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Abstract

This document describes the C language binding for the *Distributed Resource Management Application API Version 2 (DRMAA)*. The intended audience for this specification are DRMAA Version 2 interface implementors.

¹ This is the non-normative annotated version of the specification with line numbers. It includes historical information concerning the content and why features were included or discarded by the working group. It also emphasizes the consequences of some aspects that may not be immediately apparent. This document is only intended for internal working group discussions.

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18 Notational Conventions

19 In this document, C language elements and definitions are represented in a **fixed-width** font.

20 The key words “MUST” “MUST NOT”, “REQUIRED”, “SHALL”, “SHALL NOT”, “SHOULD”,
21 “SHOULD NOT”, “RECOMMENDED”, “MAY”, and “OPTIONAL” are to be interpreted as described
22 in RFC 2119 [1].

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1 Introduction

The *Distributed Resource Management Application API Version 2 (DRMAA)* specification defines an interface for tightly coupled, but still portable access to the majority of DRM systems. The scope is limited to job submission, job control, reservation management, and retrieval of job and machine monitoring information.

The *DRMAA root specification* [2] describes the abstract API concepts and the behavioral rules of a compliant implementation, while this document standardizes the representation of API concepts in the C programming language.

2 General Design

The mapping of DRMAA IDL constructs to C follows a set of design principles. Implementation-specific extensions of the DRMAA C API described here SHOULD follow these conventions for their own naming and method signatures:

- Namespacing of the DRMAA API, as demanded by the root specification, is realized with the `drmaa2_` prefix for lower- and upper-case identifiers.
- In identifier naming, "job" is shortened as "j" and "reservation" is shortened as "r" for improved readability.
- The root specification demands a consistent parameter passing strategy for non-scalar values. In DRMAA for C, all such values are passed as call-by-reference parameter.
- Structs and enums are typedef'ed for better readability.
- Struct types get a `_s` suffix on their name. Structures with a non-standardized layout are defined as forward references for the DRMAA implementation. ^{(See footnote)²}
- Functions with IDL return type `void` have `drmaa2_error` as return type.
- The IDL `boolean` type maps to the `drmaa2_boolean` type.
- The IDL `long` type maps to `long long` in C. One exception is the `exitStatus` variable, which is defined as `int` in order to provide a more natural mapping to operating system interfaces.
- The IDL `string` type maps to `char*` pointer. The allocation of memory for strings returned SHALL be done by the implementation itself. The application frees such memory regions by calling the newly introduced function `drmaa2_string_free`.
- The language binding defines one UNSET macro per utilized C data type (`DRMAA2_UNSET_*`). ^{(See footnote)³}
- All numerical types are signed, in order to support `-1` as numerical UNSET value.
- Application-created structs should be allocated by the additional support methods (such as `drmaa2_jinfo_create`) to realize the necessary initialization to UNSET.

²This avoids the usage of `void*` pointers, f.e. with dictionaries and lists.

³For UNSET values, the language binding adheres mainly to typical language conventions and not to GLUE as mandated in the root spec.

- All structures have a specific support function for freeing them (`drmaa2_*_free`). (See footnote)⁴
- Both `AbsoluteTime` and `TimeAmount` map directly to `time_t`. RFC 822 support as mandated by the root specification is given by the `%z` formatter for `sprintf`.
- Multiple output parameters are realized by declaring all but one of them as pointer variable. For this reason, the `substate` parameter in `drmaa2_j_get_state` SHALL be interpreted as pointer to a character pointer variable. The DRMAA library creates the buffer and stores the pointer to it as variable value.
- The `const` declarator is used to mark parameters declared as `readonly` in the root specification.
- The two string list types in DRMAA, ordered and unordered, are mapped to one ordered list with the `DRMAA2_STRING_LIST` type.
- The largest possible value for `end_index` in `drmaa2_js_run_bulk_jobs` SHOULD be `sizeof(unsigned long)-1`.
- The `any` member for job sub-state information is defined as `char*`, in order to achieve application portability.

