

# 'Science Gateway primer' Virtual Team

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<b>Meeting</b>	Cisco WebEx Conference
<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	Thursday 25 October 2012, 9:00 CEST / Call ended 9:57 CEST
<b>Host</b>	EGI.eu / Amsterdam, Netherlands

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## Agenda

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1. Acceptance/amendment of minutes from previous meeting  
[https://wiki.egi.eu/wiki/VT\\_Science\\_Gateway\\_Primer/meetings](https://wiki.egi.eu/wiki/VT_Science_Gateway_Primer/meetings)
2. Review tasks
3. Discussion on new contributions/comments
  - Missing contributions
  - SG forum on the EGI website
5. Schedule of next meetings
6. Any other business

## Notes

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### Minutes from previous meeting

No changes required.

## Review tasks

**[RL]** Visualisation related info is needed from ASGC for Section 3.6 based on GVSS2 experiences.

**[HC]** OK, we have already access for the session.

**[NF]** Chapter 9 has been fine-tuned. Email exchanges were done with WS.

**[WS]** Short intro about cloud computing, plus 3 main points will be discussed in the chapter: SGs use cloud resources, SGs hosted in cloud, SGs adopt cloud business model.

**[RL]** Please be very focused and we should try to avoid having too lengthy document by the end.

**[PK]** Generic (technology neutral) chapters are needed.

**[WS]** OK, but examples will be there.

**[PK]** Suggestion: try to compile usable (ready to use) technologies in the each chapter.

**[NF]** SG developers need the best examples.

**[RL]** Yes, best practices / comprehensive list are fine.

**[SO]** The related important Chapter 4 is empty without leader.

**[PK]** Opinion: Chapter 4 is overall not for particular sub-features, i.e. focusing on the main features, and most usable features/technologies.

**[NF]** It should be a table with tick-marks concerning each feature. Chapter 4 can be compiled later once we will have the other chapters.

**[RL]** AppDB list can be used for this list based on the new categories. Any update?

**[NF]** Originally the 'Tools' for developers, and 'Application' for end users are there in the AppDB. SGs, workflow tools are the new ones.

**[RL]** EGI forum supported by PK and SCI-BUS community, Elisa nominated as moderator.

**[NF]** EGI SSO account and email address are needed.

**[HC]** ASGC nominates later.

**[NF]** We can start the forum.

**[RL]** Sticky post is need about the primer and the VT.

[NF] First version will be circulated later. It is not mandatory.

[RL] There are 22 registered members (not very active yet).

[RL] DV sent his subchapter. It seems to be fine.

[NF] References (hyperlinks) are needed.

[PJ] OK, there will be more links.

[NF] Reminder is needed for RG (Ricardo Graciani) and RB (Roberto Barbera).

[RL] OK, they will be contacted. Steven Newhouse emails: distinguish active members from observers. It is almost done. (At least) the draft document is needed by mid-November.

## Next meeting

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To be decided in the following doodle poll with 31 October/5 November:

<http://doodle.com/iuqbp689vfcny8gg>

Please complete the poll by the end of business day on the 26th October 2012.

WebEx meeting details will be sent afterwards.

## Any other business

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[WS] Are we a contributor and/or an observer? What is about our participation at the webex meetings?

[RL] Once you have the planned contribution, participate only at the next meeting (WS is not an EGI-Inspire project member).

[WS] OK.

[SO] Working document is not public, any news about this?

[RL] Not ready yet for the public, we need cleaner version.

[NF] It is still changing a lot.

[SO] Wiki update is needed about the observer/active (contributor) status.

[NF] Wiki will be updated. WS will be 'part-time' contributor on the Wiki.

[NF] Final definitions in Chapter 2 should be exported to the EGI Glossary.

[RL] OK, it will be one of our VT's output.

[PK] Cross reading of chapters will be necessary soon (next week) in order to comment each others' parts. Offline compiled Word doc would be needed (e.g. for accepting/declining modification requests in the easiest way).

[NF] I will send out.

## Post mortem

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Nothing.