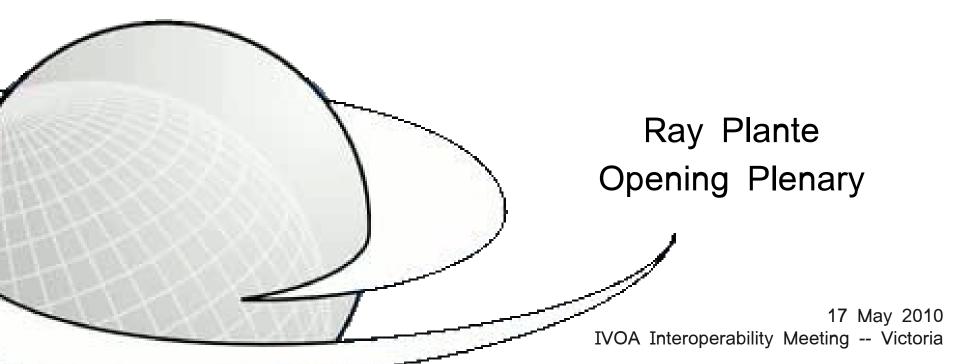
THE INTERNATIONAL VIRTUAL OBSERVATORY ALLIANCE

Special Plenary Sessions: Validation and Verification

(or should it be Verification and Validation?)



Motivation



- Beyond standards
 - User success is increasingly dependent on working/robust services
 - Which services are up? Which are compliant?
 - A problem with one service can reflect badly on the entire VO
- Session Agendas emphasize discussion
 - Specific Discussion questions
 - Where do we invest? How much?
 - Think about your own experience



Agenda



- Session 1: Operations and Applications Tuesday 9am
 - Review of past discussions & recommendations
 - Operational Health
 - Application Development
- Session 2: Curation and Compliance Thursday 2pm
 - Registry Curation
 - Standards Compliance
 - Validaters
 - Service toolkits