The following structures are only used in result values. For this reason, the according allocation functions are not part of the API:

- `drmaa2_slotinfo`
- `drmaa2_rinfo`
- `drmaa2_notification`
- `drmaa2_queueinfo`
- `drmaa2_version`
- `drmaa2_machineinfo`

The interface membership of a function is mostly expressed by an additional prefix, as show in Table 1.

DRMAA interface	C binding prefix
<code>DrmaaReflective</code>	<code>drmaa2_</code>
<code>SessionManager</code>	<code>drmaa2_</code>
<code>JobSession</code>	<code>drmaa2_jsession_</code>
<code>ReservationSession</code>	<code>drmaa2_rsession_</code>
<code>MonitoringSession</code>	<code>drmaa2_msession_</code>
<code>Reservation</code>	<code>drmaa2_r_</code>
<code>Job</code>	<code>drmaa2_j_</code>
<code>JobArray</code>	<code>drmaa2_jarray_</code>
<code>JobTemplate</code>	<code>drmaa2_jtemplate_</code>
<code>ReservationTemplate</code>	<code>drmaa2_rtemplate_</code>

Table 1: Mapping of DRMAA interfaces to C method prefix

⁴The deallocation functions are needed to make sure that the allocating entity (the library) also performs the freeing operation. This is needed for cases where the DRMAA library is compiled with a different heap allocator than the DRMAA-based application. It is mainly a problem with Windows-based implementations.

The C binding specifies the function pointer type `drmaa2_callback_t` for a notification callback function, in order to map the IDL `DrmaaCallback` interface. The new constant value `DRMAA2_UNSET_CALLBACK` can be used by the application for the de-registration of callback functions.

2.1 Error Handling

The list of exceptions in the DRMAA root specification is mapped to the new enumeration `drmaa2_error`. The enumeration member `DRMAA2_LASTERROR` is intended to ensure application portability while allowing additional implementation-specific error codes. It MUST always be the enumeration member with the highest value.

The language binding adds two new functions for fetching error number and error message of the last error that occurred: `drmaa2_lasterror` and `drmaa2_lasterror_text`. These functions MUST operate in a thread-safe manner, meaning that both error informations are managed per application thread by the DRMAA implementation.

2.2 Lists and Dictionaries

The C language binding adds generic support functions for the collection data types used by the root specification. The newly defined `drmaa2_lasterror` and `drmaa2_lasterror_text` functions MUST return according error information for these operations.

(See footnote)⁵

Both `drmaa2_list_create` and `drmaa2_dict_create` have an optional parameter `callback`. It allows the application to provide a callback pointer to a collection element cleanup function. This function MUST be called by the implementation once per stored item when the list / dictionary is freed. It MUST be allowed for the application to provide NULL instead of a valid callback pointer.

(See footnote)⁶

The following list operations are defined:

drmaa2_list_create: Creates a new list instance for the specified type of items. Returns a pointer to the list or NULL on error.

drmaa2_list_free: Frees the list and the contained members and returns a success indication.

drmaa2_list_get: Gets the list element at the indicated position. The element index starts at zero. If the index is invalid, the function returns NULL.

drmaa2_list_add: Adds a new item at the end of the list and returns a success indication. The list MUST contain only a pointer copy, not a deep copy of the provided data structure.

drmaa2_list_remove: Removes the list element at the indicated position and returns a success indication.

drmaa2_list_size: Gets the number of elements in the list. If the list is empty, then the function returns 0, which SHALL NOT be treated as an error case.

Similarly, a set of new functions for dictionary handling is introduced:

⁵The definition of list operations in the language binding keeps the application code portable. The original DRMAA error codes are good enough to support them, there is no need for additional ones. DRMAA dictionaries are only used for strings, so we make the dictionary interface less general.

⁶This is again for the heap allocator problem. The entity allocating some memory should also free it.

125 **drmaa2_dict_create:** Creates a new dictionary instance. Returns a pointer to the dictionary or NULL on
 126 error.

127 **drmaa2_dict_free:** Frees the dictionary and the contained members and returns a success indication.

