

# Status dCache

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dCache group

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# People

- RWTH: Oleg Tsigenov (since January, 50% HGF dCache)
- FZK: Christopher Jung (since January, 100% HGF dCache)
- LMU: position has been advertised, one (likely?) candidate; current contact person and contributor: Christoph Anton Mitterer
- DESY: position not yet advertised (due to administrative reasons); position to be filled in September (probably with someone from the dCache team)

# Kick-off workshop



- January 24<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>  
@DESY
- General introduction to dCache, installation course, introduction to administration (many hands-on blocks!)
- Agenda at <https://indico.desy.de/conferenceTimeTable.py?confId=709>

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# Current tasks and projects

- Supporting Tier-2 centers in their upgrade to SRM 2.2:
  - Christoph Mitterer uses notes of Martin Gasthuber for the dCache upgrade in Munich and makes them and his additional comments available
  - Additional assistance when needed
- Setting up a support unit in GGUS:
  - Rotating supporter on duty schedule
  - Cooperation with WLCG Storage Support Team (Flavia Donno et al.)
- Aachen T2 dCache from 1.7 - to 1.8 upgraded

# Future tasks

- Support for Tier-2 and Tier-3 centers:
  - With training events
  - With installation and upgrade notes
  - Offering dCache ‘out of the box’ standard systems for smaller sites (prototype in Karlsruhe possible)
  - ...
- Any kind of input is highly welcome; we need to know what the sites need and what the sites are planning

# Contact data

- e-mail list: [german-support@dcache.org](mailto:german-support@dcache.org)
- Support unit will be in GGUS as a second level service support unit in the next GGUS release on February 26<sup>th</sup>