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# IEEE 802.3 Future Meetings

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# Meetings Demystified

- 802.3 is growing
  - We're now the largest 802 WG
- 802 has two types of meetings
- **Plenary Meeting**
  - All of 802 meets (e.g. 802.1, 802.3, 802.11, etc.)
  - Three Plenaries a year: March, July and November
  - 802.3 Working Group meets Monday and Thursday afternoon
  - All SG and TF meet Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday AM
    - Some TF may meet fewer than 2.5 days, e.g.  
Maintenance and MIB
  - Sometimes have joint sessions, e.g. 802.1 and 802.3
  - 802 is the meeting host
  - Wednesday evening social event (part of your Plenary fee)
  - Face-to-Face Events is the contracted 802 meeting planner
  - VeriLAN is the contracted 802 network services provider

# Meetings Demystified

- **Interim Meeting**

- Only 802.3 meets unless we are co-locating with another 802 WG
  - If we do, it's usually 802.1
- Three Interims a year: January, May, and September
  - TF may schedule extra Interims to keep on timeline
- **NO** 802.3 Working Group meetings
- SG and TF meet during the week
  - Possible to schedule to reduce overlap, e.g. some TF Mon-Tue, others Wed-Thu
- May take five days---we're getting busy and big!
- The meeting host is a participating company or other non-802 entity
- Typically no social event---if there is, the host must pay for it
- May have no meeting planner, in-house meeting planner or contract with outside meeting planner
- Host is responsible for meeting network and A/V

# 2014 Interims

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**May 12 - 16, 2014**

**Sheraton Norfolk Waterside Hotel, Norfolk, VA, USA**

**Hosted by Ethernet Alliance**

**September 8 - 12, 2014**

**Brookstreet Hotel, Ottawa, Canada**

**Hosted by Ericsson**

All 802.3 Interims: <http://ieee802.org/3/interims/index.html>

# Future Interims

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**In order to host an interim, your company must first contact Steve Carlson, 802.3 Executive Secretary, and acknowledge receipt of the 802.3 Interim hosting guidelines. The 802.3 working group does not endorse any particular outside meeting planning service.**

# Plenary Meetings 2014

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**July 13-18, 2014**  
**Manchester Grand Hyatt**  
**San Diego, California USA**

**November 2-7, 2014**  
**Grand Hyatt San Antonio**  
**San Antonio, Texas USA**

# March 2015 Plenary Meeting

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## Option 1:

**March 15 - 20, 2015**

**Barcelona International Conference Center  
Barcelona, Spain**

**No room block – 4 hotels adjacent**

**Estimated room rate: ~157 € including VAT, buffet  
breakfast, and Wi-Fi**

**Registration fee: \$600 - \$800 including lunch**

**Estimated deficit: \$400,000 USD**

# March 2015 Plenary Meeting

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## Option 2:

**March 8 - 13, 2015**

**Estrel Hotel and Convention Center**

**Berlin, Germany**

**Room block at Estrel Hotel**

**Estimated room rate: ~157 € including VAT, buffet  
breakfast, and Wi-Fi**

**Registration fee: \$600 - \$800 including lunch**

**Estimated deficit: \$125,000 USD**



# Plenary Meetings 2015

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**July 12 - 17, 2015**  
**Hilton Waikoloa Village**  
**Kona, HI USA**

**November 8 - 13, 2015**  
**Hyatt Regency Dallas**  
**Dallas, TX USA**

# Future Plenary Planning - July 2017

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## Option 1:

**July 9 - 14, 2017**

**Hilton Waikoloa Village**

**Waikoloa, HI**

**Room block at Hilton Waikoloa Village**

**Estimated room rate: \$189 including Wi-Fi and  
waiver of resort fee**

**Registration fee: \$600 - \$800 including breakfast  
and lunch**

**Estimated deficit: \$125,000 USD**

# Future Plenary Planning - July 2017

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## Option 2:

**July 9 - 14, 2017**

**Bella Center Convention Center  
Copenhagen, Denmark**

**Room block at Bella Sky Hotel**

**Estimated room rate: ~157 € including VAT, buffet  
breakfast, and Wi-Fi**

**Registration fee: \$600 - \$800 including lunch**

**Estimated deficit: \$375,000 USD**

# Future Plenary Planning - July 2017

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## Option 3:

**July 9 - 14, 2017**

**Estrel Hotel and Convention Center**

**Berlin, Germany**

**Room block at Estrel Hotel**

**Estimated room rate: ~147 € including VAT, buffet  
breakfast, and Wi-Fi**

**Registration fee: \$600 - \$800 including lunch**

**Estimated deficit: \$35,000 USD**

# Plenary Meetings

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All 802 Plenary Meeting information may be found at:

<http://www.ieee802.org/meeting/index.html>