128 **drmaa2_dict_list:** Gets all dictionary keys as DRMAA **drmaa2_string_list**. If the dictionary is empty,
 129 a valid string list with zero elements SHALL be returned. The application is expected to use
 130 **drmaa2_list_free** for freeing the returned data structure.

131 **drmaa2_dict_has:** Returns an indication if the given key exists in the dictionary. On error, the function
 132 SHALL return NULL as result.

133 **drmaa2_dict_get:** Gets the dictionary value for the specified key. If the key is invalid, the function returns
 134 NULL.

135 **drmaa2_dict_del:** Removes the dictionary entry with the given key and returns a success indication.

136 **drmaa2_dict_set:** Sets the specified dictionary key to the specified value. Key and value strings MUST be
 137 copied as pointer. If the dictionary already has an entry for this name, the value is replaced and the
 138 old value is removed.

139 3 Implementation-specific Extensions

140 The DRMAA root specification allows the product-specific extension of the DRMAA API in a standardized
 141 way.

142 New methods added to a DRMAA implementation SHOULD follow the conventions from Section 2. Ex-
 143 tended **struct** definitions SHOULD use a product-specific prefix for a clear separation of non-portable and
 144 portable parts of the API. The extension MUST support the casting of product-specific **struct** pointers to
 145 their standard-compliant counterparts (see Listing 1). Any compiler or linking options necessary for this
 146 feature MUST be documented accordingly by the DRMAA implementation.

Listing 1: Code example for implementation-specific extension

```
147 typedef struct
148 {
149     [attributes from drmaa2_jtemplate_s] ...
150     int gridengine_specific_attr;
151 } gridengine_jtemplate_s;
152 typedef gridengine_jtemplate_s * gridengine_jtemplate;
```

153 4 Complete Header File

154 The following text shows the complete C header file for the DRMAAv2 application programming interface.
 155 DRMAA-compliant C libraries MUST declare all functions and data structures described here. Implemen-
 156 tations MAY add custom parts in adherence to the extensibility principles of this specification and the root
 157 specification.

158 The source file is also available at <http://www.drmaa.org>.

```
159 #include <time.h>
160
161 #ifndef DRMAA2_H
162 #define DRMAA2_H
163
164 typedef enum drmaa2_jstate {
```

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165     DRMAA2_UNDETERMINED           = 0,
166     DRMAA2_QUEUED                 = 1,
167     DRMAA2_QUEUED_HELD           = 2,
168     DRMAA2_RUNNING                = 3,
169     DRMAA2_SUSPENDED              = 4,
170     DRMAA2_REQUEUED               = 5,
171     DRMAA2_REQUEUED_HELD          = 6,
172     DRMAA2_DONE                   = 7,
173     DRMAA2_FAILED                 = 8
174 } drmaa2_jstate;
175
176 typedef enum drmaa2_os {
177     DRMAA2_OTHER_OS               = 0,
178     DRMAA2_AIX                    = 1,
179     DRMAA2_BSD                    = 2,
180     DRMAA2_LINUX                  = 3,
181     DRMAA2_HPUX                   = 4,
182     DRMAA2_IRIX                   = 5,
183     DRMAA2_MACOS                  = 6,
184     DRMAA2_SUNOS                  = 7,
185     DRMAA2_TRUE64                 = 8,
186     DRMAA2_UNIXWARE               = 9,
187     DRMAA2_WIN                    = 10,
188     DRMAA2_WINNT                  = 11
189 } drmaa2_os;
190
191 typedef enum drmaa2_cpu {
192     DRMAA2_OTHER_CPU              = 0,
193     DRMAA2_ALPHA                  = 1,
194     DRMAA2_ARM                    = 2,
195     DRMAA2_CELL                   = 3,
196     DRMAA2_PARISC                 = 4,
197     DRMAA2_X86                   = 5,
198     DRMAA2_X64                   = 6,
199     DRMAA2_IA64                   = 7,
200     DRMAA2_MIPS                   = 8,
201     DRMAA2_PPC                    = 9,
202     DRMAA2_PPC64                  = 10,
203     DRMAA2_SPARC                  = 11,
204     DRMAA2_SPARC64                = 12
205 } drmaa2_cpu;
206
207 typedef enum drmaa2_limit {
208     DRMAA2_CORE_FILE_SIZE         = 0,
209     DRMAA2_CPU_TIME               = 1,
210     DRMAA2_DATA_SEG_SIZE          = 2,
211     DRMAA2_FILE_SIZE              = 3,
212     DRMAA2_OPEN_FILES             = 4,
213     DRMAA2_STACK_SIZE             = 5,
214     DRMAA2_VIRTUAL_MEMORY         = 6,
215     DRMAA2_WALLCLOCK_TIME         = 7
216 } drmaa2_limit;
217
218 typedef enum drmaa2_jtemplate_placeholder {
219     DRMAA2_HOME_DIRECTORY         = 0,
220     DRMAA2_WORKING_DIRECTORY      = 1,
221     DRMAA2_PARAMETRIC_INDEX       = 2
222 } drmaa2_jtemplate_placeholder;
223
224 typedef enum drmaa2_event {
225     DRMAA2_NEW_STATE              = 0,
226     DRMAA2_MIGRATED               = 1,
227     DRMAA2_ATTRIBUTE_CHANGE       = 2
228 } drmaa2_event;
229
230 typedef enum {
231     DRMAA2_ADVANCE_RESERVATION     = 0,
232     DRMAA2_RESERVE_SLOTS           = 1,
233     DRMAA2_CALLBACK                = 2,
234     DRMAA2_BULK_JOBS_MAXPARALLEL  = 3,
235     DRMAA2_JT_EMAIL                = 4,

