IEEE 802.3 Future Meetings

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Meetings Demystified

- 802.3 is growing
 - 272 attendees---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 and A/V services provider

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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

2013 Interims

January 21 – 25, 2013
Hyatt Regency Phoenix
Phoenix, Arizona, USA
Hosted by Luxtera

May 13 – 17, 2013
The Fairmont Empress Hotel
Victoria, B.C. Canada
Hosted by the Ethernet Alliance

Proposal for September 2013 by ADVA Optical Networking September 2 – 6, 2013
York Racecourse
York, UK

Future Interims

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 2012

November 11 - 16, 2012

Grand Hyatt San Antonio

San Antonio, TX, USA

Plenary Meetings 2013

March 17-22 Caribe Royale Orlando, Florida USA

July 14-19 ITU Geneva, SWITZERLAND

November 10-15 **Hyatt Regency Dallas** Dallas, Texas USA

Plenary Meetings

All 802 Plenary Meeting information may be found at:

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