Wireless Chairs Standing Committee

Joint 11/15 Executive Committee

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| Project | Wireless Chairs Standing Committee | |
| Title | Meeting Minutes for December 18th, 2024 | |
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| Re: | Meeting Minutes | |
| Abstract |  | |
| Purpose | Maintain Meeting Record | |
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**Abbreviations:**

A: Answer

C: Comment

ECJT: Executive Committee of the Joint Treasury

Q: Question

**Wednesday December 18th, 2024, 15:00 Eastern Time (ET)**

**Wireless Chairs Standing Committee (WCSC) Meeting**

1. **Call to order**: Meeting called to order at 15:03 ET

* **Chair**: Dorothy Stanley
* **Recording Secretary**: Stephen McCann

1. **Policy and Procedure reminders**

* <http://ieee802.org/sapolicies.shtml> .
* The chair read out the relevant policies and procedures, including copyright.
* No statements were made.

1. **Attendees**: See Annex A

* Christy Bahn is the IEEE SA staff member present.

1. **Review and approve agenda**

<https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0313-00-WCSG-2024-12-18-wireless-chairs-sc-meeting-agenda.docx> .

* **Move to approve the agenda:**
  + Moved: Edward Au, 2nd: Clint Powell
  + No objection to approving by unanimous consent.

1. **Minutes and Actions**

* Consider actions from the WCSC meeting November 10th, 2024:
  + None.
* **Move to approve the minutes for November 10th, 2024:**
* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0306-01-WCSG-minutes-november-10-2024.docx> .
  + Moved: Stephen McCann, 2nd: Clint Powell
  + No objection to approving by unanimous consent.

1. **Announcements**

None

1. **IEEE 802.24**
   * Presented by Ann Krieger.
   * The IoT paper is being wrapped up
   * Tim Godfrey is not able to attend the January session, so Ben Rolfe will chair.
   * No questions.
2. **IEEE 802.19**

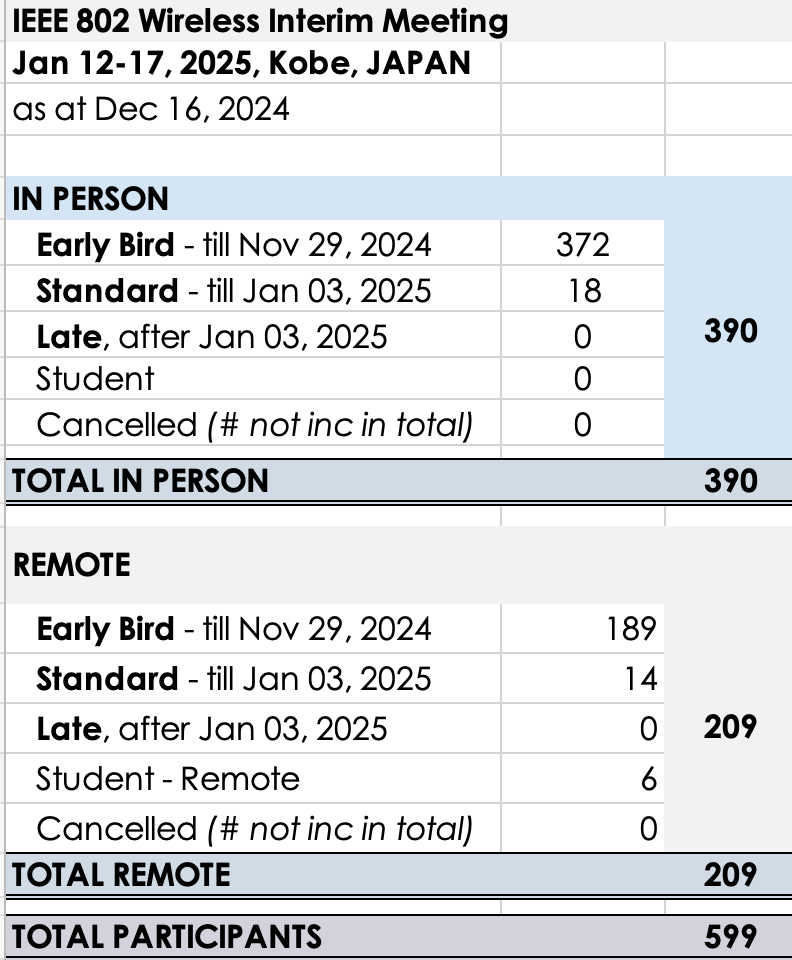
* Presented by Steve Shellhammer
* There are no coexistence documents being considered at the moment.
  + No questions.

1. **IEEE 802.18**

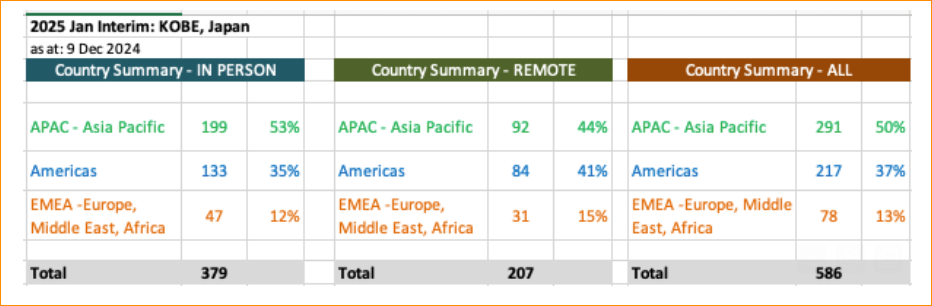
* Presented by Edward Au.
* There is a 10 day letter ballot currently open that is closing tomorrow.
* Chair: Do you have a call tomorrow (December 19th, 2024)?
* A: Yes.
* No questions.