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236     DRMAA2_JT_STAGING                = 5,
237     DRMAA2_JT_DEADLINE                = 6,
238     DRMAA2_JT_MAXSLOTS                = 7,
239     DRMAA2_JT_ACCOUNTINGID            = 8,
240     DRMAA2_RT_STARTNOW                = 9,
241     DRMAA2_RT_DURATION                = 10,
242     DRMAA2_RT_MACHINEOS               = 11,
243     DRMAA2_RT_MACHINEARCH             = 12
244 } drmaa2_capability;
245
246 typedef enum drmaa2_bool {
247     DRMAA2_FALSE                      = 0,
248     DRMAA2_TRUE                       = 1
249 } drmaa2_bool;
250
251 typedef enum drmaa2_error {
252     DRMAA2_SUCCESS                    = 0,
253     DRMAA2_DENIED_BY_DRMS             = 1,
254     DRMAA2_DRM_COMMUNICATION          = 2,
255     DRMAA2_TRY_LATER                  = 3,
256     DRMAA2_SESSION_MANAGEMENT         = 4,
257     DRMAA2_TIMEOUT                    = 5,
258     DRMAA2_INTERNAL                   = 6,
259     DRMAA2_INVALID_ARGUMENT           = 7,
260     DRMAA2_INVALID_SESSION            = 8,
261     DRMAA2_INVALID_STATE              = 9,
262     DRMAA2_OUT_OF_RESOURCE            = 10,
263     DRMAA2_UNSUPPORTED_ATTRIBUTE      = 11,
264     DRMAA2_UNSUPPORTED_OPERATION      = 12,
265     DRMAA2_IMPLEMENTATION_SPECIFIC   = 13,
266     DRMAA2_LASTERROR                  = 14
267 } drmaa2_error;
268
269 drmaa2_error drmaa2_string_free(char*);
270
271 drmaa2_error drmaa2_lasterror(void);
272 char *       drmaa2_lasterror_text(void);
273
274 struct drmaa2_list_s;      /*forward*/
275 typedef struct drmaa2_list_s * drmaa2_list;
276 typedef struct drmaa2_list_s * drmaa2_string_list;
277 typedef struct drmaa2_list_s * drmaa2_j_list;
278 typedef struct drmaa2_list_s * drmaa2_queueinfo_list;
279 typedef struct drmaa2_list_s * drmaa2_machineinfo_list;
280 typedef struct drmaa2_list_s * drmaa2_slotinfo_list;
281 typedef struct drmaa2_list_s * drmaa2_r_list;
282
283 typedef enum drmaa2_listtype {
284     DRMAA2_STRINGLIST,
285     DRMAA2_JOBLIST,
286     DRMAA2_QUEUEINFOLIST,
287     DRMAA2_MACHINEINFOLIST,
288     DRMAA2_SLOTINFOLIST,
289     DRMAA2_RESERVATIONLIST
290 } drmaa2_listtype;
291
292 typedef void (*drmaa2_list_entryfree)(void * value);
293 drmaa2_list drmaa2_list_create (const drmaa2_listtype t, const drmaa2_list_entryfree callback);
294 drmaa2_error drmaa2_list_free  (      drmaa2_list l);
295 const void * drmaa2_list_get   (      drmaa2_list l, int pos);
296 drmaa2_error drmaa2_list_add   (      drmaa2_list l, const void * value);
297 drmaa2_error drmaa2_list_del   (      drmaa2_list l, int pos);
298 int          drmaa2_list_size  (const drmaa2_list l);
299
300 struct drmaa2_dict_s;      /*forward*/
301 typedef struct drmaa2_dict_s * drmaa2_dict;
302
303 typedef void (*drmaa2_dict_entryfree)(char * value);
304 drmaa2_dict drmaa2_dict_create (const drmaa2_dict_entryfree callback);
305 drmaa2_error drmaa2_dict_free  (drmaa2_dict d);
306 drmaa2_string_list drmaa2_dict_list (const drmaa2_dict d);

