

CERF 5.3 RELEASE NOTES

DESKTOP CLIENT

- User Interface / Experience
 - When loading a resource in center File Viewer pane, the resource will automatically be selected in CERF Tree view.
 - Improve network stability over wi-fi during resource check-in.
 - All notifications can now be deleted by a user.
 - Added Activity Panel message to lower right for Express Check-in
 - Improved feedback to user during large searches
 - Viewing a collection from Search results now automatically mounts collection in CERF Tree
 - CERF Resource type search parameter is now sorted alphabetically.
 - Improve right-click menu options in File Viewer window.
 - Visual consistency update to buttons
- Speed
 - Improve messaging and load time of large collections in Center Panel if the right-hand Resource Info panel is open.
 - Improve loading speed of Show Collections dialog when user has access to large numbers of collections.
- Export
 - New button in Saved Search and Search panels to Export search results as CSV file. New Business Policy SEARCH_EXPORT_MAX_SIZE will set the maximum results that can be returned by the export.
 - New button in the Version History panel of a Resource Info window to allow export of version history as CSV file.
 - New Export button to save Signature Report results to CSV file.
- Technical
 - Cross Reference links display now use friendly name data links.
 - Fix No Signature Workflow Selected error when creating new Notebooks under specific scenarios.
 - Increase timeout limit to 60 seconds for creating new resources from large templates.
 - Fix Refresh button in Controlled Document panel.
 - Fix issue with Signature Status icons when a signed resource was rejected by a Co-signer and then the Contributor reinitiated signature a second time.

SERVER

- Add FASTA, GFF3 and VCF mime types.
- Fix issue when attempting to export a Resource from the Web Client when the resource title contains a comma.
- Fix issue from CERF 5.2.4 that causes the user session to automatically end every 5 minutes, where if a user leaves Desktop Client open with the Notifications panel in view and the CERF Server times out the user session per the Business Policy setting.
- Additional Audit Log tooling

ARCHITECTURE

- Updated supporting software.
 - MySQL 5.7.44
 - Tomcat 9.0
 - ActiveMQ 5.16
 - LibreOffice 7.6

WEB CLIENT

- Disallow non alphanumeric characters in username field in Web and Desktop client Login dialogs.