

2019-02-27 Meeting notes

[OPX Overview Slides](#)

Date

27 Feb 2019

Attendees

- [Casey Cain](#) [Kenny Paul](#) [user-20f1f](#) [Abhijit Kumbhare](#) [@Ray Kinsella](#) [Bin Hu](#) [Brian Freeman](#) [Catherine Lefevre](#) [Frank Brockners](#) [@Jim St. Leger](#) [Ahmed El Sawaf](#) [@Chaker Al-Hakim](#) [@Randy Bais](#) [David McBride](#) [Davide Cherubini](#) [Dhananjay Pavgi](#) [Ed Warnicke](#) [Manuel Buil](#) [Morgan Richomme](#) [Tina Tsou](#) [Trishan de Lanerolle](#) [@Vicky Brasseur](#) [Wenjing Chu](#)
- [@Joe Ghalam](#) OPX

Minutes

OPX Induction Request - Introducing the Project to the TAC

- Joe Ghalam reviewed his OPX (Open Switch) slides
- OPX name to help eliminate confusion with Open vSwitch
- Questions regarding possible trademarking issue due to the proximity of the name Open Switch / Open vSwitch. It is not believed there is an issue.
- Concerns raised over the use of redis database due to restrictive licensing that would prevent an OPX enabled box from being used in a service offering
- Rebranding work underway to remove "open-switch" is WIP and is being handled very strategically.
- Induction documents will be submitted to github this week with review to start next week.
- (Joe drops from call at this point)
- Question/concern raised over expected impact to the LFN budget - part of what the Board takes into consideration
- Concern raised over proprietary switch driver - some surprise over the fact it was received in binary form. Needs to be highlighted for the board.
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TAC Chair

- Still no chair
- To be revisited at the next meeting.

Action items

- ☒ Joe Ghalam to research licensing around redis