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307 drmaa2_bool      drmaa2_dict_has      (const drmaa2_dict d, const char * key);
308 const char *      drmaa2_dict_get      (const drmaa2_dict d, const char * key);
309 drmaa2_error      drmaa2_dict_del      (      drmaa2_dict d, const char * key);
310 drmaa2_error      drmaa2_dict_set      (      drmaa2_dict d, const char * key, const char * val);
311
312 #define   DRMAA2_ZERO_TIME      ((time_t) 0)
313 #define   DRMAA2_INFINITE_TIME  ((time_t) -1)
314 #define   DRMAA2_NOW            ((time_t) -2)
315
316 #define   DRMAA2_UNSET_BOOL      DRMAA2_FALSE
317 #define   DRMAA2_UNSET_STRING    NULL
318 #define   DRMAA2_UNSET_NUM      -1
319 #define   DRMAA2_UNSET_ENUM      -1
320 #define   DRMAA2_UNSET_LIST      NULL
321 #define   DRMAA2_UNSET_DICT      NULL
322 #define   DRMAA2_UNSET_TIME      ((time_t) -3)
323 #define   DRMAA2_UNSET_CALLBACK  NULL
324
325
326 typedef struct {
327     char *          jobId;
328     int             exitStatus;
329     char *          terminatingSignal;
330     char *          annotation;
331     drmaa2_jstate   jobState;
332     char *          jobSubState;
333     drmaa2_string_list allocatedMachines;
334     char *          submissionMachine;
335     char *          jobOwner;
336     long long       slots;
337     char *          queueName;
338     time_t          wallclockTime;
339     long long       cpuTime;
340     time_t          submissionTime;
341     time_t          dispatchTime;
342     time_t          finishTime;
343 } drmaa2_jinfo_s;
344 typedef drmaa2_jinfo_s * drmaa2_jinfo;
345
346 drmaa2_jinfo drmaa2_jinfo_create (void);
347 drmaa2_error drmaa2_jinfo_free   (drmaa2_jinfo ji);
348
349 typedef struct {
350     char *          machineName;
351     long long       slots;
352 } drmaa2_slotinfo_s;
353 typedef drmaa2_slotinfo_s * drmaa2_slotinfo;
354
355 drmaa2_error drmaa2_slotinfo_free (drmaa2_slotinfo si);
356
357 typedef struct {
358     char *          reservationId;
359     char *          reservationName;
360     time_t          reservedStartTime;
361     time_t          reservedEndTime;
362     drmaa2_string_list usersACL;
363     long long       reservedSlots;
364     drmaa2_slotinfo_list reservedMachines;
365 } drmaa2_rinfo_s;
366 typedef drmaa2_rinfo_s * drmaa2_rinfo;
367
368 drmaa2_error drmaa2_rinfo_free   (drmaa2_rinfo ri);
369
370 typedef struct {
371     char *          remoteCommand;
372     drmaa2_string_list args;
373     drmaa2_bool     submitAsHold;
374     drmaa2_bool     rerunnable;
375     drmaa2_dict      jobEnvironment;
376     char *          workingDirectory;
377     char *          jobCategory;

