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## Common NFVI Telco Task Force (CNTT)

### Communications

#### HOW TO BECOME INVOLVED & ENGAGED

August 19, 2019

CNTT invites all community members to get on board. The time is now. *Our message is simple: help us create a sustainable Common NFVI ecosystem.*

*Become a lead, co-lead, or contributor by clicking the contact and email list links below to sign-up and get engaged...*

**Requirements & Specifications:** Gather and define requirements for the Reference Model, Reference Architecture, and Reference Implementation solutions to simplify development and delivery of VNFs onto a Common NFVI shared technology ecosystem.

**Contact:** [Rabi Abdel](#), [Walter Kozlowski](#)

**Signups for Mailing Lists:** [Reference Model](#), [Reference Architecture](#)

**Testing:** Work within the Linux Foundation's OPNFV, CVC, and OVP ecosystems. Identify, leverage, and harmonize, open source projects, industry tests, and verification standards to accelerate NFVI verification.

**Contact:** [Fu Qiao](#), [Mike Fix](#), [Kyle Greenwell](#)

**Certification:** Develop compliance requirements and certification standards for CNTT specifications.

**Contact:** [Fu Qiao](#), [Mike Fix](#), [Kyle Greenwell](#)

**Adoption:** discover, design, and execute a plan that engages key decision makers and influencers for buy-in, clarifies the value-proposition, then envisions and communicates a path to adoption.

**Contact:** [Beth Cohen](#), [Rabi Abdel](#), [Mark Cottrell](#)

**Signup for Mailing List:** [Governance](#)

**Recruiting:** get the right people, right skills, and right places – this is about creating and maintaining a volunteer army.

**Contact:** [Rabi Abdel](#)

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**Marketing:** develop a blueprint and lead industry to development and adoption of Common NFVI Reference Model and Reference Architecture standards and get OPNFV certified.

**Contact:** [Heather Kirksey](#)

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### Calendar & Contacts

Working Groups - **all times UTC**

Main Calendar: Standing Weekly Meetings (via Zoom online meetings)

[Tues/12pm – CNTT RA Master Progress](#)

[Weds/11am – CNTT Technical Steering Meeting](#)

[Thurs/12pm – CNTT Governance](#)

[Thurs/1pm – CNTT RM Master Progress](#)

Additional Working Groups – Please Contact Chapter Owners

[Reference Model Chapter Development](#)

- o Ongoing standard development on Reference Model

[Reference Architecture Chapter Development](#)

- o Ongoing development on Reference Architecture

[Antwerp, 3rd Workshop, Sept. 26th and 27th](#)

- o This working session will be a great opportunity join the discussion in a face to face setting. Working session objectives include:

- § Advance work on the Reference Model

- § Refine the Reference Architecture definitions

- § Address implementation considerations for OPNFV and the OPNFV Verification Program (OVP)

- § Continue efforts on Community Engagement, Adoption, Recruiting, and Marketing

This will be a hands-on meeting, so please come prepared to work, propose, and collaborate on solutions. Immediately follows ONS Europe.

- o Register [here](#).

#### **General Signups and Information:**

#### **Email Lists**

[Reference Model](#)

[Reference Architecture](#)

[Governance](#)

#### **Wikis**

[Antwerp, 3rd Workshop, Sept. 26th and 27th](#)

[Github Reference Document Repository](#)

[Working Draft – Reference Model](#)

[Working Draft – Reference Architecture](#)

[CNTT Governance](#)

[CNTT Implementation](#)

[Paris, 2<sup>nd</sup> Workshop, July 23 to 25th](#)

Any additional questions regarding general communications, please contact [Jim Baker](#), [Jonathan Beltran](#), or [Rick Tennant](#).

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