

802.20 Opening Plenary Presentation

Session #4

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- **At Each Meeting, the Working Group Chair shall:**
- **Advise the WG membership that:**
 - The IEEE's Patent Policy is consistent with the ANSI patent policy and is described in Clause 6 of the *IEEE SA Standards Board Bylaws*;
 - Early disclosure of patents which may be essential for the use of standards under development is encouraged;
 - Disclosures made of such patents may not be exhaustive of all patents that may be essential for the use of standards under development, and that neither the IEEE, the WG nor the WG Chairman ensure the accuracy or completeness of any disclosure or whether any disclosure is of a patent that in fact may be essential for the use of standards under development.
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 - that an opportunity was provided for WG members to identify or disclose patents that the WG member believes may be essential for the use of that standard;
 - any responses that were given, specifically the patents and patent applications that were identified (if any) and by whom.

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6. Patents

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b) A statement that a license will be made available without compensation or under reasonable rates, with reasonable terms and conditions that are demonstrably free of any unfair discrimination

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Logistics

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- Electronic Attendance:
 - <http://802wirelessworld.com>
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- No manual sign-in at this session. If you encounter problems send e-mail to Jerry and Mark.
- 802.20 has 14 meeting slots you need to participate in 11 meeting slots to get participation credit.
 - For 802.20 the xM1 and xM2 meeting slots are linked you only need to sign in once to get credit for both slots.

Preliminary Agenda

Monday, September 15, 2003 1:00PM - 5:30PM

- Opening of Session
- Review and Approval of Agenda
- Requirements Contributions and Discussion

"FER: Do We Need It?"

[C802.20-03/83](#)

Repeater issues for MBWA

[C802.20-03/75](#)

Comment on 802.20 Requirements Document Rev 7

[C802.20-03/76](#)

Requirement for Synchronization

[C802.20-03/84](#)

Tuesday, September 16, 2003 8:00AM - 5:00PM

- Requirements Contributions and Discussion
- Channel Modeling Contributions and Discussion (May not occur till Wednesday)

[C802.20-03/81](#)

[C802.20-03/77](#)

Wednesday, September 17, 2003 8:00AM - 5:00PM

- Channel Modeling Contributions and Discussion
- Traffic Modeling Contributions & Discussion
- Evaluation Criteria Contributions & Discussion

[C802.20-03/79](#)

[C802.20-03/80](#)

[C802.20-03/86](#)

[C802.20-03/78](#)

Wednesday, September 17, 2003 5:30PM - 9:30PM - Social Event

Preliminary Agenda, cntd.

Thursday, September 18, 2003, 2003 8:00AM - 5:00PM

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Evaluation Criteria Contributions & Discussion- Coexistence CG Readout and Contributions- Other Business<ul style="list-style-type: none">- An Alternative Approach for Enhancing Security of WMANs using Physical Layer Encryption- Handoff procedure for MBWA system- New Business- Planning for next meeting- Close of Meeting | <p><u>C802.20-03/78</u>
<u>C802.20-03/82</u></p> <p><u>C802.20-03/74</u></p> <p><u>C802.20-03/85</u></p> |
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