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378     drmaa2_string_list email;
379     drmaa2_bool emailOnStarted;
380     drmaa2_bool emailOnTerminated;
381     char * jobName;
382     char * inputPath;
383     char * outputPath;
384     char * errorPath;
385     drmaa2_bool joinFiles;
386     char * reservationId;
387     char * queueName;
388     long long minSlots;
389     long long maxSlots;
390     long long priority;
391     drmaa2_string_list candidateMachines;
392     long long minPhysMemory;
393     drmaa2_os machineOS;
394     drmaa2_cpu machineArch;
395     time_t startTime;
396     time_t deadlineTime;
397     drmaa2_dict stageInFiles;
398     drmaa2_dict stageOutFiles;
399     drmaa2_dict resourceLimits;
400     char * accountingId;
401 } drmaa2_jtemplate_s;
402 typedef drmaa2_jtemplate_s * drmaa2_jtemplate;
403
404 drmaa2_jtemplate drmaa2_jtemplate_create (void);
405 drmaa2_error drmaa2_jtemplate_free (drmaa2_jtemplate jt);
406 char* drmaa2_jtemplate_tostring (drmaa2_jtemplate jt);
407
408 typedef struct {
409     char * reservationName;
410     time_t startTime;
411     time_t endTime;
412     time_t duration;
413     long long minSlots;
414     long long maxSlots;
415     char * jobCategory;
416     drmaa2_string_list usersACL;
417     drmaa2_string_list candidateMachines;
418     long long minPhysMemory;
419     drmaa2_os machineOS;
420     drmaa2_cpu machineArch;
421 } drmaa2_rtemplate_s;
422 typedef drmaa2_rtemplate_s * drmaa2_rtemplate;
423
424 drmaa2_rtemplate drmaa2_rtemplate_create (void);
425 drmaa2_error drmaa2_rtemplate_free (drmaa2_rtemplate rt);
426
427 typedef struct {
428     drmaa2_event event;
429     char * jobId;
430     char * sessionName;
431     drmaa2_jstate jobState;
432 } drmaa2_notification_s;
433 typedef drmaa2_notification_s * drmaa2_notification;
434
435 drmaa2_error drmaa2_notification_free (drmaa2_notification n);
436
437 typedef struct {
438     char * name;
439 } drmaa2_queueinfo_s;
440 typedef drmaa2_queueinfo_s * drmaa2_queueinfo;
441
442 drmaa2_error drmaa2_queueinfo_free (drmaa2_queueinfo qi);
443
444 typedef struct {
445     char * major;
446     char * minor;
447 } drmaa2_version_s;
448 typedef drmaa2_version_s * drmaa2_version;

