

## Metacat - Bug #4843

### ESA registry: Remove 'station' default value from Organization Name

02/24/2010 04:53 PM - Jim Regetz

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<b>Description</b>			
In the ESA registration form, the Organization Name field under Basic Information is prepopulated with the value 'station'. This shouldn't be in there.			

### History

#### #1 - 05/12/2010 03:03 PM - Jim Regetz

On second thought, I'll take this one step further.

It doesn't make sense for Organization Name to appear as a field under Basic Information at all, much less appear as a required field. People end up entering their institutional affiliation in that field, and this makes it look as though the institution itself is a separate co-creator of the data. Really, if the data owner has an institutional affiliation, it should only go in the (non-required) Organization Name field that appears separately in the Principal Data Set Owner section.

And for the record, documents submitted through the ESA registry already get this automatically:

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<creator>  
<organizationName>Ecological Society of America</organizationName>  
</creator>
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#### #2 - 03/27/2013 02:28 PM - Redmine Admin

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