1. **IEEE 802.15**
   * Presented by Clint Powell.
   * There will be WNG tech demos in the January 2025 session. See <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.15/dcn/24/15-24-0680-01-0000-kobe-802-15-wng-technology-focus-info-pkg.pptx> for more information.
   * Clint Powell will not be attending the January 2025 session, so Phil Beecher will chair.
   * C: Please can these WNG tech demos be advertised in the other WG opening meetings and also the 802 wireless opening plenary on the Monday.
   * No questions.
2. **IEEE 802.11**
   * Presented by Robert Stacey.
   * No working group letter ballots at the moment, but there are a couple of ongoing SA ballots.
   * There are now 633 voting members in 802.11, which is a record.
   * No questions.
3. **January 2025 session**

* These are the current registration numbers from December 16th:



* The regional breakdown is as follows (note: as of December 9th):



* There will be 379 people attending in person. Therefore, it will be a busy session. There are a lot more attendees from Asia/Pacific than usual. The total number of attendees, as of today, is 610.
* C: The number of first time attendees is 38 (for all of the 802 wireless groups)
* **Motion: Approve spending up to $2500 (USD) for additional expenses to support the 802.15 technology demonstrations.**
* Moved: Clint Powell, 2nd: Jon Rosdahl
* Result: 7/0/0 (ECJT) [Motion passes]
* **Motion: Waive the AM and PM break, lunch and social fees for the 802.15 technology demonstration guests and presenters, not to exceed $600 USD.**
* Moved: Clint Powell, 2nd: Jon Rosdahl
* Q: What is the total cost for these waivers?
* A: About $600 USD.
* Result: Unanimous consent (i.e. 7/0/0) (ECJT) [Motion passes]
* C: Please can the session arrangers have the contact details of the 802.15 WNG technology demonstration guests and presenters please.
* Chair: We can also grant the guests and technology presenters waivers for the actual 802.15 WNG presentations, as they will be present on the same day.
* Q: What time do the buses start for the social?
* A: The social buses will start at 6.15pm and then return to the hotels around 9.30pm
* Q: For the IEEE 802 Wireless Interim Standard workshop, <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0214-04-WCSG-kobe-interim-summary.pptx> on the initial Saturday (January 11th, 2025), do the presenters have to register?
* A: Yes, please.
* Q: Can these 802.15 WNG technology demonstration designated experts also attend the 802.15 mid-week plenary?
* Chair: Yes, I think this is reasonable.
* Q: Can we add the information about these 2 events (i.e. the IEEE 802 Wireless Interim Standard workshop and the 802.15 WNG technology demonstrations) to the 802 LinkedIn page?
* Chair: Yes. I think that should be ok. However, can you also check with Mano-san first.
* C: Thank you for everyone’s support for the 802.15 WNG technology demonstrations.

1. **802 Publicity topics**

* Presented by Tuncer Baykas.
* There are some minor updates of the publicity items on the 802 LinkedIn page.

1. **Future Interim Sessions**

* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0006-14-WCSG-ieee-802wcsc-meeting-venue-manager-report-2024.pptx>
* Slides #3 and #4 show the status of the IEEE 802 plenary contracts.
* Slide #7 shows the status of the IEEE 802 interim contracts.
* There are 2 more contracts for Waikoloa in September 2028 and 2029.
* The contract with the Hilton Antwerp (May 2026) is currently in progress.
* No questions

1. **Treasurers’ Report**

* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0007-10-WCSG-wireless-treasurer-report-2024.pptx> .
* The values are correct as of November 9th, 2024.
* Deposits have been paid for some of the future sessions (Slide #3)
* No questions.

1. **January 2025 session**

* This session will occur in Kobe, Japan.
* There will be a wireless interim opening meeting on January 13th, 2025.
* No questions

1. **AoB**

* **WCSC Meetings**
* The dates of the next WCSC meetings are:
  + 2025-01-12 – Sunday 4pm in Kobe 1.5 hours
  + 2025-02-12 – Wednesday February 12th 3pm ET, 2 hours if needed
  + 2025-03-09 – Sunday 4pm in Atlanta 1.5 hours
  + 2025-04-09 – Wednesday April 9th 3pm ET, 2 hours if needed

1. **Adjourn**

* No objection to adjourning.
* Adjourned at 15.57 ET.

**Annex A: Attendance & Affiliation**

| **Name** | **Affiliation** |
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| Baykas, Tuncer | Ofinno |
| Branik, Daniel | MTG events |
| McCann, Stephen | Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd |
| Powell, Clint | HID Global |
| Rolfe, Benjamin | Blind Creek Associates |
| Rosdahl, Jon | Qualcomm Technologies, Inc. |
| Stanley, Dorothy | HPE |
| Krieger, Ann | DoD |
| Bahn, Christy | IEEE Staff |
| Stacey, Robert | Intel |
| Beecher, Phil | Wi-SUN Alliance |
| Levy, Joseph | InterDigital |
| Edward Au | Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd |
| Gaurav Patwardhan | HPE |
| Sara Archer | MTG Events |
| Dave Halasz | Morse Micro |
| Steve Shellhammer | Qualcomm |

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