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449
450 drmaa2_error drmaa2_version_free    (drmaa2_version v);
451
452 typedef struct {
453     char *          name;
454     drmaa2_bool     available;
455     long long       sockets;
456     long long       coresPerSocket;
457     long long       threadsPerCore;
458     float           load;
459     long long       physMemory;
460     long long       virtMemory;
461     drmaa2_os       machineOS;
462     drmaa2_version  machineOSVersion;
463     drmaa2_cpu      machineArch;
464 } drmaa2_machineinfo_s;
465 typedef drmaa2_machineinfo_s * drmaa2_machineinfo;
466
467 drmaa2_error drmaa2_machineinfo_free (drmaa2_machineinfo mi);
468
469 drmaa2_string_list drmaa2_jtemplate_impl_spec    (void);
470 drmaa2_string_list drmaa2_jinfo_impl_spec        (void);
471 drmaa2_string_list drmaa2_rtemplate_impl_spec    (void);
472 drmaa2_string_list drmaa2_rinfo_impl_spec        (void);
473 drmaa2_string_list drmaa2_queueinfo_impl_spec    (void);
474 drmaa2_string_list drmaa2_machineinfo_impl_spec (void);
475 drmaa2_string_list drmaa2_notification_impl_spec (void);
476
477 char *          drmaa2_get_instance_value (const void * instance, const char * name);
478 char *          drmaa2_describe_attribute (const void * instance, const char * name);
479 drmaa2_error drmaa2_set_instance_value (    void * instance, const char * name, const char * value);
480
481 typedef void (*drmaa2_callback)(drmaa2_notification * notification);
482
483 struct drmaa2_jsession_s; /*forward*/
484 struct drmaa2_rsession_s; /*forward*/
485 struct drmaa2_msession_s; /*forward*/
486 struct drmaa2_j_s;        /*forward*/
487 struct drmaa2_jarray_s;   /*forward*/
488 struct drmaa2_r_s;        /*forward*/
489
490 typedef struct drmaa2_jsession_s * drmaa2_jsession;
491 typedef struct drmaa2_rsession_s * drmaa2_rsession;
492 typedef struct drmaa2_msession_s * drmaa2_msession;
493 typedef struct drmaa2_j_s        * drmaa2_j;
494 typedef struct drmaa2_jarray_s    * drmaa2_jarray;
495 typedef struct drmaa2_r_s        * drmaa2_r;
496
497 char *          drmaa2_rsession_get_contact      (const drmaa2_rsession rs);
498 char *          drmaa2_rsession_get_session_name (const drmaa2_rsession rs);
499 drmaa2_r       drmaa2_rsession_get_reservation  (const drmaa2_rsession rs, const char * reservation_id);
500 drmaa2_r       drmaa2_rsession_request_reservation (const drmaa2_rsession rs, const drmaa2_rtemplate rt);
501 drmaa2_r_list  drmaa2_rsession_get_reservations (const drmaa2_rsession rs);
502
503 char *          drmaa2_r_get_id                  (const drmaa2_r r);
504 char *          drmaa2_r_get_session_name        (const drmaa2_r r);
505 drmaa2_rtemplate drmaa2_r_get_reservation_template (const drmaa2_r r);
506 drmaa2_rinfo    drmaa2_r_get_info               (const drmaa2_r r);
507 drmaa2_error    drmaa2_r_terminate              (drmaa2_r r);
508
509 char *          drmaa2_jarray_get_id             (const drmaa2_jarray ja);
510 drmaa2_j_list  drmaa2_jarray_get_jobs           (const drmaa2_jarray ja);
511 char *          drmaa2_jarray_get_session_name   (const drmaa2_jarray ja);
512 drmaa2_jtemplate drmaa2_jarray_get_job_template (const drmaa2_jarray ja);
513 drmaa2_error   drmaa2_jarray_suspend            (drmaa2_jarray ja);
514 drmaa2_error   drmaa2_jarray_resume             (drmaa2_jarray ja);
515 drmaa2_error   drmaa2_jarray_hold              (drmaa2_jarray ja);
516 drmaa2_error   drmaa2_jarray_release            (drmaa2_jarray ja);
517 drmaa2_error   drmaa2_jarray_terminate          (drmaa2_jarray ja);
518
519 char *          drmaa2_jsession_get_contact      (const drmaa2_jsession js);

