, Pearson, and **Co-Chair of ERUG**

**Scott Hillman**, IMT Corp

**Tom Stewart**, Retired College Registrar from Miami Dade College (FL) and Member of the AACRAO SPEEDE Committee

**Romy Teh**, VP, Program Management & Client Services, Xap Corporation

Bob started today’s call at 3 minutes after the hour.

**Crosswalk Corrections**: An inquiry from James Madison University in Virginia pointed out inconsistencies in the mapping of several code sets for the SCED code to identify a high school course, from the XML Transcript to the EDI TS 130.

Tom corrected several crosswalks and changed the mapping on them to the REF segment instead of the NTE segment.

These corrected crosswalks were distributed to the ERUG participants and Scott Hillman volunteered to review the updated crosswalks for ERUG prior to posting them on the PESC.org web site.

Scott will review them on the next call.
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Schema Changes Previously Approved: All of the schema changes approved by ERUG prior to today’s call were approved by the PESC Change Control Board and are scheduled to be included in the next schema release by PESC. Hopefully, PESC will complete this in the next few weeks.

Agency Identifier: Sebastian raised an issue about this complex data element that is replacing the earlier simple data element called “AgencyAssignedID”. This was approved on an earlier ERUG call.

However, we did not realize that we corrected it only in the PESC XML High School Transcript and not in several other schemas.

On today’s call we agreed to do whatever it takes to replace the simple data element “AgencyAssignedID” with the complex data element “AgencyIdentifier” in all schemas where it is used. To retain backward compatibility, we will only add it as an optional data element in all schemas where “AgencyAssignedID” now appears.

To achieve the desired result, we will attempt to make this change in all sector libraries where the complex data element “Person” appears. At this time, we think “Person” appears in the following sector libraries: “AcademicRecord” has “PersonType” and “K12PersonType”; “AdmissionRecord” has “ApplicantPersonType” but also defines “AgencyIdentifier” in that sector library so it also must be modified.

Once these changes are made and reviewed, then the various person types should be the same. At that time, we may be able to modify all the schemas to point to the same “Person” type without losing backward compatibility.

We will discuss this again on the next call.

Future ERUG Calls: Although Tuan is back with us again, we agreed to continue our calls every other week.

Today’s call ended at 38 minutes after the hour.
Next ERUG Conference Call is Tuesday, June 5, 2012 at noon Eastern (11 am Central, 10 am Mountain, and 9 am Pacific) Daylight Saving Time. Call 888.205.5513 and use participant code 952016#.