EUAG 2021-03-10 Meeting notes

Date

10 Mar 2021

Attendees

LF Staff: Kenny Paul Brandon Wick Jim Baker

Committee Members: Randy Levensalor Lei Huang Scott Blandford

Proxies: Guests:

Agenda

- · Start the Recording
- Antitrust Policy
- · Agenda Bashing (Roll Call, Action Items (5 minutes)
- General Topics
 - o NFV testing white paper progress Lei Huang , Beth Cohen , Randy Levensalor , Cecilia Corbi , Massimo Banzi
 - Al/ML data and model sharing project proposal Jim Baker
 - Addressing Enterprise networking needs starting with an "Enterprise Advisory Group" Kenny Paul
 - Other topics?

Minutes

EUAG Calendar vs. Spring time change

- · this time slot will conflict with the TAC meeting beginning on the 24th of the month
- recommendation to move this meeting to an hour earlier

NFV Testing White Paper

- Split content of original white paper into a case study and more of a academic white paper (2 papers)
- Main paper ~50% editing complete; second paper needs a full editing cycle

AI/ML data and model sharing project proposal

- Only vendors have responded to this
- Call to action for operators to participate
- Randy Levensalor Cablelabs still about 12 months out from being able to actively particapate.
- Scott Blandford will reachout within AT&T
- Jim Baker will send a reminder to the email list.

Enterprise EUAG

- Enterprise EUAG.pptx
- Current EUAG is chartered by LFN Governing Board
- · LFN GB has asked that we begin to explore serving the "Enterprise Networking" vertical
- EUAG working well, do not want to disrupt
- Scott Blandford There is considerable overlap in topics is this an artificial division
- Potential conflict of interest by inviting "vendor companies" that have enterprise networks to the single forum
- Proposal is to create 2 separate advisory groups
- Lei Huang Too many meetings AND considerable overlap in topics may make is difficult for current members
- Randy Levensalor There is a need to align the interests between the groups as there are the same number of underlying projects if there are separate groups, perhaps periodic sync meetings would bring together all the vertical groups
- Brandon Wick Previous EUAG tried to recruit other verticals and failed to get critical mass
- Jim Baker Perhaps focus groups for enterprise for a couple months, then fold them into EUAG
- Scott Blandford Perhaps have both "user groups" and "end user advisory group" providing ONE set of priorities to the LFN projects would be desirable.
- Kenny Paul Limit participation to those that OPERATE the enterprise networks via a charter change

Action items