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520 char *                drmaa2_jsession_get_session_name    (const drmaa2_jsession js);
521 drmaa2_string_list    drmaa2_jsession_get_job_categories  (const drmaa2_jsession js);
522 drmaa2_j_list         drmaa2_jsession_get_jobs           (const drmaa2_jsession js,
523                                                         const drmaa2_jinfo filter);
524 drmaa2_jarray         drmaa2_jsession_get_job_array      (const drmaa2_jsession js,
525                                                         const char * jobarray_id);
526 drmaa2_j              drmaa2_jsession_run_job            (const drmaa2_jsession js,
527                                                         const drmaa2_jtemplate jt);
528 drmaa2_jarray         drmaa2_jsession_run_bulk_jobs      (const drmaa2_jsession js,
529                                                         const drmaa2_jtemplate jt,
530                                                         unsigned long begin_index,
531                                                         unsigned long end_index,
532                                                         unsigned long step,
533                                                         unsigned long max_parallel);
534 drmaa2_j              drmaa2_jsession_wait_any_started   (const drmaa2_jsession js,
535                                                         const drmaa2_j_list l,
536                                                         const time_t timeout);
537 drmaa2_j              drmaa2_jsession_wait_any_terminated (const drmaa2_jsession js,
538                                                         const drmaa2_j_list l,
539                                                         const time_t timeout);
540
541 char *                drmaa2_j_get_id                    (const drmaa2_j j);
542 char *                drmaa2_j_get_session_name          (const drmaa2_j j);
543 drmaa2_jtemplate      drmaa2_j_get_jt                    (const drmaa2_j j);
544 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_j_suspend                   (drmaa2_j j);
545 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_j_resume                     (drmaa2_j j);
546 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_j_hold                      (drmaa2_j j);
547 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_j_release                    (drmaa2_j j);
548 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_j_terminate                  (drmaa2_j j);
549 drmaa2_jstate         drmaa2_j_get_state                  (const drmaa2_j j, char ** substate);
550 drmaa2_jinfo          drmaa2_j_get_info                   (const drmaa2_j j);
551 drmaa2_j              drmaa2_j_wait_started              (const drmaa2_j j, const time_t timeout);
552 drmaa2_j              drmaa2_j_wait_terminated           (const drmaa2_j j, const time_t timeout);
553
554 drmaa2_r_list         drmaa2_msession_get_all_reservations (const drmaa2_msession ms);
555 drmaa2_j_list         drmaa2_msession_get_all_jobs        (const drmaa2_msession ms,
556                                                         const drmaa2_jinfo filter);
557 drmaa2_queueinfo_list drmaa2_msession_get_all_queues      (const drmaa2_msession ms,
558                                                         const drmaa2_string_list names);
559 drmaa2_machineinfo_list drmaa2_msession_get_all_machines  (const drmaa2_msession ms,
560                                                         const drmaa2_string_list names);
561
562 char *                drmaa2_get_drms_name                (void);
563 drmaa2_version        drmaa2_get_drms_version            (void);
564 char *                drmaa2_get_drmaa_name               (void);
565 drmaa2_version        drmaa2_get_drmaa_version           (void);
566 drmaa2_bool           drmaa2_supports                     (const drmaa2_capability c);
567 drmaa2_jsession       drmaa2_create_jsession              (const char * session_name, const char * contact);
568 drmaa2_rsession       drmaa2_create_rsession              (const char * session_name, const char * contact);
569 drmaa2_jsession       drmaa2_open_jsession                (const char * session_name);
570 drmaa2_rsession       drmaa2_open_rsession                (const char * session_name);
571 drmaa2_msession       drmaa2_open_msession                (const char * session_name);
572 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_close_jsession               (drmaa2_jsession js);
573 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_close_rsession               (drmaa2_rsession rs);
574 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_close_msession               (drmaa2_msession ms);
575 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_destroy_jsession             (const char * session_name);
576 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_destroy_rsession             (const char * session_name);
577 drmaa2_string_list    drmaa2_get_jsession_names           (void);
578 drmaa2_string_list    drmaa2_get_rsession_names           (void);
579 drmaa2_error          drmaa2_register_event_notification  (const drmaa2_callback callback);
580
581 #endif

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5 Security Considerations

The DRMAA root specification [2] describes the behavioral aspects of a standard-compliant implementation. This includes also security aspects.

Software written in C language has well-known security attack vectors, especially with memory handling. Implementors MUST clarify in their documentation which kind of memory management is expected by the application. Implementations MUST also consider the possibility for multi-threaded applications performing re-entrant calls to the library. The root specification clarifies some of the behavioral aspects with this.

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