



# WLCG MW Officer change

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- After fulfilling the role of MW Officer for more than 3.5 years, [Andrea Manzi](#) is moving on to new responsibilities.
- We thank Andrea for his work in that role and would like to appoint a new MW Officer as soon as possible.
- The MW Officer tasks are outlined on the next page.
  - Mainly concern MW used at WLCG sites in EGI.
  - Ought not take more than 20% of an experienced person's time.
  - The MW Officer does not have to be an expert in all the MW.
  - Significant experience in WLCG operations is very desirable.
- Please let us know about potential candidates, thanks!
  - [wlcg-mw-officer-search@cern.ch](mailto:wlcg-mw-officer-search@cern.ch)

# MW Officer tasks

- **For WLCG Operations and Coordination effort:**
  - Maintain the list of verified baseline versions for the MW components
  - Communicate with sites not compliant with baseline versions
  - Monitor relevant forums to detect major MW issues or upcoming changes early on
  - Liaise with development teams or infrastructure projects as needed
    - Highlight feedback from sites or experiments (bugs, patches, workarounds)
  - Coordination of widespread migrations to new MW (HTCondor, ARC, ...)
  - Coordination of WLCG repository updates
  - Coordination of UI / WN metapackage updates for CentOS/EL7
- **For the MW Readiness WG:**
  - Discover new versions ready for entering Readiness Verification
  - Communicate with Volunteer sites to agree which version is tested where and by which VO
  - Monitor results of the Volunteer sites to decide on Readiness of a given release being verified
  - Decide if versions can enter production and/or if testing under load is necessary
  - Announce to the WLCG community the Readiness Verification results
    - They should be recorded in an extended versions table