ITU-T / IEEE collaboration

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Proposal

• In a spirit of cooperation, the ITU-T and IEEE jointly sponsor several activities on a topic of mutual interest.
  – Agreed by ITU-T TSB & IEEE-SA
• First successful May/June 2007 joint workshop on ‘Carrier Ethernet’
• Second workshop confirmed for May 2010
• Responsibility
  – ITU-T supplies facilities & registration
  – IEEE-SA organization & sponsorship
  – Joint promotion of event
• Joint Workshop on Ethernet in Carrier environment
  – May 28, 2010
• Preceded by proposed ITU-T hosted 802.1 & 802.3 interim meetings
  – May 24-27 2010
• Followed by ITU-T SG15 plenary
  – May 31 -June 11, 2010

Location:  Geneva, Switzerland
Joint Workshop

- May 28, 2009 - 9am – 5pm
  - 802.1 session
    - Synchronization
    - Protection switching
  - 802.3 session
    - Ethernet beyond 100G
  - Details

Joint steering committee developing detailed program
Hosted Interim

• May 24-27, 2010
  – ITU headquarters
    • Montbrillant & Tower buildings
  – 3 rooms confirmed for 802.1
    • Interworking, AVB, & DCB
  – 3 rooms confirmed for 802.3
    • Maintenance/MIBs, EEE, TSSG & 40G serial SG

• No meeting fee
  – Coffee and lunch available at cafeterias

• Registration by ITU
  – Photo badges with access to all UN buildings

• Access to ITU hotel rates
  – Must book direct with hotels
ITU meeting facilities

- Room allocation
  - TBD - we are in 1/3 of rooms – the rest are in use for other ITU meetings
  - Monitors and web display meeting room allocation
- ~20 meeting rooms
  - Classroom style rooms with multimedia projectors
  - 802.3 RJ45 at every seat & 802.11b/g throughout campus
  - Power (swiss plug) at every seat
  - Microphones & headsets at every seat
- ‘Delegate area’
  - Common use computers & printers
  - Tables for informal discussions
- Eating
  - Two Cafeterias & several vending machines
  - Cafeterias in other UN buildings
Location of ITU campus
Web Registration

- IEEE 802 Interim
  - [http://www.itu.int/cgi-bin/htsh/edrs/ITU-T/studygroup/edrs.registration.form?_eventid=3000143](http://www.itu.int/cgi-bin/htsh/edrs/ITU-T/studygroup/edrs.registration.form?_eventid=3000143)

- Joint Workshop
  - [http://www.itu.int/cgi-bin/htsh/edrs/ITU-T/workshop/edrs.registration.form?_eventid=3000141](http://www.itu.int/cgi-bin/htsh/edrs/ITU-T/workshop/edrs.registration.form?_eventid=3000141)

- ITU-T SG15 Plenary
Registration guidance

• Participant
  – Most people should sign in as a ‘participant’

• Membership
  – If your company is an ITU member, then you should sign in as a sector member or associate with that affiliation.
  – Otherwise sign in as other
  – For the ITU-T SG15 meeting, if your company is not a member, you may still attend
    • Contact Jodi Haasz for logistics to sign in under the IEEE sector member

• Name of Organization
  – Indicate your company affiliation, country and email
On site Registration

• Location
  – Registration is in the lobby of the Montbrillant building

• Photos
  – Photos will be taken of all participants that are not already in the ITU database
  – A photo badge will be printed for access during the meeting
    • Separate badges for interim, workshop & SG15 meetings

• Last minute on-site registration
  – This will be available, but is not recommended
Geneva, Switzerland

- Tourist information
  http://www.itu.int/travel/geneva.html
  - Local language – French
  - Currency – Swiss Franc

- Airport (GVA)
  http://www.gva.ch
  - Nonstop from North America (NYC, Washington, Montreal)
  - One stop from European hubs and many cities
  - Free bus or train (get ticket at baggage claim vending machine)
  or taxi to downtown

- Getting to ITU
  - Walk (from 5 minutes, depending on hotel)
  - Free light rail or bus (transit pass available at check-in)
    http://www.tpg.ch/
Hotels in Geneva

- **ITU Hotels**
  - Independents ~CHF/US$ 140
    - Suisse, Cristal, Alpes
  - Euro chains ~ CHF/US$ 220
    - Novotel, Manotel
  - International chains ~ CHF/US$ 325
    - Kempinski, Intercontinental

- **Location of hotels**
  - Closest to ITU (Place des Nations) – 5 min walk
    - Intercontinental
  - Centre town (Paquis) – 15 min walk
    - Manotel (Jade, Epson, Royal), Novotel
  - Near train station (Cornavin) – 20 min walk
    - Suisse, Cristal, Alpes, Cornavin, Warwick, Ibis
  - Near airport – 40 min walk
    - Holiday Inn

- **Process**
  - Contact hotels directly (phone or email) and ask for ITU rate