# Regarding concurrency issues
11 messages

**AUT UpStage Team** <aut.upstage.team@gmail.com>                    14 December 2014 at 00:10
To: Helen <helen@creative-catalyst.com>, vicki smith <digitalsmith@clear.net.nz>

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Another thing, may I also have an UpStage account please?? so that I can participate some events later?


Merry Christmas and Happy New Year in advance.
Yue

Cheers from the AUT UpStage team


**vicki smith** <digitalsmith@clear.net.nz>                          14 December 2014 at 08:45
To: AUT UpStage Team <aut.upstage.team@gmail.com>
Cc: Helen <helen@creative-catalyst.com>

Thanks for this Yue :D

can you send me your email address and i will set up an account on each of the current instances for you

it would be great to work through some of these things - as we seem to be having major failures on our server currently also ...
thanks for your continues interest!!


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**AUT UpStage Team** <aut.upstage.team@gmail.com>                    14 December 2014 at 12:28
To: vicki smith <digitalsmith@clear.net.nz>
Cc: Helen <helen@creative-catalyst.com>

Hi Vicky,


My email address is:
makingitbettergo@gmail.com

Thanks
Yue
Cheers from the AUT UpStage team

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**vicki smith** <digitalsmith@clear.net.nz>                14 December 2014 at 14:09
To: AUT UpStage Team <aut.upstage.team@gmail.com>, "Upstage developers discussion list." <upstage-list@lists.sourceforge.net>, Paul Rohrlach <paul.rohrlach@gmail.com>
Cc: Helen <helen@creative-catalyst.com>

awesome Yue

I have replied separately to your email with the users

Paul, or other Devs can you respond to Yue about the PyTwisted currency?

and a reminder to Yue the logins for each instance is for players (taking part in the show - or making your own!) anyone can come as audience to any show - all you need is an internet connected browser on a laptop or desktop computer...

## festive greetings to everyone too - finally feels like summer in the south today!
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**Martin Eisenbarth** <eyesee@foobarlab.net>            14 December 2014 at 20:52
Reply-To: "Upstage developers discussion list." <upstage-list@lists.sourceforge.net>
To: "Upstage developers discussion list." <upstage-list@lists.sourceforge.net>
Cc: Helen <helen@creative-catalyst.com>

Hi all,

The problem was once submitted as bug in the old Sourceforge tracker:
http://sourceforge.net/p/upstage/bugs/106/

I had also recorded bugs for that:
https://trac.foobarlab.net/upstage/ticket/6
https://github.com/foobarlab/UpStage-Video-Hack/issues/74

Upgrading to a newer version of twisted would actually mean to rewrite
the authentication stuff (meaning switching from woven.guard to
web.guard, at least this was valid for Twisted 12.x, see:
http://twistedmatrix.com/documents/8.2.0/api/twisted.web.woven.guard.html and
http://twistedmatrix.com/documents/current/api/twisted.web.guard.html).

In the past I had decided to stick with Twisted 8.x as this did work for
me. IMHO the instability of UpStage is rooted in tight coupled code, not
in Twisted itself.

Merry Xmas and Happy New Year too! :)


Cheers,
Martin
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**vicki smith** <digitalsmith@clear.net.nz>                        14 December 2014 at 21:30
Reply-To: "Upstage developers discussion list." <upstage-list@lists.sourceforge.net>
To: "Upstage developers discussion list." <upstage-list@lists.sourceforge.net>
Cc: Helen <helen@creative-catalyst.com>

Thanks for these links and explanation Martin! :D

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**helen varley jamieson** <helen@creative-catalyst.com>          15 December 2014 at 23:29
Reply-To: helen@creative-catalyst.com
To: AUT UpStage Team <aut.upstage.team@gmail.com>, vicki smith <digitalsmith@clear.net.nz>

hi yue,
just to add to what vicki & martin have already said, & to answer your first question - YES we have had
similar situations all along in the development of UpStage - new bugs appear frequently, often what fixes one
bug breaks something else, & in every new version there are new surprises to discover ... so, we have
learned to accept this state of pretty much constant bugginess & to work with it rather than against it ;)

but of course it would be wonderful if we could move to a more stable situation & that is one of the
motivations behind a complete rebuild, as we understand that there are so many tightly-coupled things in the
code, as martin pointed out, that it's really impossible to try to clean up the code as it exists now.

happy festive season to you too,
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**AUT UpStage Team** <aut.upstage.team@gmail.com>               16 December 2014 at 00:54
To: "Upstage developers discussion list." <upstage-list@lists.sourceforge.net>
Cc: Helen <helen@creative-catalyst.com>

Hi Martin,

Thanks for your information and advice.

As the current AUT UpStage team, we are taking the initiation of a new design for the future version.
However, unfortunately we only focused on the branch part (the technologies that UpStage is using). Such
progress gives me a concern that next year's new team will make the similar mistake as we did in this year.

For our research part, we probably need to work on both the architecture of the UpStage and different
technologies based on the architecture.

Once again, thank you for your support.

Yue
Cheers from the AUT UpStage team

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**AUT UpStage Team** <aut.upstage.team@gmail.com>       16 December 2014 at 01:15
To: Helen <helen@creative-catalyst.com>, vicki smith <digitalsmith@clear.net.nz>
Cc: Anne Philpott <anne.philpott@aut.ac.nz>

Hi Helen,

Maybe I can take the coupling situations as a start as well.
If we can loose the coupling issues, we may get some instant feedback.


Thanks for your support and advice :D
Yue

Cheers from the AUT UpStage team

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**helen varley jamieson** <helen@creative-catalyst.com>       16 December 2014 at 05:29
Reply-To: helen@creative-catalyst.com
To: AUT UpStage Team <aut.upstage.team@gmail.com>, vicki smith <digitalsmith@clear.net.nz>
Cc: Anne Philpott <anne.philpott@aut.ac.nz>, Martin Eisenbarth <eyesee@foobarlab.net>

sounds good! anything that can be put in place to build on what's done rather than go over the same stuff is very welcome :)

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