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Dear Colleagues,

The IEEE 802.1 Working Group would like to thank OPEN Alliance for the information provided in your Nov 4, 2021 [liaison statement](#).

We are interested in collaboration between our organizations. We would find it beneficial for collaboration to have individuals participating in both groups. We can also exchange information via liaison letters. To be able to share drafts, we need to establish the process for sharing drafts, for which IEEE SA will make the initial steps. After this process is completed, we will be sharing our drafts with you and we would like to receive the technical elements you mentioned in your liaison statement, in particular draft OPEN Alliance specifications specifically referring to IEEE 802.1 specifications and drafts.

Note that the IEEE 802 work is open and contribution driven. Participation is on an individual basis and technical discussion can be conducted based on individual contributions. The TSN Task Group holds regular electronic meetings: details are available at <https://1.ieee802.org/wg-calendar>.

Respectfully submitted,  
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