
Subject: An IDL hero moves on. Best wishes, Chris!
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Gentle readers,

A couple of weeks ago, through the magic of social networking, I learned that Chris Torrence has moved on from Harris, where he was IDL Project Team Lead, to a position as Software Development Manager at the National Snow and Ice Data Center. As I haven't yet seen any notice of this in this group, I thought I'd mention it.

For those who haven't had the pleasure of working with Chris, he has been a huge help to many of us over his years with RSI/Kodak/Exelis/Harris (I have had occasional contact with him since 2004!). His considerate, fair-minded nature has been a crucial part of the experience the IDL community has enjoyed. Chris' careful shepherding of many language improvements has been immensely helpful to all of us. (curious readers may see his accomplishments at <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ctorrence/>)

Thank you warmly for all of this, Chris, and all best wishes for your future endeavours!

Cheers,
-Dick

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